REVIEW # 02 CLASS # UZ Native Talks

Native talks

In this class we'll focus on some expressions taught by Jen and apply it to some different situations.

1. I'm in charge of a Marketing team at a PR firm at the moment.

Eu atualmente sou encarregado(a) de uma equipe de marketing em uma empresa de relações públicas.

- "In charge of" means "encarregado" and it is an adjective that can be used before different sectors, like construction/ economics/insurance/production management/software development and before projects or activities.
- "In charge" without the "of" when making sentences without mentioning an object.

2. I found out you were hiring through a Trade Expo.

Eu descobri que vocês estavam contratando através de uma feira de comércio.

- Watch out for the common mistake! The correct and most common way to say "contratar" is "to hire"!
- Through através I heard about the company through a friend/I found out through LinkedIn.

3. I'm a bit nervous about mediating the conference call. Have you ever done it before?

Eu estou um pouco nervoso a respeito de mediar a conferência por telefone. Você já fez isso antes?

- Phrasal verbs and verbs followed by "about/with/of" and other prepositions different from "to" make the next verb need ing I'm thinking about moving to a different station.
- "Have you ever" Alguma vez na vida Sentences with "have" as auxiliary refer to the past but express no limit.

4. I committed to a friend's wedding in a few weeks, and I was wondering if I could take a few days off?

Eu prometi ir ao casamento de um amigo daqui a algumas semanas, e gostaria de saber se eu poderia tirar alguns dias de folga.

- "Committed to" is similar to "promised to do something".
- Asking politely Could you/Can you.
- Could I be excused? Eu poderia ser dispensado?
- I was wondering if eu estava pensando se/estava me perguntando/gostaria de saber se.
- "Days off" means days away from work.

5. Would you mind carrying my bags?

Você se importaria em carregar minhas malas?

- "Would you mind?" means "Você se importaria?"
- Would you mind explaining again? the verb after "do you mind" needs to have ING.
- An alternative way of using "please" is "Would you please..?":
 Would you please get me some water?

6. There's a lot more learning to do to gain financial literacy, or knowledge on how to handle your personal finances.

Há muito mais a se aprender para adquirir educação financeira, ou conhecimento sobre como lidar com as suas finanças pessoais

- "There is" is used for singular objects and "there are" is for objects in plural form.
- Ing + to do Learning to do Reading to do Studying to do catching up to do. - You have a lot of reading to do before you use the new interface. It means "a se fazer".
- How to handle a new position How to handle the pressure -How to handle your team. The verb "handle" means "lidar com/dar conta de".
- "Knowledge on" and "knowledge about" have a very similar meaning.

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