

Course Title 科目名	Interpersonal Communication B 対人コミュニケーションB			Instructor 担当者	MIYAHARA, Akira 宮原 哲		
Semester 学期	Spring 2023	Course Level 履修年次	N/A	Credits 単位	2	hrs/wks 時間数/週	2
【Course Objectives: 授業の到達目標】							
People's interpersonal communication and relationships are manifestation of their cultural values and norms. Given the diversity of their cultural assumptions and expectations, people's communication vary also. This course offers the students opportunities to view their own interpersonal communication in contrast to that of their present host culture, i.e., Japan. The students will be able to identify primary characteristics of their own interpersonal communication in relation to those typically employed by their Japanese counterparts, and understand the underlying cultural features.							
【Course Summary: 授業の概要】							
This course invites international as well as Japanese students to be enrolled, and actively discuss their interpersonal communication. The main topics will include language, nonverbal communication, perception, listening, self-disclosure, and conflict in such contexts as family, friendship, romantic relationships, education, business, CMC (computer mediated communication), and health. The instructor will lecture half of each class, and the other half will be spend on student discussions and presentations. Some guest speakers will be invited to speak about their experiences related to communication issues in the various contexts.							
【Study Required outside Class (Preparation etc): 事前・事後学習】							
As the student's curiosity, observation, and interview skills play an important role in successful completion of the course, each student is expected to spend a fair amount of time outside of class collecting and reviewing information and data they will collect on their own. Extensive reading is required also.							
【Class Outline: 授業計画(各回の授業内容)】							
Session 1	Class orientation: What is interpersonal communication?						
Session 2	Fundamentals of human communication						
Session 3	Communication and identity						
Session 4	Perception and interpersonal communication						
Session 5	Verbal interpersonal communication						
Session 6	Nonverbal interpersonal communication						
Session 7	Foundations of personal relationships						
Session 8	Persuasion						
Session 9	Interpersonal conflict						
Session 10	Interpersonal communication in family						
Session 11	Interpersonal communication and friendship						
Session 12	Interpersonal communication and romantic relationship						
Session 13	Interpersonal communication through social media						
Session 14	Interpersonal communication in medical context						
【Textbooks, Course Materials: 教科書、参考書等】							
Wood, J. T. (2017). <i>Interpersonal communication: Everyday encounters</i> (8th ed.). Boston, MA: Cengage. (E-book available at the Seinan library)							
【Grading Criteria: 成績評価の方法】							
Discussion & Observation reports..... 40%							
Presentations..... 30%							
Mid-term and Final exams..... 30%							
【Note: 履修上の注意】							