



**Academic writing and self-expression (Y-112)**  
(AKADEEMILINE KIRJUTAMINE JA ENESEVÄLJENDUS)

**SUBJECT DESCRIPTION**

<b>Credits (ECTS)</b>	3.00 ECTS
<b>Assessment</b>	pass/fail
<b>Aim of the subject and short description</b>	
<p>This course gives an overview of essence of academic writing and teaches to understand and write academic texts of your own (including resumes, theoretical part and discussion, connections between theoretical and empirical part). It gives an overview of basics of oral and written self-expression. Speech skills, composition of message, presentation process, establishing contact with audience. Official and personal style. Body language. Oral and written language and their usage differences. Official letters. Slang in oral and written speech. Titles. Homework related to lectures and individual work in the classroom. Role plays, problem situations. Presentations.</p>	
<b>Learning outcomes:</b>	
Student:	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Follows the conventions of academic writing</li><li>2. Knows the composition principles of different academic texts</li><li>3. Uses a referencing system</li><li>4. Analyses mistakes made by themselves and others in various public speaking situations</li><li>5. Prepares and presents speeches</li></ol>	

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