

KIIS Prague, Summer 2018

# CD 472 Topics: Assessment and Intervention in the Czech Republic Professor: Megan Smetana

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Syllabus subject to change

**Course Description:** Students will learn and experience speech pathology services that are provided in the Czech Republic. Identification of different methodologies employed by clinicians in the Czech Republic for treating communication disorders will be emphasized. Students will study first-hand examples of diagnostic and treatment approaches. The experience will give students a foundation for further studies in speech-language pathology and a means to contrast U.S. based practices with other countries.

## Course Objectives:

Upon completion of the course, the student will	KASA Standard	Method of Assessment
1. Describe assessments and intervention utilized by speech language pathologists in the Czech Republic	IV-C	Journal writing
2. Discuss the similarities and differences between assessment and interventions in the Czech Republic and the U.S.	III-C	Class discussion
3. Summarize findings regarding assessments and intervention utilized by speech language pathologists in the Czech Republic	III – C	Journal writing

# **Course Policies and Schedules:**

Attendance: Students are expected to follow KIIS policies regarding attendance.

Plagiarism Policy: The academic work of a student must be his/her own. One must give the author(s) credit for any source material used.

Students with Special Needs: A student must verify that he/she has a qualified disability through The Office of Student Disability Services, Garrett Conference Center Room 101, 1906 College Heights Blvd., Bowling Green, KY 42101-3576

Program Accreditation: The Council of Academic Accreditation (CAA), under the auspices of the American Speech Language Hearing Association (ASHA), has certified the Department of Communication Disorders at WKU as an authorized educational facility. If a student has a comment or complaint, they may contact CAA at ASHA, 10801 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD 20852.

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## Required Text: None

Assessment:	
Class discussions	= 100pts
Journal	= 100 pts
Total	= 200pts

#### Grading Scale:

The student's grade will be assigned using the following scale:

A=	93% (or more) of the total points
B=	85% (or more) of the total points
C=	77 % (or more) of the total points
D=	68% (or more) of the total points
F=	67% (or below)