



UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI TORINO

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Visiting Professor Program Academic year 2022/2023

TEACHING COMMITMENT: 36 hours

COURSE TITLE

TEACHING ITALIAN AS A FOREIGN LANGUAGE

TEACHING PERIOD

1st term

SCIENTIFIC AREA

Educational linguistics

LANGUAGE USED TO TEACH

Italian

COURSE SUMMARY

Students will revise the morphological and syntactic features of the Italian Language in order to be able to teach them.

They will be introduced to ICT tools for Italian and will be introduced to main types of teaching methodologies both for morphosyntactic and lexical issues. A focus on learner corpora (eg. VALICO www.valico.org) will be also provided to reach such goals.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- a) To clearly understand the role of the teacher (in plurilingual classes, with adult learners, abroad or in Italy);
- b) To be able to design exercises (multiple choice, multiple selection, cloze, scrambled texts, matching, puzzles) and learn to judge whether exercises proposed in textbooks are suitable for a certain class;
- c) To be able to discern possible causes of errors (interference of L1 or other languages, analogy, etc);
- d) To be able to explain linguistic features (and errors) to students;

e) To find and use proficiently specialised literature.

TUTORSHIP ACTIVITIES

N/A

LAB ACTIVITIES

N/A

OTHER ACTIVITIES BESIDES THE COURSE

N/A

VISITING PROFESSOR PROFILE

The visiting professor should be experienced in teaching Italian as a foreign language; have experience in general teaching methodologies and good practices; know SLA findings and research; be familiar with the possible uses of learner corpora and DDL in language teaching and learning.

CONTACT PERSON AT THE DEPARTMENT

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