

Study **Abroad**

Study abroad opportunities are available during summer sessions, fall and spring semesters and for a full academic year. Some of our most popular programs take place in **Costa Rica, Spain, Peru, Argentina** and **Chile**.

Excellent scholarship opportunities are available for qualified students.

For more information on the study abroad options and information about scholarships, other programs and how to apply to study abroad visit the website of the Study Abroad Office. You can also contact your academic advisor for more information.

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Internships

An internship is a cooperative educational arrangement between the student, the University of Memphis and a community partner. Each year more than 5,000 UofM students are interning in schools, hospitals, businesses, nonprofit organizations and government agencies. Through internships, the community offers students the opportunity to:

- Enhance professional development with first-hand experience in the world of work
- Build an effective resume that results in better job offers after graduation
- Improve knowledge, skills and abilities to meet career goals
- Develop a network of professional contacts
- Reinforce learning received in coursework

Employers rate relevant work experience as the most important criteria during the job selection process. A high-quality internship provides the key to a more meaningful education and future.

Tenured **Faculty**

Pilar Alcalde (1998), Associate Professor of Spanish
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Vania Barraza-Toledo (2008), Associate Professor of Spanish
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Add a **Major or Minor**

If you want to change your major to one in the **College of Arts & Sciences**, or already have a major in the College of Arts & Sciences, come to Scates 107 or email casgraduation@memphis.edu

to declare a second major or Spanish minor.

Please send your

- name,
- UUID and
- the new major/minor.

If your major is in **another college**, you should contact the advising office of your college to declare a minor.

QUESTIONS?

If you have more specific questions or if you are a native/heritage speaker of Spanish, please contact:

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Why study **Spanish**?

1. Communicate with 350 million Spanish speakers worldwide.
2. Communicate with Spanish-speaking people in the U.S.A.
3. Use Spanish to improve your employment potential.
4. Learn Spanish to make lifelong friends.
5. Gain Access to Spanish Film, Music, Art, Literature.
6. Enter your reasons _____

Engagement **Opportunities**

La Mesa Española (The Spanish Table)

A faculty-led conversation group meets weekly to allow students an extra opportunity to practice Spanish in an informal setting.

www.memphis.edu/wll/student-resources/clubs-tables.php

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.

Contact: Vania Barraza-Toledo

vbarraza@memphis.edu

www.facebook.com/umspanishclub

Sigma Delta Pi (Hispanic Honorary Society)

Activities include the initiation ceremony, occasional lectures and fiestas.

Contact: Ivan Ortega Santos

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World Languages and Literatures Student Ambassadors

The purpose of the Student Ambassador Program in the Department of World Languages and Literatures is to provide undergraduate students with a volunteer opportunity through which they may contribute to departmental activities and help the department in its promotional and recruitment efforts.

BA Degree **Requirements**

WORLD LANGUAGES

University General Education Program (41 hours)

See four-year degree plan for General Education requirements.

College and Degree (BA) Requirements (6-9 hours)

The College of Arts & Sciences and Bachelor of Arts requirements are in addition to the University General Education Program requirements and are listed in the Undergraduate Catalog.

The Major (24-33 hours)

Successful completion of one of the following concentrations:

- A single-language concentration in French, Chinese, German, Italian, Japanese or *Spanish: 24 upper division semester hours.
- A two-language concentration chosen from Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Portuguese, Russian and Spanish: 27 upper division semester hours with a minimum of 9 semester hours in each language.
- A three-language concentration chosen from Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Portuguese, Russian and Spanish: All three language concentrations require prior consultation with the approval of the department chair. Plans will normally include at least 33 upper division semester hours to include at least 12 semester hours in each of two languages plus approved course work in a third language.

** Students with a single-language concentration in Spanish must take SPAN 4410, 4510 and 4563.*

Electives may be chosen to total 120 required hours.

Undergraduate **Courses**

Lower Division Spanish Courses

SPAN 1010 Elementary Spanish I

SPAN 1020 Elementary Spanish II

SPAN 2010 Intermediate Spanish I

SPAN 2020 Intermediate Spanish II

Upper Division Spanish Courses

SPAN 3301 Conversation

SPAN 3303 Composition

SPAN 3304 Introduction to Hispanic Studies

SPAN 3308 Spanish Phonetics

SPAN 3312 Advanced Conversation

SPAN 3313 Advanced Composition

SPAN 4306 Applied Spanish Linguistics

SPAN 4307 Advanced Grammar/Writing

SPAN 4308 Advanced Grammar/Speech

SPAN 4310 Spanish for Heritage Speakers

SPAN 4410 Spanish Literature and Civilization

SPAN 4431 Contemporary Spanish Prose

SPAN 4432 Contemporary Spanish Poetry/Drama

SPAN 4510 Spanish American Literature/Civilization

SPAN 4561 Pre-Contemporary Spanish Amer. Fiction

SPAN 4562 Contemporary Spanish American Fiction

SPAN 4563 Hispanic Literature Genres

SPAN 4701 Spanish for Commerce I

SPAN 4702 Spanish for Commerce II

SPAN 4703 Languages/Cultures/Communities

SPAN 4704 Spanish for Healthcare

Graduate **Studies**

Master of Arts in Romance Languages With a Concentration in Spanish

Dr. Fernando Burgos

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