NOVA COLLEGE-WIDE COURSE CONTENT SUMMARY
ESL 58 – WRITING WORKSHOP II (5 CR.)

Course Description

Provides an intensive writing seminar for students struggling with the writing process, editing, and self-correction in academic English. Helps students improve their fluency and command of American academic English. Credits are not applicable toward graduation. Lecture 5 hours per week.

General Course Purpose

To aid students who have completed all requirements of ESL 51 but have not passed the course. The course is designed to help students gain more fluency, develop ideas more effectively, and have stronger control in the editing process.

Course Prerequisites/Co-requisites

Prerequisite: Requires teacher recommendation from ESL 51.

Course Objectives

Upon completing the course, the student will be able to:

➢ Write a fully developed academic essay using strategies for composing, revising, and editing their own writing;

➢ Compose, revise, and edit essays that demonstrate readiness for ENG 111 - College Composition I.

Major Topics to be Included

➢ The writing process
➢ The academic argument essay
➢ Reading response writing
➢ Extemporaneous writing
➢ Editing topics as needed