

Are you planning to do an internship in a French speaking country in the future?

Do you want to learn more about business practices, principles and etiquette in France?

French Basic Language for the Professions FREN 152

Units: 1.0

Grading option: CR/ NC

Corequisite: FREN 150

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Section 34238D (online course)

Class meets for 1 hour on Wednesdays 3:00-3:50pm on zoom

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Course description:

Are you interested in developing your professional language and cultural competencies in view of studying or working in French speaking contexts both in the United States and abroad? If so, this course is for you! It emphasizes the communicative situations and language functions required for job and internship searches and applications. The course parallels the functions studied in second and third semester French language courses and it contextualizes these structures in a business setting. Business vocabulary enhances and reinforces students' abilities to interact successfully in this context. Assigned readings in English and French acquaint students with the French economy and corporate life for effective intercultural communication and negotiation.

Students must be concurrently enrolled in Fren-150 or 220, have completed Fren-150, or placed in Fren-220.