

**COMPREHENSIVE MAJOR: LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES, TEACHING
(Code 340-003) (B.A.) (60 credits)**

**General Education (GE) or Liberal Education (LE) Requirements met through this major
(NOTE: Students using the 2016-17 catalog and beyond need to fulfill Liberal Education (LE) requirements.)
FC=Foreign Culture credit CD=Cultural Diversity credit**

Courses marked with an asterisk (*) also work towards completion of the upper-division requirement. LAS majors and minors are required to complete a minimum six-week residence/immersion in a Latin American country; a semester is strongly recommended for any student pursuing this major. This major is restricted to students in the College of Education and Human Sciences: Education Studies: Option C and leads to licensure to teach Spanish in Early Childhood through Adolescence classrooms.

Required Courses (30-33 credits)			
Course Number and Title	Credits	GE, FC and/or CD	LE
LAS 150: Introduction to Latin American Studies	3 crs.	GE III G; FC	R2
LAS 222: Introduction to US Latino History and Culture	3 crs.	GE IVE; CD	K3; R1 + DD
*LAS 450: Capstone for Latin American Studies	1-3 crs.	FC	
*Spanish 301: Advanced Composition	3 crs.	GEIA	Note: Students receive R2 credits for SPAN 201 and 202, and S1 credits for SPAN 101 and 102 but will need another S1 as one S1 experience must satisfy the University writing requirement.
*Spanish 302: Advanced Conversation and Composition	3 crs.	GEIA	
*Spanish/LAS 352: Latin American Civilization <i>or</i> *Spanish/LAS 354: Latin American Civilization: Regional Focus	3 crs.	GE IVD; FC	
*Spanish/LAS 367: Survey of Latin American Literature	3 crs.	GE IVD; FC	
*Spanish 405: Advanced Conversation	3 crs.	GEIA	
The following courses are also required to fulfill the 30-33 credits required in this section, but these courses do not fulfill GE, CD, FC or LE requirements:			
*SPAN 325	Phonetics and Pronunciation		(3 crs.)
*SPAN 410	Advanced Grammar		(3 crs.)
*FLG 378	Second Language Acquisition Theory		(3 crs.)

NOTE: Any study abroad program may fulfill one II experience; students must opt in. Consult with the Center for International Education or your adviser for details.

...plus at least ONE of the following...			
Course Number and Title	Credits	GE, FC and/or CD	LE
*Spanish 360 Survey of Hispanic Linguistics	3 crs.		
*Spanish/LAS 418 Spanish Sociolinguistics in Latin America/USA	3 crs.		
*Spanish/LAS 475: Topics in Latin American Literature	3 crs.	FC	
*Spanish/LAS 476: The Novel in Latin America: 1850-1950	3 crs.	FC	
*Spanish/LAS 477: The Novel in Latin America: 1950-present	3 crs.	FC	
*Spanish/LAS 480: Latin American Literature and Film	3 crs.	FC	
*Spanish/Women's Studies 482: Women in Latin American Literature	3 crs.	FC	
...and at least 6 additional credits in upper-division Spanish courses.			

Electives – a minimum of 21 credits (or equivalent courses offered in the study abroad programs)			
Course Number and Title	Credits	GE, FC and/or CD	LE
*American Indian Studies 444: Indigenous Theory and Methodologies	3 crs.	CD3	
*Anthropology/Women's Studies 356: Women in Cross-Cultural Perspective	3 crs.	GE IIIA; FC	
*Art History/American Indian Studies 335: Pre-Columbian Art of Mexico and Central America	3 crs.	GE IVA; FC	K4
*Art History/American Indian Studies 337: Art of Tawantinsuyo	3 crs.	GE IVA; FC	K4
*Economics/LAS 356: Economic Development of Latin America	3 crs.	GE III B; FC	I1
*ENGL 397: Writing Center Theory and Practice	3 crs.	Service Learning (full 30 hours)	
* Foreign Language in Translation/LAS 350: Spanish American Literature in Translation	3 crs.	GE IV D; FC	
*Geography/LAS 321: Geography of Latin America	3 crs.	GE IIIC; FC	R2; I1
*History/LAS 309: Latin America through Independence	3 crs.	GE IVC	
*History/LAS 311: Latin America since Independence	3 crs.	GE IVC; FC	
Honors 132: Honors Colloquium (when focused on Latinx/Hispanic related topics)	3-4 crs.		R1; K3 + DD
*LAS 314: Music and Dance of Latin America	3 crs.	GE IVE; CD1; FC	
*LAS 390: Latin American Studies Immersion Experience (only faculty led international programs)	1-3 crs.	GE IIIG; FC	R2
Math 107: Mathematics in Latin American Cultures	4 crs.	GE IB	S2
*Nursing 389: Cross-Cultural Health	3 crs.	CD	R1 + DD
*Political Science/LAS 319: Politics of Latin America	3 crs.	GEIIID; FC	
*Political Science/LAS 320: Caribbean Politics	3 crs.	GEIIID; FC	
*Religious Studies/American Indian Studies 330: Indigenous religions of the Americas	3 crs.	GE IV B; FC; CD2	
*Sociology 312: Race and Ethnicity in the US <i>or</i> *Sociology 314: Social Class and Inequality	3 crs.	GE IIIF; CD	R1 + DD
*Women's Studies 422: Women's Studies Advanced Travel Seminar (when offered as Women in Nicaragua)	1-6 crs.	GE IIIG	R2

You may also choose from the following courses to fulfill the minimum 21 credits required in this section, but these courses do not fulfill GE, CD, FC or LE requirements:

*LAS 395	Directed Studies	(3 crs.)
*LAS 488	Internship (can earn a total of six credits, but only three can count for the major)	(3 crs.)
*LAS 491	Special Topics	(3 crs.)
*LAS 498	Internship with Language Immersion (same restriction as for LAS 488 above)	(3 crs.)
*SPAN 492	Seminar in Hispanic Linguistics Research	(3 crs.)

Consult with an LAS adviser or the LAS Program Director in case other courses have been added to this list or any other changes have been made.