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# TENTATIVE TIMELINE

TBD

# ASSIGNMENTS & EXAMS

**I Midterm Exam(%20), I Final Exam(%50), Katılım(%10), Quizzes(%10)**

Attendance:

At least 70% attendance is mandatory.

If you have any issue, contact me timely.

Announcement:

University e-mail,

Make sure your email is correct on OBS system.

# ENCOURAGEMENT

If you switch both your mobile phone and computer language into English and write an essay about the cons and pros of this change in English you will get extra marks. Between 5 to 10 points on top of 100.

Essay should clearly describe the benefits weekly and new words or concepts you learnt after the change.

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QUESTIONS



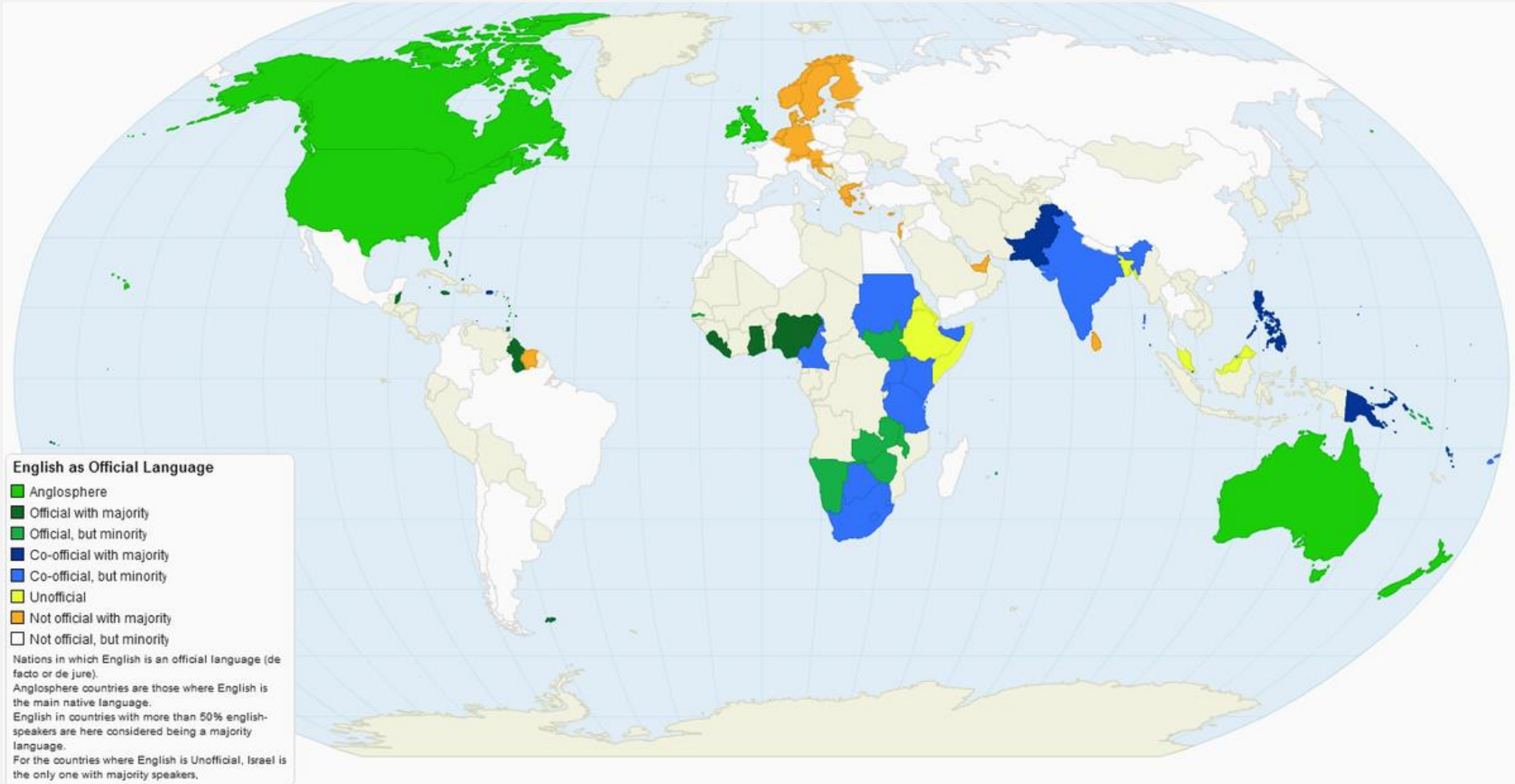
# INTRODUCTION

# WHY ENGLISH?

- Common language in tech
- Unlock global opportunities
  - Job **opportunities** worldwide
  - International **collaboration**
- Access **cutting-edge** knowledge
  - Learn from the best
- Share your ideas worldwide
- What else?



ENGLISH AROUND THE WORLD?



# RESEARCH QUESTION!

What does **`lingua franca`** mean?

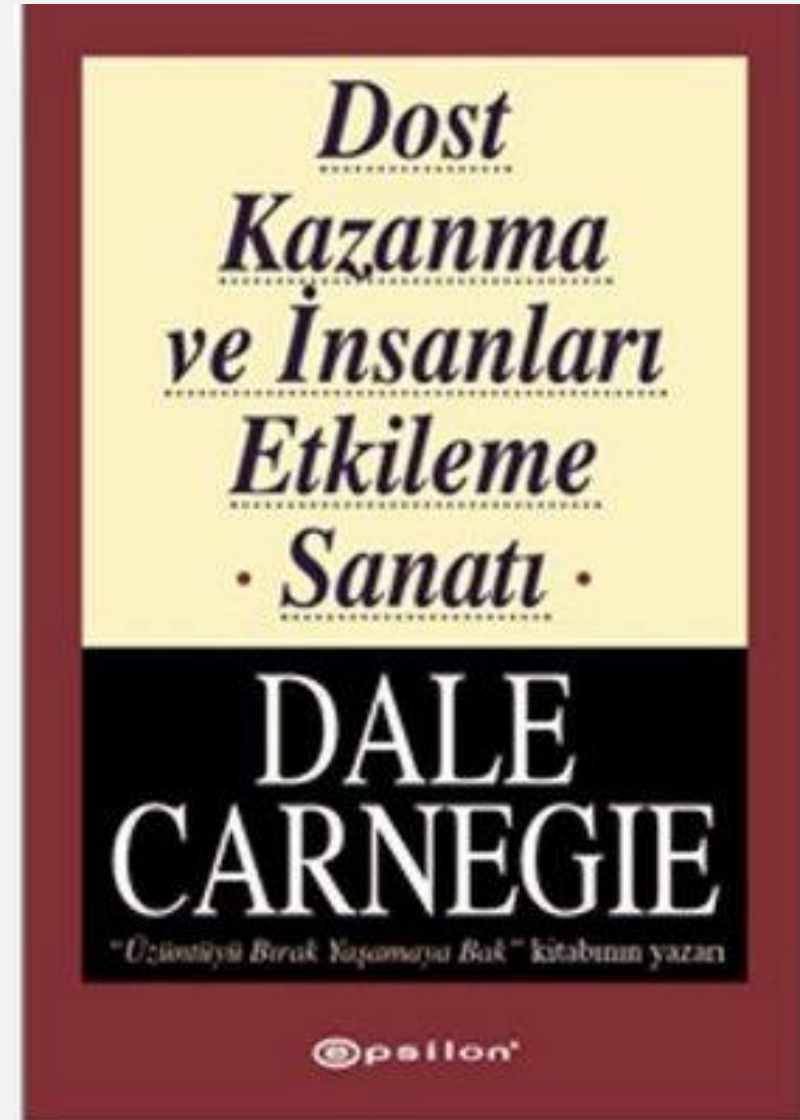
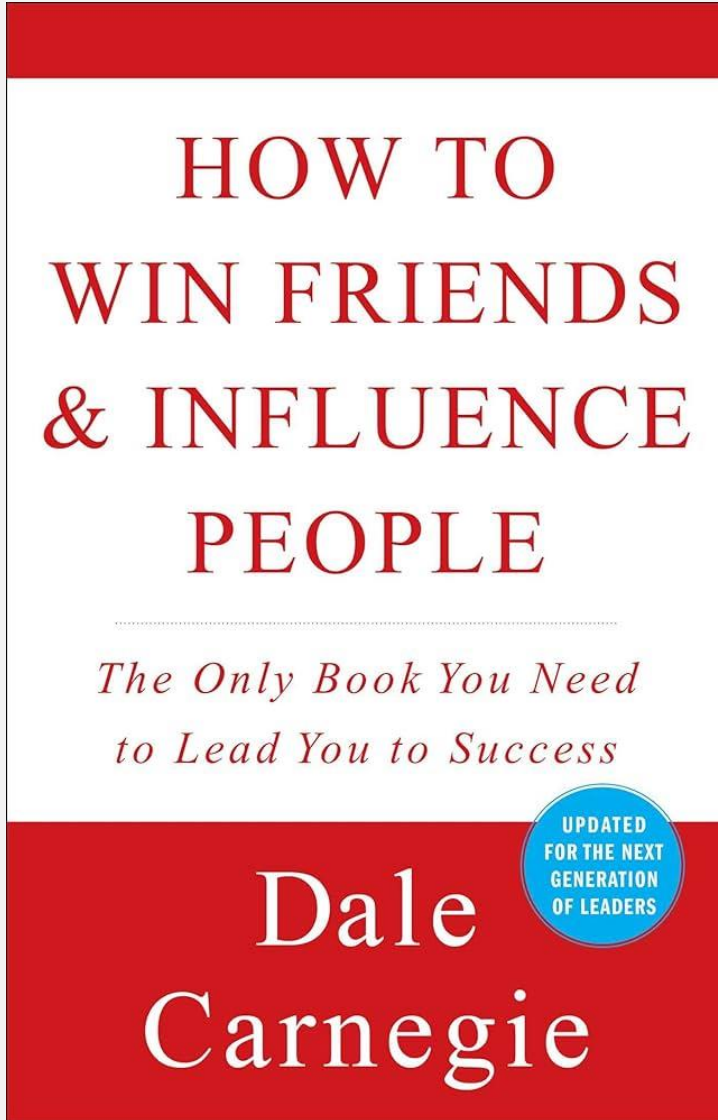
## FORMAL VS. INFORMAL ENGLISH

- **Formal language:** Avoiding slang and informal expressions.  
Example: Saying "Good morning" instead of "Hey" in a meeting shows respect and professionalism.
- **Technical vocabulary:** Using **precise** terms **related** to your field.
  - Example: Knowing the difference between "software development" and "web development" **demonstrates** your understanding.
- **Clear and concise communication:** Getting your point across **effectively** in professional settings.
  - Example: Writing a **concise** email summarizing a technical **issue** is more effective than a long, rambling message.

## IMPORTANCE OF COMMUNICATION IN CE

- Communication is **essential** for collaboration and teamwork in computer engineering projects.
- Effective communication can help to **prevent** misunderstandings and errors.
- Clear and concise communication can improve **efficiency** and **productivity**.
- Poor communication can **lead** to negative **consequences** (e.g., project delays, **conflicts**, lost opportunities).

## BOOK RECOMMENDATION



## PROFESSIONAL COMMUNICATION

- *Clarity:* **Expressing** ideas clearly and concisely.
- *Conciseness:* Avoiding unnecessary words or phrases.
- *Coherence:* Organizing ideas logically and connecting them smoothly.
- *Appropriate language and tone:* Using language that is suitable for the audience and **purpose**.
- *Active listening and effective questioning:* Paying **attention** to others and asking **relevant** questions.
- *Non-verbal communication:* Using body language, eye contact, and facial expressions to **convey** meaning.

# HOW TO LEARN ENGLISH!

## 5 ways to learn English faster



Listen,  
watch, and  
speak  
English  
often!

**Surround yourself  
with English**



**Dedicate time  
to study**

Study on  
your own or  
with a  
teacher



**Be confident**

Don't be afraid to  
make mistakes!



**Think in English**



**Practice**

Use the  
language  
everyday!

## ONLINE EDU RESOURCES

- Coursera
- edX
- Udemy
- Khan Academy
- YouTube
- Perfectly Spoken Course Online
- Books
- BUSU
- etc.



## NEWS RESOURCES



Hacker  
News



WIRED

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# ACADEMIC RESOURCES



# ASSIGNMENT

- Write a short text about your career goals in computer engineering. Think about:
  - What are your **aspirations** in this field?
  - What kind of role do you see yourself in? (e.g., Software Developer, Data Scientist, Game Developer, etc.)
  - What **impact** do you hope to make **through** your work?

## WORDS OF THE WEEK

- Opportunity
- Collaboration
- Cutting-edge
- Precise
- Related
- Demonstrate
- Effective
- Concise
- Issue
- Prevent
- Efficiency
- Productivity
- Lead
- Consequences
- Conflict
- Express
- Purpose
- Attention
- Relevant
- Convey
- Aspiration
- Impact
- Through



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