

Second Language Acquisition (SLA)

Each course includes personalized, flexible instruction in phonetics (pronunciation), foundations (framework for language learning), and language learning techniques (guided practice with a language helper). All learners receive unlimited free language learning support.

Course	Intended for...	Time Commitment & Cost
SLA for Beginning Learners	Pre-field or new-to-field learners planning to minister in heart language for 3+ years	6 weeks, 15-20 hours/week 12 weeks, 7-10 hours/week; ~100 hours total. \$1250
SLA for Continuing Learners	Intermediate/advanced learners looking to advance in language proficiency	6 weeks, 15-20 hours/week 12 weeks, 7-10 hours/week; ~100 hours total. \$1250
Introduction to Language Learning	Pre-field or new-to-field learners planning to minister in English but needing language for daily life.	3 weeks, 15-20 hours/week; 6 weeks, 7-10 hours/week; ~50 hours total. \$800
Jump-Start SLA	Pre-field or new-to-field learners with little time for language study or preparation.	1 week, 20 hours/week; 4 weeks, 5 hours/week; 20 hours total. \$300
Language Coaching Add-on	One year of on-field individual and group coaching calls. Add on to any course.	1-3 hours per month. \$400

Cross-Cultural Living & Ministry

For new and seasoned workers, this course provides a framework, tools, and activities to learn the host culture's patterns and values through videos, readings, and weekly video calls with an instructor. \$500 (\$100 discount if taken with SLA course). 11 weeks, 2-3 hours/week OR 4-5 weeks, 6-8 hours/week.

All courses are offered online and taught by instructors with M.A. degrees or higher in related fields and significant cross-cultural experience.

English Teacher Training

We offer 8 and 10-hour workshops and 30-hour courses in English as a second language (ESL) teaching for those working with English learners around the world. Discounts available for course alumni, multiple courses, early registration, and Wheaton College students.

Reach Out With English (ROWE) - 30 hours (one week)	Provides a strong foundation in ESL / EFL teaching and includes topics such as needs analysis, lesson planning, ESL methodology, materials selection, and more.	\$375-\$425
Grammar; Pronunciation - 30 hours	Offered over 10 weeks, with one 3-hour session per week.	\$375-\$425
Basics of Teaching ESL 101, 102, 103; Essentials of Teaching Vocabulary 401; Essentials of One-to-One ESL Teaching 402 - 8 hours each	Provide practical instruction on foundational topics for English teachers and volunteers. Basics 101, 102, and 103 can be combined (with 6 hours of additional work) for the 30-hour ROWE certificate.	\$95-\$115

Language Coaching Courses

Fully online noncredit courses offer practical preparation for helping cross-cultural workers to become more successful language and culture learners.

Foundations of Language Coaching	Practical instruction for new and experienced coaches. Prerequisite for other coaching courses. 10 modules over 5 weeks. \$300.	Jan. 9-Feb. 10; Feb. 27-Mar. 31; Apr. 17-May 19; June 5-July 7; Sept. 11-Oct. 13; Nov. 6-Dec. 8
Listen Up and Speak Out	Equips coaches to help learners at all levels develop listening and speaking skills. 15 modules over 5 weeks. \$325.	Mar. 20-Apr. 21; July 10-Aug. 11; Nov. 13-Dec. 15
Learner Assessment	Provides coaches with a variety of assessment procedures, including portfolios and oral assessment. for successful learners. 15 modules over 5 weeks. \$325.	Feb. 13-Mar. 17; July 24-Aug. 25

Ready to learn more? Schedule a free consultation with ICCT Director Dr. Natalie Mullen Leisher: icct@wheaton.edu