

Some people believe that universities should require every graduation student to take public speaking courses. They may want students to better adapt to the development of the current social employment. However, need every graduation student take the courses? As one of the graduation students, I have something to say about this topic. The graduation students are not easy as you imagined, we have the heavy schoolwork, different expected occupations, and face with all kinds of presses, such as the further education and job finding. Universities should more consider individuals’ interests or demand to let them do their own choices rather than strictly require students take one course. That is to say, I really think it no necessary to require every graduation student to take public speaking courses.

Firstly, I am willing to admit that public speaking is one of important compete abilities for graduation students to find some jobs. Nowadays, the graduate may need to master more abilities to avoid falling behind their peers, and most jobs in enterprise require the public speaking ability, such as product manager, they usually need to do annual presentation, or some quarter reports. The public speaking course can teach students some necessary skills in advance so that they could do better in some transactions in their future careers.

However, not every graduation student exactly needs the public speaking as compete ability until he takes the courses. In fact, some students have the excellent public speaking skills though they have never take the courses. My friend Lucy who born in an elite family, she is skilled in the public speaking but not yet take the public speaking courses. We used to select her as the presenter when the teamwork assigned and she performed well at every time. By the way, she is not interested in public speaking course. In her case, we can see some students may no need to take these courses.

Furthermore, taking the press of the graduation, such as further education or job finding in account, the public speaking course seems not so necessary for graduation students. On one hand, some individuals are not necessary to take the courses at all due to their talent. On the other hand, it is more important for graduation students to learn professional knowledge in their careers instead of how to speak to publics. The professional skills, like programming languages for programmer, or surgery for doctors and stuff, is prior to the public speaking. Of course, we do not deny that it is useful when they demand, but, to be honest, the public speaking course really is not as important as imagined.