

OSGS プログラム 2022 年度前期講義テーマ “More Than Words”

The OSGSP participants will work on a project called “More Than Words” with University of Findlay students. Saitama and Findlay students will be introduced to intercultural communication strategies based on the theme of *More Than Words*. The class will look at how culture impacts communication, and explore how language is not the only barrier preventing effective communication. Understanding cultural norms will help to guide communication. The class will focus on *Hofstede’s Cultural Dimensions* theory. Each student will be assigned one cultural dimension to research and report.

スケジュール①／講義（白）とアクティビティ（緑）

No.	Date	Content
1	Aug 25 (Th) 8:30-10:00 pm	Introductions, meet your partners, course overview, Zoom features, lecture on Hofstede dimension
2	Sept 8 (Th) 8:30-10:00 pm	Mini-Presentation #1 , Reflections from interview with American students, Identifying trouble areas from interviews, CANVAS, speaking activities and initial assessments. Creating small talk with Americans, topics and taboos, cultural turn-taking, conducting research, value of outlining and using a process approach. <i>Select Hofstede dimension for research.</i>
3	Sept 17 (Sat) 8:30-9:30 am	Meet Friends around the world!!!
4	Sept 22 (Th) 8:30-10:00 pm	Mini Presentation #2 : Summarize Hofstede Dimension (informal) Students will share their experiences in Japan for each dimension, providing examples and possible talking points for their classmates to explore in their research. Comparing Japan and USA in Hofstede data.
5	Oct 6 (Th) 8:30-10:00 pm	Mini presentation #3 : Tell the class what your partner said regarding Hofstede dimension in USA. American culture in Hofstede. Balancing brevity with development when speaking, linear thinking, cohesion and coherence.
6	Oct 15 (Sat) 8:30-9:30 am	Meet American professionals!
7	Oct 20 (Th) 8:30-10:00 pm	Mini presentation #4 : Summarize what you learned from your interview with a professional. Platform techniques for presentations and verbal cues for presentations.
8	Nov 3 (Th) 8:30-10:00 pm	Creating professional-quality power point slides, interacting with visual aids, citing sources in speech.
9	Nov 17 (Th) 8:30-10:00 pm	Rehearsal for final presentation
10	Dec 1 (Th) 8:30-10:00 pm	Optional class – Workshop for final presentations.
11	Dec 4 (Sun) 8:30-10:00 am <US TIME> Dec 3 (Sat) 6:30-8:00 pm	OSGSP Symposium (Final Presentation)

◆スケジュール②／キャンパスツアー・成果報告会※実施時期はプログラム開始後に決定・お知らせします。

	時期	コンテンツ
12 13 14	上記講義・アクティビティの合間	フィンドレー大学生によるキャンパスツアー 埼玉県に関するプレゼンテーション 等
15	全プログラム終了後 2023年1月	県内での成果報告会(英語によるプレゼンテーション)