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Our ESL classes are designed for high-intermediate to advanced English language learners to assist in developing linguistic confidence in personal, professional, and academic English skills. Design your own schedule and enroll in as many or as few classes as you would like. Courses listed as I and II can be taken in any order.

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### WRITING & GRAMMAR SKILLS

**Academic Writing**
Improve accuracy in writing mechanics, all areas of grammar, and the essentials of effective writing style and organization. Lectures will instruct you on writing summaries, abstracts, technical reports, and academic papers.

**Grammar and Editing**
Identify and correct common problems in writing, such as the usage of conjunctions, prepositions, and punctuation. Recognize and correct your own grammar errors and learn how to find the answers to specific, recurring grammar questions.

**Topics in Writing Mechanics**
Learn how to correct the most common punctuation errors in English writing, including the use of commas, semicolons, apostrophes, hyphens, dashes, capital letters, and more.

### PRONUNCIATION SKILLS

**Accent Modification Seminar**
Learn the importance of pausing, stress, linking, and pitch. Get useful tips on reducing your accent and self-study resources for the future.

**Pronunciation and Fluency**
By the end of the class, you will have gained awareness of your problem sounds, learned how to produce those sounds accurately, and understood how to continue refining your speech while strengthening overall confidence.

### MEDICAL ENGLISH

**Medical English I**
Learn vocabulary associated with respiratory, musculoskeletal, and endocrine systems.

**American Idioms and Slang for Fluency I**
Learn roughly 50 common idiom and slang terms.

### CONVERSATION & SPEAKING SKILLS

**Mastering Your Public Speaking Skills**
Learn how to increase your comfortability, confidence, and stage presence when speaking in public. By practicing how to solve specific speech problems, such as speaking too quickly, too softly, or too indescribably, you will identify your own weaknesses and learn how to use various strategies to become a more articulate and successful speaker.

**Building Oral Communication Skills Through Current Events**
Through a variety of media sources, genres, and topics, you will learn controversial strategies to initiate and maintain discussions about current events and news occurring in the local and global communities.

**Communicating Professionally in Business Settings**
Dynamically engage your colleagues and customer base with inspired content, effective visual aids, appropriate body language, and clear pronunciation. Learn strategies for leading professional meetings, speaking at conferences and seminars, and managing breakout sessions.

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Delivery Method Descriptions:
- **Online** = Class will be entirely online and asynchronous. Students will work at their own pace to complete the required weekly coursework. There will be no required virtual class meetings although instructors may choose to hold optional virtual meetings for students to attend.
- **Live Online** = Class will meet online via Zoom on the days and times listed. Students must attend the weekly online class meetings. There will also be required asynchronous work for students to complete independently.
- **In-Person** = Class meetings will be held at our La Jolla Extension Campus. Students must physically attend in-person class meetings. There will also be required asynchronous work for students to complete independently.

IMPORTANT! Please note that due to COVID-19 all courses are subject to changes and cancellations. If a course delivery method is changed or a course is cancelled, students will be notified via email.