

GRADUATE CURRICULUM CHANGE MEMO

Date: 9/18/2025



From: Dr. Sara Potter, Department of Chicano Studies, Languages, and Linguistics

Through: Dr. Annie Tremblay, Department of Chicano Studies, Languages, and Linguistics



Through: Dr. Selfa Chew-Melendez, College of Liberal Arts

To: Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

Proposal Title: Fast-Track Proposal: Spanish

Over the past five years, graduate enrollment in Spanish has declined significantly. We propose creating a fast-track program that will allow students to begin completing the M.A. in Spanish while finishing their undergraduate studies. We hope that this will help enrollment into our M.A. in Spanish. The fast-track program will be available to students completing a B.A. in Spanish (any concentration). The courses included in the fast-track program are those that we believe undergraduate students could successfully take.

Fast-Track Program Request

College: **Liberal Arts**

Graduate Degree: **M.A. in Spanish**

Undergraduate Degree: **B.A. in Spanish (any concentration)**

Program Admission Requirements:

Minimum GPA (3.30/4.00 or higher): **3.3**

Maximum Number of Graduate Credit Hours Allowed (up to 15 hours): **15**

Other:

Graduate Course Inventory Approved for Dual Credit

Course Prefix & No. **LING 5308**

Title: **Second Language Teaching**

Course Prefix & No. **LING 5316**

Title: **Spanish in the US**

Course Prefix & No. **LING 5331**

Title: **Teaching Second Language Composition**

Course Prefix & No. **LING 5348**

Title: **Second Language Acquisition**

Course Prefix & No. **LING 5374**

Title: **Language Testing**

Course Prefix & No. **LING 5381**

Title: **Spanish Phonetics and Phonology**

Course Prefix & No. **LING 5382**

Title: **Spanish Syntax**

Course Prefix & No. **SPAN 5301**

Title: **Span. & Lat. Amer. Lit. & Theo**

Course Prefix & No. **SPAN 5303**

Title: **Special Topics**

Course Prefix & No. **SPAN 5311**
Title: **Writing and Research in Spanish**

Course Prefix & No. **SPAN 5323**
Title: **Border Narratives**

Course Prefix & No. **SPAN 5345**
Title: **Spanish & Latin American Film**

Course Prefix & No. **LING/SPAN 5388**
Title: **Bilingualism**

Course Prefix & No. **TRAN 5359**
Title: **Introduction to Translation and Interpreting**

Course Prefix & No. **TRAN 5378**
Title: **T&I Industry and Technology**

Course Prefix & No. **TRAN 5380**
Title: **Judiciary Translation and Interpreting**

Course Prefix & No. **TRAN 5381**
Title: **Translation in Business**

Course Prefix & No. **TRAN 5385**
Title: **Healthcare Translation and Interpreting**

Acceptance into the Graduate Program

☒ Students in this Fast Track program are automatically accepted into this graduate program upon accepted application to the FT program.

☐ Students in this Fast Track program need to meet the following additional requirements to be accepted to this graduate program:

CURRICULUM PROPOSAL

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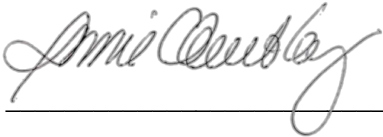
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Department: Chicano Studies, Languages, and Linguistics

DEPARTMENT CHAIR- Dr. Annie C. Tremblay

I have read the enclosed proposal and approve this proposal on behalf of the department.



9/17/2025

Signature

Date

COLLEGE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE CHAIR – Dr. Selfa Chew-Melendez

I have read the enclosed documents and approve the proposal on behalf of the college curriculum committee.

Signature

Date

COLLEGE DEAN – Dr. Anadeli Bencomo

I have read the enclosed documents and approve the proposal on behalf of the college. I certify that the necessary funds will be allocated by the college in support of this proposal.

Signature

Date