

## Russian: Oral Skills (A703079)

**Course size** *(nominal values; actual values may depend on programme)*

**Credits 3.0**

**Study time 90 h**

**Course offerings and teaching methods in academic year 2024-2025**

A (semester 2)

Dutch, Russian

Gent

practical

independent work

**Lecturers in academic year 2024-2025**

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lecturer-in-charge

**Offered in the following programmes in 2024-2025**

Bachelor of Arts in Applied Language Studies: a combination of at least two languages (main subject Dutch, English, Russian)

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offering

3

A

Bachelor of Arts in Applied Language Studies: a combination of at least two languages (main subject Dutch, French, Russian)

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Bachelor of Arts in Applied Language Studies: a combination of at least two languages (main subject Dutch, German, Russian)

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Linking Course Master of Arts in Multilingual Communication: a combination of at least two languages

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A

Linking Course Master of Arts in Translation: a combination of at least two languages

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A

Preparatory Course Master of Arts in Interpreting: a combination of at least two languages

3

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Preparatory Course Master of Arts in Multilingual Communication: a combination of at least two languages

3

A

Preparatory Course Master of Arts in Translation: a combination of at least two languages

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**Teaching languages**

Russian, Dutch

**Keywords**

Russian; Oral skills

**Position of the course**

"Russian : Oral Skills" (R3MV) aims to practice various types of listening skills and teach students how to structure thoughts and orally convey them in an adequate and fluent way. They are familiarized with cultural aspects of oral skills in Russian and learn to use specific heuristic tools.

**Contents**

"Russian : Oral Skills" (R3MV) is ordered thematically : a new theme or text genre is introduced every second class. The main focus is on language proficiency, both on the lexical and grammatical level.

**Initial competences**

The final objectives of the different Russian study units of the second bachelor year.

**Final competences**

- 1 Having a command of Dutch at professional native speaker level in terms of oral skills. [B.1.1.; assessed]
- 2 Having a command of Russian at B2+ level of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages for comprehension (listening) and oral skills (production and interaction) [B.1.2.; assessed]
- 3 Taking into account intercultural relations and differences in the interpretation and oral production in the foreign language. [B.1.5.; assessed]

- 4 Taking into account intercultural relations and differences in the oral translation of texts. [B.1.5. = B.3.1.; assessed]
- 5 Applying a broad knowledge of several social areas to the oral production of texts [B.1.8.; assessed]
- 6 Reformulating texts with the aim of improving its reproduction and understanding in Dutch or Russian. [B.6.1.; assessed]
- 7 Actively participating in a conversation / simple discussion in Russian on various general topics with a correct pronunciation and a correct use of language appropriate to the purpose, target group and medium. [B.6.3.; assessed]
- 8 Expressing themselves in a way that is appropriate to the purpose, target group and medium [B.6.3.; assessed]

#### **Conditions for credit contract**

Access to this course unit via a credit contract is determined after successful competences assessment

#### **Conditions for exam contract**

This course unit cannot be taken via an exam contract

#### **Teaching methods**

Practical, Independent work

#### **Extra information on the teaching methods**

Practical: in the language lab

Guided self-study: students receive individual feedback on the audio recordings made in the language lab.

#### **Study material**

Type: Syllabus

Name: Exercises and texts

Indicative price: € 5

Optional: no

Type: Handouts

Name: Handouts

Indicative price: Free or paid by faculty

Optional: no

Available on Ufora : Yes

#### **References**

Родимкина А., Ландсман Н. (2011) *Россия день за днём*. СПб: Златоуст

Шуников В.Л. (2012) *Говорит и показывает Россия*. Москва: Русский язык. Курсы

#### **Course content-related study coaching**

Individual support after classes or on demand.

Handing in of audio recordings with collective and individual feedback.

#### **Assessment moments**

end-of-term assessment

#### **Examination methods in case of periodic assessment during the first examination period**

Oral assessment

#### **Examination methods in case of periodic assessment during the second examination period**

Oral assessment

#### **Examination methods in case of permanent assessment**

#### **Possibilities of retake in case of permanent assessment**

not applicable

#### **Extra information on the examination methods**

Oral exam (100 %)

Second session: same

#### **Calculation of the examination mark**

See heading 'Extra information on the examination methods'

**Facilities for Working Students**

- Exemption from class attendance is possible.  
Examinations cannot be re-scheduled.  
Feedback on request.

**Addendum**

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