

## **General Translation Course – where and when**

### **The regular course**

Due to uncertainty about the further course of the corona crisis, there will unfortunately be no regular Dutch-English / English-Dutch General Translation Course in the 2020-2021 season.

This means that the next regular Dutch-English / English-Dutch General Translation Course – if there are sufficient enrolments – will not start again until September 2021. (The correspondence version of the course can be started at any time).

A general information evening is held at Erich Salomonstraat 525, 1087 GT Amsterdam on Wednesday 15 September 2021 (start time: 6.30 p.m. The first class of the regular course is scheduled for Wednesday night 22 September 2021. The course is held on Wednesday nights from 6.30 p.m. to 10.00 p.m. (The regular course will only start if there are sufficient – i.e. at least 4 – students.) The final class will be held, in principle, on Wednesday 8 June 2022.

### **Course dates**

- Wednesday 15 September 2021 – Information night (6.30 p.m. – about 8.30 p.m.)
- Wednesday 22 September 2021 – Date 1st regular class (6.30 p.m. – 10.00)
- Wednesday 8 June 2022 – Final class of the regular course (6.30 – 10.00 p.m.)

N.B. The vacation schedule of the North Netherlands region is applicable.

### **Enrolment**

If you wish, you can enrol for the regular course on the aforesaid information evening, but you can also reserve a place by returning a completed enrolment form by transferring the EUR 50 enrolment fee; the latter can be wise because of the limited number of students that can be admitted.

If you need additional information, or wish to make an appointment for a personal introductory meeting, you may contact us by telephone.

### **The Correspondence Course**

You can start the Dutch-English / English-Dutch General Translation Correspondence Course at any time. The start date is the first Wednesday (which does not fall in the vacation period) after the completion of the administrative formalities (submission and receipt of the enrolment form, receipt and transfer of the enrolment fee, confirmation of the enrolment and transfer/receipt of the course fee). The same vacation periods apply to both the correspondence and the regular course.

For the correspondence course, the students should submit by email the theoretical and translation assignments. In the following week these will be returned with comments and

suggestions. Any additional questions may also be asked by email. The model translations and the other course material are sent per email to the student. Those who wish to enrol for the correspondence version should specify this on the enrolment form under 'name of the course'.

As far as the pace of the course is concerned: precisely because many students of the correspondence course may have busy work elsewhere, the course structure allows the student to determine their own pace. This means that it is no problem if a student fails to send in an assignment every week. A student may take longer to complete the programme. However, the course of 33 assignments must be completed in any event within two years (70 teaching weeks). If the programme is not completed within these two years, the unfinished part of the course programme may be completed upon payment of a proportional fee.

## **The Course Location**



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