Professional and Academic English Program (PAEP) for Graduate Students and Professionals

The English Language Institute (ELI) at the University of Pittsburgh offers a non-credit summer program specifically designed to prepare incoming international graduate students and working professionals for US academic styles and expectations. The ELI’s PAEP develops numerous language and academic skills, including:

• Academic communication skills
• Grammar and academic vocabulary
• Listening comprehension and strategies to aid understanding lectures and classroom discussions
• Reading strategies to aid comprehension
• Understanding of educational culture in US classrooms

About PAEP

• Intensive 6-week program with classes meeting five hours per day, four days per week (M, T, Th, F)
• Non-credit classes
• Uses a variety of authentic professional and academic content as the basis for English language classes
• Numerous language and cultural activities through the ELI

**Dates:** June 19 through July 28, 2017

**Tuition cost:** $3,045 plus fees and textbooks

**Admissions requirement:** proof of acceptance by a graduate program in the US or a TOEFL iBT score of 80 (IELTS 6.5) or higher

**Application deadline:** May 15, 2017

The ELI issues I-20s for student visas for this program. Please apply as early as possible to avoid delays. After completion of the program, the ELI will transfer the I-20 to the student’s next university.

For more information about PAEP, contact Christine O’Neill at mco3@pitt.edu or visit our web site at www.eli.pitt.edu.