Minor in Spanish

Spanish Minor

The Spanish minor provides students the opportunity to achieve cultural and linguistic competency, and to document their study of Spanish. It complements many majors within the College as well as other degrees across the University.

Requirements for the Spanish Minor

The minor requires 20 hours, as well as prerequisite knowledge.

Prerequisites

To advance to SPAN 340 students must earn a grade of B or better in SPAN 324 and 328, or have departmental consent.

Minor Requirements (20)

Students must complete 20 hours of coursework, including the following required courses:

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A 3 hour, 400-level literature course (SPAN 440, 441, 442, 450, 451, 452, 453, 460, 461, 462, 463).

Minor Hours & GPA

While completing required courses, minors must also meet each of the following hour and grade point average minimum standards:

Minor Hours

Satisfied by 20 hours of minor courses.

Minor Hours in Residence

Satisfied by a minimum of 9 hours of junior/senior (300+) hours of KU resident credit in the minor.

Minor Junior/Senior Hours

Satisfied by a minimum of 19 hours from junior/senior courses (300+) in the major.

Minor Graduation GPA

Satisfied by a minimum of a 2.0 GPA in all departmental courses in the minor. GPA calculations include all departmental courses in the field of study including Fs and repeated courses. See the Semester/Cumulative GPA Calculator (http://clas.ku.edu/undergrad/tools/gpa).

Study Abroad

The department offers summer programs in Barcelona, Spain; Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Salvador (Bahia), Brazil. KU offers semester/academic year programs in San José, Costa Rica; and in Ronda, Spain. More information is available from the Office of Study Abroad (http://www.studyabroad.ku.edu).

Graduate students have the opportunity to teach and conduct research during summer sessions in Puebla, Mexico; or Barcelona, Spain. The department also has a graduate exchange agreement with the University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain.