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**Admission Test  
English and Translation Theory**

**Field of Education 45.04.02 «Linguistics»**

**Training profile «Translation Theory and Intercultural Communication»**

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## **Admission Test Programme**

### **1. The aim**

The test is aimed at assessment of practical grounding in English. To enroll for the course in Translation Theory and Intercultural Communication you must be able to demonstrate proficiency in the English language. B2 level according to the CEFR levels described by the Council of Europe is required.

### **2. The Test**

The test measures the level of skill and knowledge that has been reached. The test assesses the skills of the English language and has three sections: reading, grammar and vocabulary. The sample tasks are given below. The time given for the test is 40 minutes.

### **3. Evaluation**

The applicant gets 2 points for each correct answer, 1 point if the answer is partially correct. Total score is 80 points.

## Sample tasks

### Part 1

#### Reading

*Read the texts. Answer the questions. Choose A-E or None.*

### Part 2

#### Grammar

*2.1. Four words or phrases, marked (A), (B), (C), and (D), are given beneath each incomplete sentence. Choose one word or phrase that best completes the sentence.*

1. The decision of when to light the machine shop was\_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) herself alone (B) hers alone (C) her alone (D) her
2. Jim and Jack are our best students. I'm sure \_\_\_\_ of them could have done that.  
(A) none (B) any (C) some (D) neither

#### 2.2 Answer the questions

*1. Complete the sentence:*

Alex \_\_\_ late. He's stuck in traffic.

- A. will be arrive
- B. will arriving
- C. will be arriving

*2. Which sentence is NOT a correct sentence?*

- A. Erin may have missed the train.
- B. Erin must have missed the train.
- C. Erin can have missed the train.

*3. Which word completes the sentence?*

The equipment \_\_\_ delivered tomorrow afternoon.

- A. will be
- B. will
- C. will been

### Part 3

#### Vocabulary

*Choose the correct word to complete these sentences.*

Please read the \_\_\_\_\_ for more information about this holiday.

- A. Brochure
- B. Schedule
- C. Excursion
- D. Itinerary

There are many cafes beside the \_\_\_\_\_ where you can have a coffee while watching the boats come in and out.

- A. Marina
- B. Quay
- C. Glacier
- D. Harbour