



Award in English for the Energy Sector

★ MQF/EQF Level 5

★ Course Start Date: 27th May 2024

Our Mission & Values

EXCELLENCE

Excellence is the hallmark of all Ascencia Malta's educational programmes. Our programmes are homegrown, officially accredited by the Malta Further and Higher Education Authority, and designed to put our learners at the centre of their learning. We recruit from among the most talented professionals on the island to give our learners the benefit of first-hand industry experience combined with leading-edge pedagogies.

ACCESSIBILITY

We strive to ensure that Ascencia Malta is an open to youths from all walks of life who might aspire to take their academic or professional careers to the next level. We prioritise dedication and ambition far above background or origins, as we believe these qualities drive personal growth and shape the leaders of the future.

LEARNER-CENTREDNESS

To ensure that the ambitions of each individual are not only recognised but celebrated, we are proud to afford our learners individual attention in the classroom. Here, they will find training courses founded on participatory pedagogies and based on the value of concrete examples, real-world engagement, and constant exchange between learners and practitioners. Outside the classroom, we follow learners' progress closely and they know that our doors are open at any time for them to come and present their dream projects or to seek our practical advice.

Why Malta as a study destination

1. **Cultural Immersion** in a vibrant Mediterranean context
2. **Proficiency in the English language**, one of Malta's two native languages
3. **Globally Recognised Quality Education** with unbeatable affordability
4. **Travel and Leisure**, an ideal staycation and a base for exploring the rest of Europe
5. **International Networking** inside a truly global community of students, professionals, and entrepreneurs
6. **Business-Friendly Environment** in a country that actively promotes innovation, entrepreneurship, and emerging industries
7. **Career Prospects** thanks to employers who value versatility and agility
8. **Personal Growth**, self-discovery and independence as the side-effects of the study-abroad experience

AWARD TITLE	STUDY-UNITS COVERED	NUMBER OF ECTS	TOTAL DURATION OF AWARD	TOTAL HOURS OF LESSONS	TOTAL HOURS OF TUTORIALS/ WORKSHOPS	TOTAL SELF-STUDY HOURS
Award in English for the Energy Sector	• Energy	1 ECTS	2 Weeks (full-time, consecutive)	20 Hours	N. A.	2 Hours

Description

Get a bird's-eye view of the energy sector and its impact on business operations, and in the meantime learn the language in common use throughout this sector. Experience through reading and listening tasks the challenges together with the opportunities facing businesses as they seek to optimise their energy usage, reduce costs, and increase sustainability. Accept the invitation to consider the role of energy in business decision-making, from supply chain management to product design and marketing. Talk about renewable energy sources, emerging trends and innovations in the energy sector, and participate in a case study that will allow you to weigh the banking sector's dilemma in continuing to invest in fossil fuel projects or not.

What will I be able to do after this Award?

SPEAKING

- o Touch base with team members using appropriate questions and answers to identifying the source of a problem and proposing a solution
- o Roleplay a problem-solving conversation in the roles of manager and team member and practise crisis management techniques, stages, phrases, and culturally different approaches
- o Participate in a summit between the World Bank, NGOs and the energy industry and debate the continued financing of fossil fuels
- o Structure arguments by stating an issue, stating the most important point, sequencing arguments, adding arguments to strengthen a point, conceding points, and concluding

LISTENING

- o Hone in on the problems raised in three sample dialogues and the phrases used to resolve them

READING

- o Employ awareness of textual structure to locate the correct summary for each paragraph, and to scan quickly for relevant detail
- o Analyse visual information from a curve graph and compare it with information gleaned from an article
- o Give data to defend comparisons drawn using signposting phrases as well as verbs, adjectives and adverbs that usually fall in connection with numbers and figures

VOCABULARY & ACCURACY

- o Understand the differences between conditionals then build mixed conditional sentences
- o Make notes to share with a partner about things planned in the past and not done, and something dreamt about but impossible to do now, using the third conditional

WRITING

- o Summarise points mentioned in an expert's talk and politely recommend follow-up action in an e-mail to company managers
- o Use tricks for lowering the word count in summaries
- o Outline a future energy policy the World Bank will be advised to adopt and flesh it out in a report