

Presentations in the Legal Context

Our mission is to provide a supportive bridge between law and the English language.

This service is offered to you as lawyers and legal support staff – legal secretaries, notary assistants and paralegals.

This bridge is our name – better Legal English. Our name stands for quality, support and the legal context.

Our courses are not in law per se but in Legal English.



Welcome to ABLE, the Academy for better Legal English, one of the very few training centres in Germany exclusively for Legal English.

We have a wide range of services for lawyers, notaries, and their assistants. Perhaps you have a special need which is not covered by our programme. No problem. Just drop us a line or give us a call and we shall do our best to integrate this need into our programme for you.

We wish a very positive learning experience you can apply directly to your job.

Best wishes

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LEGALIZE YOUR ENGLISH !



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Intensiv-Workshop zur Verbesserung Ihrer
Präsentationen in englischer Sprache

Ladies and gentlemen, we proudly present....

Today you spend a considerable part of your workload preparing and giving “presentations”.

You present yourself, the work you have done, the lawsuit strategies chosen.



You present in client interviews, in discussions, at meetings and conferences.

You present your case in the courtroom.

Wherever and whatever you present, you are making an impression – better or worse – by the way you communicate.

Unfortunately, not all lawyers are effective speakers. Not all communicate with conviction; not all understand how to draw on all their verbal and nonverbal tools to clarify their messages, to empathize with their clients, to convince their colleagues.

Sound thinking is often clouded by legalese, disorderly organisation and dispassionate communication.

You, however, know: “Just enough should never be enough”. Especially when it comes to English.

**Be a better ambassador
for your law firm.**

Changing your template

Simpler, easily understandable English is your goal – a level probably closer to your range of English knowledge.

The first step is an open-minded analysis of your personal presentation style with constructive feedback.

The structure of your argumentation could be improved with powerful opening statements and compelling closing arguments.

Then there’s the old issue of self-confidence. Everyone knows that feeling of stage fright, a widespread companion of even lawyers. Utilize this to your presentation’s advantage.

Create a rapport with your listeners. At all levels. Use your body language, eye-contact, your voice to command attention. At different strengths. Vary the pitch.

Consider developing a vivid metaphor to match the situation, creating a leitmotif through your presentation.

Learn about your English-speaking listeners. Their mentality, their culture, their manners. What makes them smile, what aspects of your culture please or disturb them?

Develop a repertoire of rapport.

Colour your template...



The tailored, hands-on lawyer presentation training in this workshop will assist you to improve your communicative-presentational skills in English.

Learn to express yourself more authentically and confidently, connecting with your individual and collective audiences, seizing their attention and convincing them of your argumentation.

Want to find out more?

You can find a more detailed account of this inter-active workshop and other workshops on the ABLE website.

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**EnABLE yourself with better
English presentation skills**