

## ALGONQU!N COLLEGE

# GIVE YOUR STAFF OR STUDENTS THE FULL-TIME IMMERSIVE TRAINING THEY NEED TO EXCEL AS ENGLISH AS SECOND/FOREIGN LANGUAGE TEACHERS

Partner with Algonquin College to provide your staff or students with full-time training in ESL/EFL methodology, teaching techniques, curriculum design and evaluation to successfully teach ESL/EFL at home or abroad.

Students gain essential hands-on experience by completing a minimum of 20 hours of practicum in their country of residence, as well as an optional teaching internship in Canada or abroad.

• Students gain immersive training and hands-on teaching experience in a Canadian educational setting

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• Students learn from the comfort of their own home country via synchronous online delivery

### An Innovative Leader in Education Training Algonquin College is internationally recognized for:

- World-class curriculum design and program quality
- Innovative use of technology online and in the classroom
- A focus on applied studies and hands-on skills development
- Global leadership in successful international program delivery









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## 30 Weeks of Comprehensive Training in English, ESL/EFL Teaching, Curriculum Development and Assessment Methods

THE PROGRAM CURRICULUM INCLUDES:

### Methodology in Teaching English as a Second/Foreign Language

Students identify the characteristics of the adult learner, examine historical and current methods in second language teaching, explore the contexts of adult learning and teaching, and become familiar with the basics of designing and implementing lesson plans.

#### **Language Learning and Culture**

Students critically explore how culture is reflected in language and discussing the relevance of their own and their students' culture for classroom teaching.

#### **Pedagogical Grammar**

Students develop a basic understanding of the form, function and use of grammar terminology and teaching methodologies in today's English language classroom.

#### **Introduction to Language and Language Acquisition**

Students gain a basic understanding of various systems within language, such as phonology, morphology, syntax, and semantics, as well as psychological, social and historical aspects of language.

#### **Practicum**

Students observe an adult EFL classroom in their country of residence and participate in the teaching process to enhance their understanding of teaching techniques in a field placement setting.

#### **Assessment and Evaluation in Second Language Teaching**

Students learn the basic principles, procedures and techniques of assessing ESL students' language proficiency and explore alternative methods of evaluating language proficiency.

#### **Adult Literacy and Beginner ESL**

Students use appropriate techniques and develop curricula for Adult Literacy programs and for beginner levels of ESL. Topics include the teaching of basic skills in reading, writing and survival communication to beginner learners.

#### **Teaching Reading and Writing**

Students develop a greater understanding of ESL teaching methodologies by the adoption of techniques and strategies for integrating all language skills for the purposes of teaching Reading and Writing.

#### **Teaching Listening, Speaking and Pronunciation**

Students enhance their understanding of ESL teaching methodologies by adopting techniques and strategies for integrating all language skills for the purposes of teaching Listening and Speaking.

#### **Educational Technology in Second Language Teaching**

Students develop an initial understanding of how to use technology in the ESL classroom. By critically evaluating their fit with various educational technologies, students enhance their knowledge of teaching methodologies.

#### **Curriculum Development in English for Specific Purposes**

Students develop a further understanding of ESL teaching methodologies through the exploration of current teaching contexts in English for Specific Purposes (ESP) and participate in the development of ESP curricula for existing language programs in Canada and abroad.

#### Why Choose Algonquin?

With over 175 programs, 20,000 full time students, and three vibrant campuses in the Ottawa region, Algonquin is one of Canada's largest colleges. We are a global leader in developing programs that use alternative and innovative training methods, and are internationally renowned for delivering world-class training with a focus on both theoretical learning and real-world applied skills development. We have extensive experience in delivering high-quality training internationally, including in China, India, Montenegro, Tanzania, Thailand, Kuwait, and Saudi Arabia.

#### **Explore How We Can Work Together**

We would love to discuss how we can work with you to help your faculty deliver the best possible ESL/EFL learning experience to your students.

To speak with us in person, please email International Education Centre Executive Director Ernest Mulvey at mulveye@algonquincollege.com or call 613 727 4723 ext. 5017

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