

LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES - SUPPLEMENTAL MAJOR

This program consists of 24 credits drawn from the lists below of which 18 credits must be numbered 300 or above. In addition, students must satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences Second Language Requirement.

Options

There are two options based on the section chosen by the student:

Option 1

Concentration in Latin American Language, Culture and Literature (Spanish or Portuguese):

- 12 credits from Section 1
- 12 credits from Section 2, (*Note: No more than 6 credits may be taken in a single department*)

Option 2

Concentration in one major (e.g., history, government, economics, health science, anthropology, sociology) included in Latin American Social Sciences and Art:

- 12 credits in the chosen area of Section 2
- 6 credits from another area (or areas) of Section 2
- 6 credits from Section 1

Both options require that the student take at least two Spanish or Portuguese courses above 300-level.

Section 1: Latin American Language, Culture and Literature

Only 3 credits will count.

Prefix	Title	Credits
Spanish/Portuguese Language		
Select one from the following: 3		
SPAN 325	Advanced Conversation	
SPAN 327	Spanish in the Community	
PHLS 4610	Health Disparities: Determinants and Interventions	
Culture		
SPAN 305	Topics in Hispanic Civilization	3
SPAN 306	Special Topics	3
SPAN 491	History of the Spanish Language	3
Literature		
SPAN 388	Contemporary Hispanic Literature	3

Section 2: Latin American Social Sciences and Art

Prefix	Title	Credits
Course List		
ANTH 306V	Peoples of Latin America	3
ANTH 312	The Ancient Maya	3
ANTH 313V	Ancient Mexico	3
ARTH 344	Gender, Sexuality, and Art in the Americas	3

ECON 324V	Developing Nations	3
GEOG 328V	Environment and Society of Latin America	3
POLS 371	Latin American Politics	3
POLS 378	U.S.-Mexico Border Politics	3
POLS 379	Mexican Politics	3
HIST 331	Rebels, Guerrillas, and Terrorists in Modern Latin America	3
HIST 387	Spain in the New World: Conquest, Conflict, and Cultural Exchange	3
PHLS 4630	International Health Problems	3
PHLS 4660	U.S.-Mexico Border Health Issues	3
PORT 453	Independent Luso-Brazilian Studies	1-3
SOCI 3310V	Social Issues in the Rural Americas	3
SPAN 364V	Culture and Civilization of Mexico	3
SPAN 365V	Culture and Civilization of Spanish America	3
SPAN 412	Spanish-American Poetry	3
SPAN 418	Spanish-American Short Story	3
SPAN 419	Spanish American Drama	3
SPAN 421	New Mexico Culture and Literature	3
SPAN 422	Cultural Production of Hispanic Revolutions and Wars	3
SPAN 424	Post-Modern Hispanic Literature	3
SPAN 426	Spanish-American Novel	3
SPAN 447	Hispanic Film	3

In both sections, independent studies, honors or special topics courses may be chosen with the approval of the Supplementary Major in Latin American Studies advisor, the head of the Department of Languages and Linguistics, and the College of Arts and Sciences. As departments add new courses they may be included in the program.