

# The EuroTeQ Engineer (November) - Intercultural competencies for working in multicultural teams

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**Subject area:** Language or culture course

<b>University:</b>	TUM
<b>Level:</b>	BA3, BA4, MA all years, PhD
<b>Teaching mode:</b>	completely online, at specific time
<b>Instructor(s):</b>	Birgit Nierhoff-King

## Short description

Future engineers are required to coordinate interdisciplinary projects and to collaborate with specialists from other domains. Successful engineering in a European context requires excellent intercultural communication skills and competences. In this workshop, students train intercultural agility, a crucial skill set for studying and working in a multicultural environment.

## Full description

<https://www.sprachenzentrum.tum.de/en/special-programs/intercultural-communication/>

## Learning outcomes

Awareness of how our mind set, values, attitudes and personal background shape the way in which we interact with others. Skills and tools to understand and analyse complex intercultural situations from a point of curiosity and openness to enable successful communication.

## General information

<b>Contact hours per week:</b>	6
<b>Total workload:</b>	25 (in student hours for the whole course)
<b>ECTS credits:</b>	1
<b>Language:</b>	English
<b>Course start date:</b>	21 November 2022
<b>Course end date:</b>	30 November 2022

**Add. info about start date:** The course takes place on Monday, Nov. 21 and Monday, Nov. 28 and on Wednesday, Nov. 23 and Wednesday, Nov. 30, 2022

**Weekly teaching day/time:** Monday and Wednesday from 4.00pm-6.30pm

**Time zone:** CET (Denmark, Germany, France, Netherlands, Switzerland, Czech Republic)

**Further information:**

**Prerequisites:** Good English skills (level B2 and higher)

**Activities and methods:** Seminars, Group work, Practices, Exercises

**Presence on campus:** not required

## Final examination

**Form:** written

**Date:** 30 November 2022

**Location/format:** online

**Re-sit possibility:** no

**Transcript available:** TUM will issue an official certificate indicating the number of ECTS, grade and workload instead of a transcript of records.

**Add. info/requirements:** no specific equipment required

## Registration

To register for this course, follow the registration requirements of your **home university** as specified here: [www.euroteq.eu/courses-registration](http://www.euroteq.eu/courses-registration).

## Administration

**Number of places:** 25

**Minimum participants:**

**Internal course code:** 220001KK04

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