

SPRING 2017 COURSE

Methods of Teaching English Overseas

TSL 4362

MW: 12:30-1:45

Have you ever considered teaching English overseas? Are you interested in the role of English worldwide and its use for international communication? In this class you will learn about the principles and practices of teaching English as an international language. Additionally, we'll discuss how teaching English overseas is influenced by cultural, economic, educational, institutional, and social contexts. By the end of the course you will be familiar with varieties of English used around the world, including English as a Lingua Franca, and how to critically evaluate the methods used to teach English in various contexts. You will also learn about becoming a professional in the field of English Language Teaching (ELT) including where to find job advertisements for overseas teaching positions, how to prepare your application materials, and how to prepare for an ELT job interview. This course is also cross-listed with LIN6932 so MA students are also welcome.

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