

INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE STUDIES

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The department provides students with communicative competence in a second language, promotes a greater understanding of and appreciation for the significance of language in human interaction, fosters interest in other cultures, and encourages intellectual development through enhanced cognitive and analytical skills.

The department offers many opportunities for language students to enhance an appreciation of other cultures and to develop fluency in the use of another language by participating in the Adventist Colleges Abroad (ACA) programs, language clubs, the National Language Honor Society, and ethnic church activities.

Students wishing to study French or Spanish should attend one

ing students abroad where they can use their language and business skills in an international professional environment. Students who do not go abroad are placed regionally and work one or two semesters for an employer in a staff support or administrative capacity.

The program is designed so that students can complete the 145-credit program in 10 semesters.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Specialized Studies in Language—27

French. Requires a minimum of 27 credits including FREN420 or 430, 470, 480, and 3 credits of an elective course at the 400 level.

All majors are required to attend a full academic year at the Centre universitaire et pédagogique du Salève, Collonges, France.

Spanish. Requires a minimum of 27 credits including SPAN420, 426 or 436, 470, and 3 credits of an elective course at the 400 level.

All majors are required to attend a full academic year at Colegio Adventista de Sagunto, Spain, or Universidad Adventista del Plata, Argentina.

Business Core and Business Major with Cognate—72

Business Core—39

ACCT121, 122; BSAD341, 355, 365, 475, 494; ECON225, 226; FNCE317; INFS110, 215; MKTG310.

Business Major—27

BSAD345, 384, 410, 450, 467

Group A – 3

FNCE426; ECON427, 454

Group B – 9

MKTG465; INLS490, 495.

Cognate: MATH182; STAT285—6

CERTIFICATION IN BUSINESS FRENCH

Andrews University is an approved examination center of the Paris Chamber of Commerce. Students may take the Diplome de Francais des Affaires ler fi Zeme degrees de la Chambre de Commerce et d'Industrie de Paris at Andrews University. These French diplomas, identical to the ones taken in France, are highly respected in the United States, Canada, France, and Europe. Students who succeed in obtaining the Diplome de Francais des

German

Seminar Schloss Bogenhofen, St. Peter am
Hart near Braunau Austria

Greek

Athens Study Center, Athens, Greece

INLS400

Topics in _____

(3)

SPAN420 ◆ (3)***Advanced Spanish Written and Oral Communication***

A comprehensive study of Spanish grammar for written and oral communication. A review of techniques and strategies to improve communication through creative writing, speech preparation, and class presentations. Emphasis on language fluency and accuracy. Conducted entirely in Spanish.

SPAN426 ◆ (3)***Contemporary Spain***

An overview of contemporary Spain and its role in Europe as well as Latin America. Special consideration of geographical aspects, commerce, industry, tourism, education, political settings, and status of the Monarchy are given. Conducted entirely in Spanish.

SPAN436 ◆ (3)***Spanish-American Culture***

An introduction to the life and people of Spanish America through lectures and readings in standard Spanish on the geography, history, politics, social problems, arts, and literature of the area. Conducted entirely in Spanish.

SPAN447 ◆ (3)***Spanish for Translation***

An introduction to the basic principles of translation from English to Spanish and from Spanish to English. An approach to techniques used in writing translation. Strong emphasis on written translations. Conducted entirely in Spanish.

SPAN448 ◆ (3)***Spanish and Latin American Literature and Film***

Comparison of artistic and linguistic differences between selected pieces of Spanish and Latin American literature and their film adaptation. Emphasis on language, characters, and cultural aspects of society. Conducted entirely in Spanish.

SPAN449 ◆ (3)***Spanish for Interpreters***

A study of the basic principles of oral interpretation from English to Spanish and from Spanish to English. An approach to techniques used in oral interpretation. Strong emphasis on oral communication. Conducted entirely in Spanish.

SPAN466 ◆ (3)***Contemporary Spanish-American Literature***

A study of selected major Spanish-American writers of our time. Emphasis on research. Conducted entirely in Spanish.

SPAN470 ◆ (3)***Spanish for International Trade***

Spoken and written Spanish common to the Spanish-speaking world of business and industry, with emphasis upon business practices, and the writing and translating of business letters and professional reports. Cross-cultural references provide opportunities for comparative and contrastive analysis of American and Spanish cultural patterns in business settings. Conducted entirely in Spanish.

GRADUATE COURSES

The following courses are available to those preparing for degree language examinations or for improvement in reading ability:

FREN505 (5)***Reading French***

For students without a working knowledge in French; an introduction to the grammar and syntax of French for the purpose of translating written French into English. May count toward a general elective only.

GRMN505 (5)***Reading German***

For students without a working knowledge in German; an introduction to the grammar and syntax of German for the purpose of translating written German into English. May count toward a general elective only.

INLS575 (1-3)***Topics in _____***

A study of selected topics in language, literature, or civilization. Topics and credits to be announced. Repeatable with different topics.

INLS590 (1-3)***Directed Study/Reading/Research/Project***

Studies in the area of French/Spanish language, literature, or civilization, as determined in consultation with the instructor.