

Module Title:	French IV
Credits:	10
NFQ Level:	8
Module Delivered In	3 programme(s)
Teaching & Learning Strategies:	Lectures; problem-solving exercises - student will work as part of a team and will work together to resolve various business scenarios through French. Class Discussion/Debate - Students will be encouraged to actively participate in the class sessions which will develop their analytical and communication skills. E-Learning - It is envisaged that the module will be supported with on-line learning materials. Self-Directed Independent Learning - the emphasis on independent learning will develop a strong and autonomous work and learning practices.
Module Aim:	The module aims to develop the students' written and oral expression in a professional context. This module aims to introduce LSP (language for specific purpose) in the students' own fields of study. It aims to provide students with vocabulary/expression relevant to their chosen specialist area. The students will be introduced to more advanced grammar structures and written expression.

Learning Outcomes	
<i>On successful completion of this module the learner should be able to:</i>	
LO1	Analyse a job advertisement and accurately write a letter of application.
LO2	Summarise in his/her own words selected pieces of written/spoken French.
LO3	Demonstrate his/her interview skills through mock job interviews in the language.
LO4	Present and defend orally a specialized topic in their area of study.
LO5	Utilise a more extensive specialized vocabulary relevant to their particular area of study.
LO6	Display an accomplished understanding of French grammatical structures.

Pre-requisite learning
Module Recommendations <i>This is prior learning (or a practical skill) that is recommended before enrolment in this module.</i>
No recommendations listed
Incompatible Modules <i>These are modules which have learning outcomes that are too similar to the learning outcomes of this module.</i>
No incompatible modules listed
Co-requisite Modules
No Co-requisite modules listed
Requirements <i>This is prior learning (or a practical skill) that is mandatory before enrolment in this module is allowed.</i>
No requirements listed

Module Content & Assessment

Indicative Content

1. General Language Skills:

Studying job advertisements; drafting and presenting a CV in French; writing a letter of application; summarising a variety of articles and texts; composing a short piece of writing on a current issue in France; business case studies and scenarios.

2. Oral and Listening Skills:

Presenting and defending orally a specialised topic; expressing opinion and judgement; talking about current affairs in France; understanding authentic speech; engaging in conversation; presenting a presentation (10 mins); role plays.

3. Grammar/Use of French:

Grammar topics studied should include: pluperfect; advanced expressions of time/logical reasoning; expressions of intent, opposition, restriction and concession.

4. Business and Commercial French:

Business vocabulary (from a range of departments and functions - personnel functions, production issues, marketing, purchasing, finance, insurance); writing up the minutes of a meeting; mock interviews (preparing and answering questions); idioms and expressions relating to business/work in French.

Assessment Breakdown	%
Continuous Assessment	50.00%
End of Module Formal Examination	50.00%

Continuous Assessment

Assessment Type	Assessment Description	Outcome addressed	% of total	Assessment Date
Oral Examination/Interview	French Oral Presentation/Interview	2,4,5,6	20.00	Sem 2 End
Other	Class-based assessments and assignments	1,2,3,4,5,6	30.00	n/a

No Project

No Practical

End of Module Formal Examination

Assessment Type	Assessment Description	Outcome addressed	% of total	Assessment Date
Formal Exam	End-of-Semester Final Examination	1,2,5,6	50.00	End-of-Semester

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Module Workload

Workload: Full Time		
<i>Workload Type</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Average Weekly Learner Workload</i>
Lecturer Supervised Learning	Every Week	3.00
Independent Learning Time	Every Week	4.00
Total Hours		7.00

Workload: Part Time		
<i>Workload Type</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Average Weekly Learner Workload</i>
Lecture	Every Week	1.50
Independent Learning Time	Every Week	5.50
Total Hours		7.00

Module Delivered In

Programme Code	Programme	Semester	Delivery
CW_BBSCM_B	Bachelor of Business (Honours) in Supply Chain Management	6	Group Elective 1
CW_BBSCM_B	Bachelor of Business (Honours) in Supply Chain Management	8	Elective
CW_BBSCM_D	Bachelor of Business in Supply Chain Management	6	Group Elective 1