

## **BCEA COURSE DESCRIPTIONS**

### **SPAN425 Spanish for Business and Writing in Spanish (*for Intermediate and Advanced Levels Only*)**

Location: Hispanic Studies Center

Credits: 3

Schedule: TBA

Instructors: Professors from the University of Barcelona

Course/Lab Fee: None

(For intermediate to advanced students only - Level B)

#### **Course Description**

Format: This course consists of two parts as separate short courses (20 hours each) taught at the University of Barcelona Hispanic Studies Center. This particular course is offered only to students at Level B.

#### **Objectives Unit 1: Spanish for Business**

This course is an introduction to the world of business and economics through specific texts, newspaper articles, and documents which provide an approach to the specialized vocabulary and grammatical structures coming from each area. Specially designed comprehension and expression activities also prepare the students to interact in real situations such as debates, demonstrations and simulations.

#### **Objectives Unit 2: Writing in Spanish**

as its title suggests, the course "Writing in Spanish" focuses on the acquisition of strategies for building and writing texts of different types, with an emphasis on processes of planning, composition and revision. This course is designed for foreigners at an intermediate-advanced to advanced level of Spanish.