

CMN 199: Oral/Written Applied Communication for International Students

A practical skills course for navigating academic and social situations at UIUC and beyond...

8 weeks, 1 credit hour

2 Sections Available for Spring 2015 Registration

CRN 50576 Monday 3:00 – 4:50PM (January 26 – March 9) CRN 50577 Monday 3:00 – 4:50PM (March 16 – May 4) Course meeting location TBA

To receive permission to register for this course, please contact Laura Gallant: gallant2@illinois.edu

This course emphasizes specific communication strategies and skills.

This is not an ESL course.

Topics to be studied and discussed in this course include:

- Building friendships with domestic American students, including "small talk" and popular topics of conversation
- Discussing real campus experiences and learning communication strategies to make these experiences even more meaningful and effective
- Speaking with confidence inside and outside the classroom for group projects, professional networking situations, or campus clubs
 - Decoding professor's expectations for classroom work, assignments and office hours
 - Learning about campus culture and traditions!