



Course Descriptions for Exchange Students

Leadership Discovery (required)

Leadership Discovery is based on the university's educational philosophy of Brightening One Corner. In this introductory course, our students are empowered to lead assertive lives that reflect the core values of leadership by looking deeply into themselves with the question "Who am I?". This enables them to create a strong self-identity and discover their true life values and vision. With this knowledge, students can create meaningful change in their lives and become true leaders.

Global Leadership Discovery (Elective)

Global Leadership Discovery is one of the courses offered in our university's unique leadership program. Through this course, students are asked the initial question, "Why think globally?" Through examination of cultural diversity and leadership qualities that are necessary in today's globalized world, students are asked to search for an answer to the basic question and define the qualities they feel are necessary to become a global leader as individuals as well as part of international organizations that include corporations, universities, NGOs, etc.

Cross Cultural Communication Practicum (required)

Due to the rapidly changing global village, citizens from around the world are facing different challenges as they communicate with each other. In cross cultural communication, individuals must learn to appreciate and embrace differences in order to communicate effectively. This course aims at allowing international and domestic students the opportunity to explore each other's differences not only in language but in non-verbal communication which is imbedded in their own communication styles. Exchange students in this class will participate in the iChat program where they will be assigned a number of domestic partners who are interested in cross cultural communication exchange. The practicum aspect of this course will run in 2 rounds of 5 week sessions.

Beginning Korean (Language Elective)

This course will focus on the written Korean language and rudimentary conversation. Students will be introduced to the "Hangeul," the Korean alphabet and soon find that they will be reading and writing in Korean. Basic vocabulary and everyday expressions will be the focus of this introductory course for both the written and oral language.

Korean History & Culture through Film (Elective)

– recommended for students wishing to study with Korean and foreign exchange students

This course deals with the characteristics of Korean culture through the lens of the movie camera. Through this course, many cultural norms, historical events and societal structure will be introduced and analyzed through films so that the foreign students can gain a better understanding of Korean culture.

English for International Communication 2 (Elective)

– recommended for exchange students wishing to study with Korean students.

This course is designed for any proficiency level of English as a foreign language. Throughout the course of the semester, activities are designed for students to gain experiential learning of English as a tool for primarily oral communication in the international context where cultural influences on language can effect meaning. The students enrolled in this class will be from a variety of countries

including Korea.

Culture through Idioms 2 (ESL Elective)

– recommended for students from non-English speaking countries wishing to study with Korean students. Students who are native speakers of English can register for this course and will participate as teaching assistants.

This course is designed for high intermediate to advanced learners of English as a foreign language and is continues with the first course offered in the spring. The aim for students is to be able to adapt to different situations within the ordinary everyday such as the business environment in terms of communication and conflicts and is also applicable within the leadership environment. The course will take into consideration team preparation work with the aim to manifest international team management and language skills. Students will be able to manage different methodologies of language and training. This course supports experiential learning methods, media and intellectual capacities. As culture and language are inseparable, this course also introduces English idioms and offers their cultural connections. Through this course students are encouraged to reflect on their communication and teamwork-abilities in cross-cultural situations in both daily and business-related environments so as to develop the ability to adapt appropriately in the international community.

Other Information

- ✧ All courses are 3 credit hours (5 or 6 ECTS)
- ✧ Other foreign language classes in Chinese, Russian & English may be available depending on level. For specific inquiries, contact global@anyang.ac.kr .
- ✧ All students must participate in the iChat program as part of the Cross Cultural Communication Practicum course
- ✧ Minimum enrollment: 4 courses (12 credits)
- ✧ Maximum enrollment 6 courses (18 credits)
- ✧ TCSL students from MCU will participate as Teaching Interns
- ✧ Add/Drop period is within the first week of the semester
- ✧ Courses subject to change according to minimum student enrollment