

SCSU-WSU TESOL CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

WOOSONG UNIVERSITY AND ST. CLOUD STATE UNIVERSITY

ABOUT US

Woosong University's TESOL-MALL program is the oldest TESOL degree program in Korea.

We provide practical and in-depth training for novice and experienced teachers of English as a foreign language (EFL). Our international faculty represents a wide variety of perspectives from many different countries through their degrees and training in Australia, England, Korea, and the United States.

All of our primary faculty hold doctoral degrees and have taught on or taught students from six of the world's seven continents.

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Our certificate program is designed with three purposes in mind.

First, novice teachers can gain added TESOL-specific training and the qualifications necessary to become and remain an assistant English teacher in the public schools through our 150 hour face-to-face training program designed to meet Korean Ministry of Education standards.

Second, experienced English teachers can reenergize their enthusiasm for teaching English and develop new skills in the hottest and most effective teaching methodologies like teaching English through English, communicative language teaching, and extensive reading.

Finally, our program provides additional certification for university professor teaching specific content with English as the medium of instruction as well those teaching English language in general.

OUR PROGRAM'S HIGHLIGHTS

- *Respected certification:* Our Woosong/SCSU TESOL certificate will raise your qualifications regardless of where you choose to work. The certificate will help you to gain and hold your position in this competitive market. We specifically meet the requirements for assistant English teachers in the public schools, and those of many universities.
- *Upgradability:* Additionally, certificate program students can transfer some of their coursework and continue studying to complete an MATESOL degree through TESOL-MALL and become qualified to teach English at the university level.
- *Flexibility:* Choose between the 3-month intensive and the regular 9-month extensive program to best meet your time needs and weekly schedule, and choose the elective courses that best meet your goals and needs.
- *Time and cost effectiveness:* You can finish the program in three months in order to get started on your career advancement with most our economical program.
- *Open doors to advanced study:* Many TESOL-MALL graduates have gone on to complete advanced graduate degrees, including PhDs, at top universities: including Penn State University, McGill University, Kyunghee University, Chungnam University, and the University of Queensland.
- *Open doors to dream jobs:* TESOL-MALL graduates have also gone on to attain excellent positions at esteemed institutions in Japan, the United States, China, Saudi Arabia, and other Middle Eastern countries, as well as famous Korean universities like KAIST, Dankook, and Chungbuk.

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COURSE OUTLINE

	Intensive Course (3 month)	Extensive Course (9 month)
Course periods	March – June or September – December (15 weeks each)	March – December
Total time	150 hours (135 face to face course + 15 online course)	
Schedule	- Three face to face lessons a week - One weekend / online lesson	- One face to face lesson a week - One weekend / online lesson - 4 days a week for summer intensive class (Monday - Thursday)

COURSE GUIDE

	Intensive course (3 months) Three courses in one semester	Extensive course (9 months) One course each for three semesters
Required courses (45 hours each)	- Issues in TESOL (Wednesday) - Curriculum and materials development (Thursday)	- Issues in TESOL - Teaching ESL/EFL or Curriculum and materials development
Elective course (45 hours)	Select from the list below	
Practicum course (15 hours)	One weekend or online	One weekend or online - in your last semester

ELECTIVE COURSES

- Globalization, World Englishes, Social Justice, & ELT
- Literature and Film in TESOL Education
- Media Technology in Education
- Design & Development of Interactive Multimedia Instructional
- Writing for Academic Purposes
- Critical Sociolinguistics
- Language and the Brain
- Introduction to Research
- Cultural Studies in TESL/TEFL
- Analysis & Evaluation of Multimedia in Education
- Network Based Language Learning & Teaching

PRACTICUM COURSE

This course is a student-teaching course in which students can engage in field teaching in schools for a semester to experience the dynamics of classroom interaction.

COSTS

- Application fee: 30,000 KRW
- Tuition: 2,000,000 KRW [10% discount for public school teachers]

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