NHA TRANG UNIVERSITY

Faculty of Food Technology

Department of Post-harvest Technology

COURSE SYLLABUS

1. Course information:

- Name: ENGLISH for POSTHARVEST TECHNOLOGY

- Vietnamese name: TIÉNG ANH CHUYÊN NGÀNH CÔNG NGHỆ SAU THU HOẠCH

- Code:

Credit: 2 (2-0); Level: Bachelor degreePrerequisite course: English 1; English 2

2. Contact

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3. Course description

This course is intended for students who are studying in Post-harvest Technology targeted in success in English ability for their future careers. In this course, students are developed English ability such as reading, understanding and discussing by using scientific journals, books or videos of processing lines from factories. Students can be improved their oral skills by summary the knowledge from texts/ processes, describe briefly and debat them in front of other students/ teacher.

4. Objectives:

The objectives of this course are to meet the professional needs of learners in postharvest technology field. Graduate students are expected to be confident in English when applying for a job or working during their early years.

5. Expected Learning Outcomes:

After completing the course, students can:

- a. Improve their knowledge of general vocabulary as well as specialized English in postharvest technology
- b. Develop awareness of areas of grammar and language structure that are particularly relevant to written discourse in their area of specialization.
- c. Understand the professional knowledge through academic articles or practical processes from factories

d. Build on general and professional oral communication skills with particular reference to the knowledge and insights gained from their reading.

6. Contents:

No.	Topics	Learning	Hours	No.	Teaching	Student
		outcom			methods	Activities
1	Text one : Post-Harvest Physiology and	a, b	6		Task based	Total physical
	Postharvest losses				learning	response
	- Develop knowledge of general vocabulary					
	and specialized phases by the on this text					Prepare small
	- Learn the sentence structures, linking				ive approach	draft papers
	markers, tense, and ways of decribing					
	practical activities in post-harvest					
	technology					
2	Text two: Chilling and Freezing storage of	a, b	6		Situational	Discuss
	horticultural crops					and do
	Improve understanding the contents of this text				8	exercises
	by briefly description, and write an academic				approach	
	summary.					
3	Movie 1: Food Packaging	c, d	6		Audio	Discuss and
	Develop oral skills by listening the movie,	,			Lingual	sumarize the
	discussing with others and writing down the				method	protocol
	protocol of food packaging base on the video.					
4	Text 3: Harmful Organism to Postharvest	b,c	6		Direct	Translation
	Agricultural Products	,			methods	
	Develop understanding and writing the				Communicat	
	academic knowledge from this text by				ive approach	
	summarizing in notes the professional					
5	Series of photos about Harvesting,	a,b,c,d	6		Silent way	Bing some
	Preservation and Processing of fruits and					food packges
	vegetables				Grammar	or food
	Developing the communication skills by				translation	images
	debating the photos.					Play games
	Writing full processing line about harvesting,					
	preservation and processing of fruits and					
	vegetables from these nictures					

7. References:

			Year	Publishe		Obje	ective
No.	Authors	Book	Teur	r	Resources	Mai n	Referen ce
1	Bùi Đức Hợi	Từ điển Thực phẩm Anh-Việt	1986	КНКТ	Library	mater	X
2	John Brett Golding, Boca Raton :	Advances in postharvest fruit and vegetable technology	2015, 392p	CRC Press, Taylor & Francis Group	Library	х	
3	Elhadi M. Yahia	Postharvest biology and technology of tropical and subtropical fruits. Volume 1: Fundamental isues.	2011, 500p	Oxford; Woodhe ad Pub.,	Library	X	
4	Geoffrey C.	Handeling and preservation of fruit and vegetables by combined methods for rural areas		FAO	Library	X	

5	Andrew W.	Quality anf safety in	2006	FAO	Library	X
	Shepherd	the traditional				
		horticultural				
		marketing chains of				
6	Jennyland B.	Processing of fresh-	2010	FAO	Library	X
	James and	cut tropical fruits				
	Tipvanna	and vegetables				
	Ngarmsak					
7	Dennis S.	Pests of stored	2002	FAO	Library	X
	Hill.	foodstuffs and their				
	Dordreht	control				

8. Requirements: Students need to read and meet requirements written in the lecture before attanding class.

9. Assessment:

a. Middle test

Term	Lession	Test	Contents subjects	Outcomes
1	2,3	Grammar, reading	2,3,4	b,c
2	4,5,6	Listening, writing, speaking	2, 3, 4, 5, 6	a→d

b. Assessment

No.	Activities	Learning outcomes	(%)
1	Full class participation	a,b,c,d	5
2	Active in group working	a,b,c,d	15
3	Learning attitude	a,b,c,d	5
4	Mid-term test	a,b,c,d	25
5	Final test	a,b,c,d	50

Lecturer

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