

FOREIGN LANGUAGES & LITERATURE

Foreign Languages & Literature

Major

Concentrations in

- SPANISH

Minor

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Hours Required in Foreign Languages & Literature:	48	18
Hours Required in Other Departments:	0	0
Total Hours Required:	48	18

Students are strongly encouraged to keep work from all their courses in anticipation of the senior seminar.

Associate Professor:

Sanchez (Chair)

- At least half of the credit hours required in your major language (Spanish) must be taken at FSU.
- Foreign language majors who have courses transferred from a foreign institution at the 300 or 400 level must take at least one 300 or 400 level course at FSU after they return and prior to graduation.
- Only courses in which a grade of C or better is earned will count towards satisfaction of major or minor requirements.
- A minor in French is also offered.
- The department also offers course work in intercultural studies, literature in translation, and linguistics.
- Courses in Italian, Chinese and Japanese are offered as MDFL courses on an irregular basis.

Summary of Requirements for Major/Minor in Foreign Languages & Literature with a Concentration in Spanish

Major

1. Core Curriculum (9 hours)

SPAN 211 Spanish Grammar, Composition & Conversation I*
 SPAN 212 Spanish Grammar, Composition & Conversation II
 SPAN 250 Overview of Spanish Language & Culture
 (GEP Group B)

2. Advanced Courses (36 hours)

Eleven upper-level Spanish courses, four of which must be at the 400 level
 SPAN 489 Capstone in Spanish

3. Linguistics (3 hours)

LING 301 Introduction to Language

Minor

1. Core Curriculum (9 hours)

SPAN 211 Spanish Grammar, Composition & Conversation I*
 SPAN 212 Spanish Grammar, Composition & Conversation II
 SPAN 250 Overview of Spanish Language & Culture
 (GEP Group B)

2. Advanced Courses (9 hours)

Any three 300 or 400-level courses in Spanish

Summary of Requirements for Minor in Foreign Languages & Literature with a Concentration in French

1. Core Curriculum (9 hours)

FREN 211 French Grammar, Composition & Conversation I*
 FREN 212 French Grammar, Composition & Conversation II
 FREN 250 Overview of French Language & Culture (GEP Group B)

2. Advanced Courses (9 hours)

Any three 300 or 400-level courses in Spanish

If you have no experience in French or Spanish, you will have to begin your language study at the elementary level (FREN 101 or SPAN 101)

If you have studied French or Spanish previously, you must take the online placement exam. Please go to the departmental web page to take the on line exam.

Accelerated Placement

If the results of the placement exam determine that you are eligible for accelerated placement, and you complete a course above the 101-level with a grade of C or better, you may apply to the department for academic credit for the courses waived, as summarized below.

- at the 102 level, you will be eligible to receive 3 additional credits.
- at the 211 level, you will be eligible to receive 6 additional credits.
- at the 212 level, you will be eligible to receive 9 additional credits.
- at the 250 level, you will be eligible to receive 12 additional credits.
- at the 300 level, you will be eligible to receive 15 additional credits.

There is a \$10.00 fee for each hour of credit received through accelerated placement.

Summary of Requirements for Double Major in Secondary Teacher Education

If you wish to complete a Maryland State approved program in teaching secondary Spanish, you must:

- Complete the BA in Foreign Languages & Literature with the Spanish concentration.
- Declare a second major in Secondary Teacher Education. See the Secondary Teacher Education Program Coordinator for details.

Forestry

MINOR

Total Hours Required:

23

Minor

See related programs:

- BIOLOGY
 - PRE-HEALTH OPTION
 - BIOTECHNOLOGY
 - ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE
- ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS & PLANNING
- ETHNOBOTANY
- INTERPRETIVE BIOLOGY & NATURAL HISTORY
- WILDLIFE & FISHERIES

Coordinator:

Sunshine L. Brosi,
Associate Professor, Department
of Biology

- You cannot major in forestry.

Summary of Requirements for Minor in Forestry

Minor

1. Required Courses: (17 hours)

BIOL 149	General Biology I (GEP Group C)
BIOL 161	General Botany
BIOL 305	Dendrology
BIOL 425	Forest Ecology and Conservation
BIOL 460	Forestry Field Practice

2. Electives: (6 hours)

At least 6 credits selected from two of the following groups:
(Some of the following courses may have prerequisites.)

Geography

GEOG 317	Principles of Geographic Information Systems
GEOG 340	Soils: Genesis, Nature and Characterization
GEOG 406	Management and Conservation of Natural Resources
GEOG 413	Remote Sensing - Image Interpretation
GEOG 430	Surface Water Hydrology
GEOG 433	Surveying
GEOG 445	Biogeography

Biology

BIOL 230	Wildlife Techniques
BIOL 410	Plant Diseases
BIOL 421	Sample Design and Plant Community Analysis
BIOL 494	Field Experiences in Biology*
BIOL 499	Special Problems in Biology *

Other electives

RECR 342	Park and Facility Design
RECR 440	Organization & Administration of Recreation & Parks
POSC 450	Environmental Public Policy
POSC 498	Readings in Political Science*
ECON 410	Resource & Energy Economics

*Independent studies courses MUST address a **Forestry** topic.