

# EPPIC

English for Professional Purposes  
Intercultural Center

# Speak UP

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UP your speaking skills!  
UP your cultural knowledge!  
UP your confidence!



## ADVANCED ENGLISH SPEAKING GROUP · MEETS WEEKLY

Speak UP focuses on advanced language use in everyday university contexts. Lessons include cultural information, commonly used phrases, and pronunciation tips. Participants have an opportunity to engage with their new knowledge through group discussions, role-plays, and other activities with peers.

**THURSDAYS | 4:30 P.M. | 220A BOUCKE BUILDING**

**HOUR 1: LANGUAGE LESSON and DISCUSSION**

**HOUR 2 (optional): ACTIVITIES and PRACTICE**

### JANUARY

January 30 - "Participating in Small Talk Confidently"

### FEBRUARY

February 6 - "Joining and Leaving Conversations Comfortably"

February 13 - "Making Sense of Idioms in American English"

February 20 - "Understanding Phrasal Verbs when Chatting"

February 27 - "Interacting Naturally when Getting Around State College"

### MARCH

March 6 - "Incorporating Numbers Smoothly into Interactions and Presentations"

March 20 - "Scheduling and Participating in Meetings Efficiently"

March 27 - "Preparing Phrases for Phone Call Conversations"



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