**RULES OF THE GAME**

**Important dates:**

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| **Tasks and points** | **Date SR group** | **Date HU group** |
| Must do: Your pub quiz topic | March 21, Moodle | March 21, Moodle |
| 10 – extra task 1: Oxford Union video task | March 21 (A-M) March 28 (N-Z) | March 13, 20 |
| 10 – listening skills test | March 25, 26 | March 25, 26 |
| 5 – extra task 3: roleplay | April 2 (group1) May 7 (group2) | April 2 (group1) May 7 (group2) |
| 10 – colloquium I - all lecture texts & grammar | April 8, 9 | April 8, 9 |
| Must do: Introduce yourself | April 11, Moodle | April 11, Moodle |
| 5 – extra task 2: present your pub quiz | May 9 | May 9 |
| Must do: Where do you come from? | May 23, Moodle | May 23, Moodle |
| 5 - extra task 4: interview with a role model | May 22-23 | May 23-24 |
| 25 – colloquium II all semester material (grammar, texts, pub quiz) | May 27, 28 | May 27, 28 |
| music task | May 30 | May 30 |
| extra colloquium | June 3, 4 | June 3, 4 |
| 10 – written exam |  |  |
| 20 – oral exam |  |  |

**You cannot get a grade if you do not do these 3 tasks**

**PROJECT TITLE: YOU**

**1 - Make your pub quiz** – choose a topic of your interest, write 30 questions with answers

**Deadline for submission:** **March 21, 2024,** electronically, upload to Moodle2

**2 - Introduce yourself! Write 1 full page about you (Calibri 11, single space)**

include the following: personal data, why you are interested in engineering / informatics / management, professional plans for the future, what are your top skills

**Deadline for submission:** **April 11, 2024** electronically, upload to Moodle2

**3 - Where do you come from? Write 1 full page about the city / town (Calibri 11, single space).**

Add a 15-word vocabulary of unknown words include the following: Location of your town, 2 famous buildings in your town, 2 important dates in your town’s history, 2 important people in your town’s history, Your favorite spot in your town

**Deadline for submission:** **May 16, 2024** electronically, upload to Moodle2

**COLLOQUIUM I -** ALL TEXTS MATERIAL FROM LECTURES AND GRAMMAR: **April 8-9, 2024**

**LISTENING SKILLS TEST: MARCH 25-26 (HU), MARCH 25-26 (SR) 2024**

**COLLOQUIUM II -** ALL SEMESTER MATERIAL (GRAMMAR, TEXTS, PUB QUIZ): **May 27-28, 2023**

**Other tasks for MORE POINTS:**

**→ Oxford Union videos** – choose a an Oxford Union full address (min. 45 minutes long), write notes and show them, be prepared to talk about the content, presenter, main points, message and mention 3 questions from video. Email me your choice of video: [slivia@vts.su.ac.rs](mailto:slivia@vts.su.ac.rs)

Find video here: <https://www.youtube.com/user/OxfordUnion/videos> L

**WHEN:** **March 21 (A-M) /March 28 (N-Z) –** during lecture – 10 POINTS

**→ Your pub quiz** – present your topic– L

**WHEN:**  **May 9** during lecture **–** 5 POINTS

**→ Roleplay** – check out the given real-life situations. You will be asked to have a dialogue with a colleague in one of these situations. - C

**WHEN:**  **APRIL 2, MAY 7 (SR and HU) –** during practice – 5 POINTS

**→ Make an interview with a role model:** Find arole model. Find an adult with an interesting job or hobby (coach, teacher, parent, employer, role model). Ask them to describe their job/hobby; what their first day at the job / the first time doing the hobby; what they like about their job/hobby; why they would recommend it; what is difficult or challenging about their job/hobby. Record your interview, I will ask you to play it at the oral exam and retell it. Your role model CANNOT be a peer or class mate also taking this course. – L

**WHEN:**  **May 23 -** during lecture - 5 points

**EXAM**

**If you take the exam, you MUST write and pass the WRITTEN EXAM (**TEST ON ALL SEMESTER GRAMMAR MATERIAL) and **MUST pass the ORAL exam** (ALL MATERIAL COVERED IN THE LECTURE). Do not start your oral exam with ‘I haven’t prepared at all for this exam’. Many have tried this strategy.

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| **Grades:** | 51 – 60 – grade 6 |
| 0-30 points – no signature, no exam | 61 – 70 – grade 7 |
| 31 – 50 – signature and exam | 71 – 100 – grades 8, 9, 10 |

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| **NOTE:**  **you can get extra 20 points by doing a presentation on music:**  **a) musical Hamilton: recite/sing 3 songs (Opening, My shot, One last time) – be prepared to talk about the musical and history, know the vocabulary**  **b) Old-school rap music: recite/sing 3 rap songs: 2 songs by Eminem + Blackalicious: Alphabet Aerobics - be prepared to talk about the song, know the vocabulary** |

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| **GOOD NEWS:**  **IF YOU WANT GRADE 6 – 7 – 8, YOU CAN STOP READING NOW** |

**IF YOU WANT GRADE 9-10,**

**Pass the WRITTEN EXAM, and for the ORAL EXAM, read 50 pages** – choose from the following books (and of course, **know all lecture materials)**

Read 50 pages from one of these books: read, **write handwritten notes**, know the words, be prepared to talk about it.

For electronic copies of the books, find Sz.L. or check the library

**What If? Serious Scientific Answers to Absurd Hypothetical Questions by Randall Munroe**

**Genre: comic, science, humor**

Randall Munroe left NASA in 2005 to start up his hugely popular site XKCD 'a web comic of romance, sarcasm, math and language' which offers a witty take on the world of science and geeks. He would get emails asking him to arbitrate a science debate. In pursuit of answers, Munroe runs computer simulations, pores over stacks of declassified military research memos, solves differential equations, and consults with nuclear reactor operators. His responses are masterpieces of clarity and hilarity, studded with memorable cartoons and infographics. They often predict the complete annihilation of humankind, or at least a really big explosion. Far more than a book for geeks, WHAT IF: Serious Scientific Answers to Absurd Hypothetical Questions explains the laws of science in operation in a way that every intelligent reader will enjoy and feel much the smarter for having read.

**The Ransomware Hunting Team: A Band of Misfits' Improbable Crusade to Save the World from Cybercrime Hardcover by Renee Dudley & Daniel Golden**

**Genre: popular science, tech**

A real-life technological thriller about a band of eccentric misfits taking on the biggest cybersecurity threats of our time.

The Ransomware Hunting Team traces the adventures of these unassuming heroes and how they have used their skills to save millions of ransomware victims from paying billions of dollars to criminals. Working tirelessly from bedrooms and back offices, and refusing payment, they’ve rescued those whom the often hapless FBI has been unwilling or unable to help. Foremost among them is Michael Gillespie, a cancer survivor and cat lover who got his start cracking ransomware while working at a Nerds on Call store in the town of Normal, Illinois. Other teammates include the brilliant, reclusive Fabian Wosar, a high school dropout from Germany who enjoys bantering with the attackers he foils, and his protégé, the British computer science prodigy Sarah White. Together, they have established themselves as the most effective force against an escalating global threat. This book follows them as they put their health, personal relationships, and financial security on the line to navigate the technological and moral challenges of combating digital hostage taking.

**The Rose Code: A Novel by Kate Quinn**

**Genre: historical thriller, spy fiction**

The year 1940. As England prepares to fight the Nazis, three very different women answer the call to mysterious country estate Bletchley Park, where the best minds in Britain train to break German military codes. Vivacious debutante Osla is the girl who has everything - beauty, wealth, and the dashing Prince Philip of Greece sending her roses - but she burns to prove herself as more than a society girl and puts her fluent German to use as a translator of decoded enemy secrets. Imperious, self-made Mab, product of East End London poverty, works the legendary codebreaking machines as she conceals old wounds and looks for a socially advantageous husband. Both Osla and Mab are quick to see the potential in local village spinster Beth, whose shyness conceals a brilliant facility with puzzles, and soon Beth spreads her wings as one of the Park’s few female cryptanalysts. But war, loss, and the impossible pressure of secrecy will tear the three apart.

**Lost in Time by A.G. Riddle**

**Genre: sci-fi**

The SUNDAY TIMES bestseller"Amazing! One of the twistiest time-tales I've ever read." –Diana Gabaldon"

Control the past. Save the future. One morning, Dr. Sam Anderson wakes up to find that the woman he loves has been murdered.

For Sam, the horror is only beginning. He and his daughter are accused of the crime. The evidence is ironclad. They will be convicted. And so, to ensure his daughter goes free, Sam does what he must: he confesses. But in the future, murderers aren't sent to prison. Thanks to a machine Sam helped invent, the world's worst criminals are now sent to the past