Center for Individualized Learning

Translation Studies Minor

Designed for students who want an in-depth study in the area of language translation, the Translation Studies minor prepares students for applied language services as translation providers or as translation editors. The Department of Modern Languages is collaborating with the Departments of English, Sociology and Anthropology, and Communication Arts and Sciences to create this minor.

The Translation Studies minor is customizable for:

- Students with advanced language skills
- Students who are at the beginning of their language studies
- Students with limited or no previous exposure to foreign languages

This minor requires a catalog major.

RECOMMENDED GENERAL STUDIES COURSEWORK

All students must complete the standard General Studies requirements for their catalog year as recommended by their major program.

The recommended oral communication requirement for this minor is:

SPA/GER/FRE/ITA/JPS/CHI 1020  3-5 credit hours

RECOMMENDED COURSEWORK FOR EMERGING (Incubator) PROGRAM

Highly Recommended Core Courses: 9 credits

MDL 290A  Fundamentals of Translating and Interpreting [forthcoming]
Prerequisite: CHI/GER/FRE/ITA/JPS/SPA 1020 recommended

ENG 2010  Introduction to Linguistics
Prerequisite: ENG 1020 or ENG 1021 or permission of instructor

LING 390C  Introduction to Translation Studies [forthcoming]
Prerequisite: ENG 2010

Courses with prerequisites require departmental permission. Emerging program faculty liaisons will facilitate obtaining such permissions.*
Recommended Complementary Courses: 12 credits

*Intercultural Electives (6 credit hours – choose two)*

- ANT 2330  Cross-Cultural Communication
- CAS 2750  Intercultural Communication
- ENG 3050  Language and Society
- LING 4011 Anthropological Linguistics

*Language and Transference (3 credit hours – choose one)*

- LING 4060  Modern Language Theory
- ENG 3030  Semantics
- SPA 3650  Introduction to Spanish Translation I
- FRE 390A  Introduction to French Translation [forthcoming]

*Practicum Electives (3 credit hours – choose one)*

- MDL 3980/MDL 398  Internship/Independent Studies in Modern Languages
- ENG 3980/ENG 398  Internship/Independent Studies in Linguistics
- SPA 4050  Introduction to Spanish Translation II
- FRE 4540  Literature, Culture, and Translation
- GER 4410  Advanced Translation Techniques
- ENG 3075  Latin

Total credit hours for the proposed emerging minor: 21 credit hours

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