

## CARRER OPPORTUNITIES FOR SPANISH MAJORS AND MINORS

Spanish is the mother tongue of an estimated 350 million people in twenty one countries, and in recent decades, it has become to a great extent the second language of the United States. The growing Hispanic population in the United States offers economic and professional employment opportunities in the rapidly growing Spanish speaking markets. In particular, speaking Spanish will increase your salary potential or help you get a job in a least the following areas:

Translation / Interpretation  
Education  
Journalism / Broadcasting  
Linguistics  
Diplomacy  
Civil Service  
Foreign Service  
Immigration / Naturalization  
Customs  
Intelligence  
Law Enforcement

There are many innovative and lucrative opportunities for Spanish speakers. Please visit our website ([www.memphis.edu/fl/spanish/Why\\_study\\_Spanish.htm](http://www.memphis.edu/fl/spanish/Why_study_Spanish.htm)) for more information about exciting opportunities for graduates of our program and visit ([www.memphis.edu/fl/spanish/success\\_stories.php](http://www.memphis.edu/fl/spanish/success_stories.php)) to read about our successful graduates.

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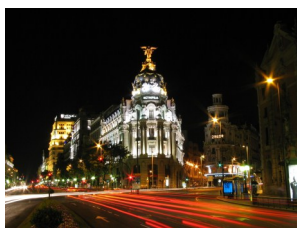
“I do the impossible, because the possible

anyone can do.”

—Pablo Picasso

# Study Abroad

The Spanish section has many opportunities for students to study abroad and be immersed in the target language. The section has two faculty led summer programs in Spain and Costa Rica.



The Office of Study Abroad has many partnerships with foreign Universities for students to study for a semester or year long program. For more information please visit [www.memphis.edu/abroad](http://www.memphis.edu/abroad).

There are also numerous scholarships and financial aid options to assist students. Contact the Office of Study Aboard for more information.

## Activities & Events

### La Mesa Española (The Spanish Table)

This conversation group meets to allow students an extra opportunity to practice Spanish in an informal setting. For more information you can contact Lindsey Aston.

### Spanish Club

The goal of the club is to have a casual setting for people to be exposed to Spanish language and culture. The club is open to all Spanish speakers, including students of all levels. For more information, check their Facebook page or contact Vania Barraza Toledo (Faculty Advisor).

### Sigma Delta Pi (Hispanic Honorary Society)

Activities include the initiation ceremony, occasional lectures and fiestas. Contact Ivan Ortega Santos for more information.

## SPANISH MAJOR AND MINOR

### Requirements for a Spanish Major:

Eight upper division courses (24 credit hours after the successful completion of SPAN 2020).

### Requirements for a Spanish Minor:

18 credit hours of Spanish, including three upper-division courses.

### Course Offerings

#### Lower Division Courses:

SPAN 1010, SPAN 1020 Beginning Spanish I & II  
SPAN 2010, SPAN 2020 Intermediate Spanish I & II

#### Upper Division Courses:

SPAN 3301 Conversation  
SPAN 3303 Composition  
SPAN 3311 Intermediate Conversation  
SPAN 3312 Advanced Conversation  
SPAN 3313 Advanced Composition  
SPAN 4307, 4308 Advanced Grammar  
4306 Applied Spanish linguistics  
4410 Spanish Literature and Civilization  
4431 Contemporary Spanish Prose

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SPAN 4432 Contemporary Spanish Poetry and Drama  
SPAN 4510 Spanish American Literature and Civilization  
SPAN 4561 Pre-Contemporary Spanish American Prose Fiction  
SPAN 4563 Hispanic Literary Genres  
SPAN 4562 Contemporary Spanish American Prose Fiction  
SPAN 4701 Spanish for Commerce  
SPAN 4703 Languages/Cultures/Communities  
SPAN 4704 Spanish for Healthcare  
SPAN 4790-99 Special Topics in Literature and Linguistics

### Master of Arts in Romance Languages with Concentration in Spanish

The MA program prepares students in the areas of literature, culture, education, grammar, and linguistics and is oriented toward the preparation of students who may be interested in teaching in public and private primary and secondary education, teaching as a part-time or full-time University instructor, or pursuing a PhD. It enhances a student's career opportunities in law or business as well as governmental agencies. Please contact the Spanish Graduate Advisor for more information.

### Graduate Courses:

SPAN 6306 - Applied Span Linguistics  
SPAN 6307 - Advanced Grammar and Writing  
SPAN 6308 - Advanced Grammar and Speech  
SPAN 6410 - Spanish Literature and Civilization  
SPAN 6510 - Spanish American Literature and Civilization  
SPAN 6563 - Spanish Literature Genres  
SPAN 7101 - Introduction Hispanic Culture and Business  
SPAN 7102 - Communication in Hispanic World  
SPAN 7201 - Workshop Spanish Language  
SPAN 7301 - Spanish Phonology  
SPAN 7302 - Spanish Syntax & Semantics  
SPAN 7304 - Evolution Of Spanish  
SPAN 7305 - Spanish American Dialectology

SPAN 7420 - Medieval Spanish Literature  
SPAN 7421 - The Golden Age  
SPAN 7430 - 18th-19th Cent Spanish Literature  
SPAN 7431 - 20th Cent Peninsular Literature  
SPAN 7451 - Studies Spanish Culture  
SPAN 7452 - 19th-20th Cent Hispanic Culture and Literature  
SPAN 7453 - Studies in Latin American Culture  
SPAN 7532 - Spanish American Drama  
SPAN 7561 - Pre-Contemporary Spanish American Prose  
SPAN 7562 - Contemporary Spanish Am Prose Fiction  
SPAN 7591 - Seminar Spanish American Literature  
SPAN 7691 - Research Hispanic Studies  
SPAN 7692 - Research in Literature and Culture