

Department of Modern Languages: Minor in Spanish for Nursing Majors

The Minor in Spanish and Hispanic Studies offers students the opportunity to complement their major specialization by acquiring linguistic competence in one of the world's most significant languages. Minors also develop an awareness of the diversity of Hispanophone cultures and literatures.

The minor, requiring 20 credit hours, is outlined below. Courses beyond SPAN 201 can integrate individualized projects, assignments, and/or presentations relevant to the student's major and comprising a minor portfolio. Courses particularly well suited to this are marked with an asterisk.

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Course Number	Title	Credit Hours
SPAN 102 [†]	Elementary Spanish II (Prereq: SPAN 101; offered Fall, Spring, Summer) Note: SPAN 101 is the prerequisite for SPAN 102.	3
SPAN 201 [†]	Intermediate Spanish (Prereq: SPAN 102; offered Fall, Spring, Summer)	3
SPAN 203 [†]	Spanish Readings (Prereq: SPAN 201; offered Fall, Spring, Summer)	3
*SPAN 216 OR *SPAN 316 OR *SPAN 317	Intermediate Conversation (Prereq: SPAN 201; offered Fall, Spring), <i>OR</i> Advanced Conversation I (Prereq: SPAN 216, or SPAN 203 and instructor's permission; usually offered in Fall semesters), <i>OR</i> Advanced Conversation II (Prereq: SPAN 216, or SPAN 203 and instructor's permission; usually offered in Spring semesters)	2
SPAN 310	Composition (Prereq: SPAN 203; offered in Fall semesters)	3
*SPAN 320	Introduction to Hispanic Cultures (Prereq: SPAN 203; offered in Spring semesters)	3
One Spanish elective at *SPAN 332 SPAN 340 SPAN 432 SPAN 442 *SPAN 451 *SPAN 455	the 300- or 400-level as offered or advised. <u>Some suggested courses:</u> Spanish for the Professions (Prereq: SPAN 203; offered in Spring semesters) Introduction to Hispanic Literature (Prereq: SPAN 203; offered in Spring semesters) Survey of Spanish Literature II (Prereq: SPAN 340 or permission of the instructor; generally offered in Spring semesters of odd-numbered years) Latin American Literature: 20th Century (Prereq: SPAN 340 or permission of the instructor; generally offered in Spring semesters of even-numbered years) Topics in Hispanic Culture (Prereq: SPAN 340 or permission of the instructor; offered on an irregular basis) Hispanic Cinema (Prereq: SPAN 340 or permission of the instructor; offered on an irregular basis)	3
	Total hours	20

[†] Heritage speakers (those who understand spoken Spanish and speak it to varying degrees, but have limited or no formal exposure to grammar) may substitute SPAN 301 for SPAN 102, 201, and 203.

* Courses particularly suited to individualized projects and assignments for the minor portfolio.

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