

Sample Four Year Plan

Modern Language (BA), Spanish Specialization, Starting in 330

Semester 1

- TRU 120: First Year Seminar (3 cr)
- SPAN 330: WE/Spanish Grammar and Composition (3 cr)
- Dialogues Curriculum course (3-6 cr)

Semester 3

- SPAN 353: Introduction to Hispanic Literature (3 cr)
- SPAN 363: Latin American Civilization (3 cr)
- Class toward minor or area of interest (3 cr)
- Dialogues Curriculum course (3-6 cr)

Semester 5

- SPAN 450: Advanced Spanish Grammar and Composition (3 cr)
- SPAN 460: Survey of Spanish Peninsular Literature (3 cr)
- JINS 3XX: WE/ (3 cr)
- Class toward minor or area of interest (3 cr)
- Dialogues Curriculum course (3 cr)

Semester 7

- SPAN 400-Level elective (3 cr)
- Class toward minor or area of interest (3 cr)
- Dialogues Curriculum course (6-9 cr)

Semester 2

- SPAN 340: Spanish Conversation (3 cr)
- LING 238: Introduction to Linguistics (3 cr)
- Dialogues Curriculum course (6-9 cr)

Semester 4

- SPAN 364: Spanish Phonetics and Phonology (3 cr)
- Class toward minor or area of interest (3 cr)
- Dialogues Curriculum course (3-6 cr)

Choose SPAN 300-level elective:

- SPAN 362: Civilization of Spain (3 cr), OR
- SPAN 360: US Latino Culture in Historical Context (3 cr), **OR**
- SPAN 366: Spanish for Business (3 cr)

Semester 6

- SPAN 461: WE/Survey of Spanish American Literature (3 cr)
- SPAN 400-level elective (3 cr)
- Class toward minor or area of interest (3 cr)
- Dialogues Curriculum course (3-6 cr)

Semester 8

- CML 470: Modern Language Capstone Experience (2 cr)
- Class toward minor or area of interest (3 cr)
- Dialogues Curriculum course (9 cr)

NOTES:

- Most Spanish majors study abroad. In this case, the student could choose to participate in a
 faculty- led summer program to Spain or Costa Rica after the freshman or sophomore year for 6
 hours of major credit and 6 hours of elective credit OR s/he could study abroad for an entire
 semester and transfer 9 hours of credit into the major. The remaining credit earned could be
 applied to a second major, a minor, or used as general elective credit.
- WE = Writing Enhanced course
- If you have not completed the Civics Exam, we recommend doing so in your **first year**.
- Truman students are required to complete a <u>Portfolio</u> to graduate. We recommend starting to compile your work for the Portfolio sooner than later.
- Students must complete their Application to Graduate **the semester prior to graduating**. Apply to graduate through TruView.
- Graduating seniors need to complete their seniors test and questionnaire. We recommend reviewing the <u>Assessment & Testing page</u> to plan accordingly.
- The Dialogues curriculum requires a certain number of courses/credit hours in the following

Perspectives: Social, Arts and Humanities, STEM, Communications, and Statistics. The exact number of courses a student will be required to take during their undergraduate career varies individually according to the credit transferred in.

Department Chair: Please contact the <u>Center for Academic Excellence</u> with any updates to the plan above. Rev. 8-7-24