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Course Nº:	SP - 402
Course Title:	Theory & Practice of Translation : Commercial, Economic, Journalistic and Technical Texts
Credits:	4
Level:	A
Hours per week:	4

Mode of Evaluation

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| - Three sessionals (all compulsory) | : | 50% |
| - End Semester Exam | : | 50% |

Objectives

- The course is meant to familiarize students with theoretical and professional aspects related to translation of mainly technical, legal, journalistic and commercial texts.

Suggested Contents

Part – I (Theory) – 50%

- The translation profession. Its antecedents and current status.
- The concept of translation.
- Problems of translation.
- Conference translation.
- Role of translator in international conferences.
- Types of documents used in international conferences and their translation.
- Techniques and tools of trade: Reference works, dictionaries, glossaries, terminology, abbreviations and acronyms.
- Information Technology and translation.

Part – II (Practice) – 50%

- Translation of different types of texts, grades according to degree of difficulty, from Spanish into English and vice versa, and analysis thereof.

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e-Learning:



Spanish	Paper Number	6	Paper Title	Español de negocios		
	Total Modules	35	Each module consists of Text, Video, Test and Know More sections			
	e-Text	3,000 to 3500 words	Self-Learn	Self-Assessment	Know More	
			Lecture by Faculty (video)	Online Test	Other useful links	
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Primary Reading List

- García Yebra, *Teoría y práctica de la traducción*, Gredos, Madrid
- Nida, E.A., *Towards a Science of Translating*, Leiden, E.J.Brill
- Bakaya, R.M., *Some Problems of Translation Theory and Practice*, Monograph, CRS, JNU
- Nida, E.A. & Taber, C., *The Theory & Practice of Translation*, Leiden E.J.Brill.

Manual/Handouts

Customized manual/handouts have been prepared and can be obtained in the class.