

# SPANISH (SP)

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## SP 500. Special Topics. 3 Credits.

The subject varies based on faculty and student interests.

**Prerequisites:** None

**Offered:** As needed

## SP 501. Spanish Grammar. 3 Credits.

This intensive study of the Spanish language at the advanced level builds on students' prior knowledge of the forms and paradigms of Spanish.

Students receive instruction in verb tense usage, sentence syntax, lexical choices, nuances of word order and idiomatic usage. Emphasis is placed on composition skills and clarity of expression. Exercises to solidify knowledge are used extensively.

**Prerequisites:** Take SP 301.

**Offered:** As needed

## SP 510. Spanish for Health Professions I. 3 Credits.

This 7-week, online, asynchronous course is the first in a two-course sequence for a 'Spanish Language for Medical Professionals Certificate' designed for future and current health care professionals (doctors, emergency medical technicians, emergency responders, hospital administrators, medical assistants, nurses, nutritionists, physical therapists, physician assistants, pre-dental medicine/dentists, pre-medicine/medicine, social workers, and others) at all levels in their education with a beginning to intermediate knowledge of Spanish.

Students review grammatical structures needed to interact effectively with patients, acquire intercultural awareness, and learn essential medical and technical terminology while engaging in rigorous practice in reading, writing, speaking, and listening with the goal of providing better healthcare to Spanish-speaking patients. Topics include common cold and influenza, parts of the body, pain, diagnosing injuries, personal information, vital signs, family medical history, pediatric medical history, forms of medications and routes of administration, medication allergies and allergic reactions, asthma, special diets for patients, colonoscopy preparation, physical therapy, and diabetes. This graduate course requires the completion of a final project in consultation with the instructor.

**Prerequisites:** None

**Offered:** Every year, All

## SP 511. Spanish for Health Professions II. 3 Credits.

This 7-week, online, asynchronous course is the first in a two-course sequence for a 'Spanish Language for Medical Professionals Certificate' designed for future and current health care professionals (doctors, emergency medical technicians, emergency responders, hospital administrators, medical assistants, nurses, nutritionists, physical therapists, physician assistants, pre-dental medicine/dentists, pre-medicine/medicine, social workers, and others) at all levels in their education with a beginning to intermediate knowledge of Spanish. Students review grammatical structures needed to interact effectively with patients, acquire intercultural awareness, and learn essential medical and technical terminology while engaging in rigorous practice in reading, writing, speaking, and listening with the goal of providing better healthcare to Spanish-speaking patients. Topics include physical examination, testing and procedures, scheduling follow-up tests, exams unique to women and men, providing test results, conducting a pre-surgery interview, heart disease, medical conditions, cancer, tuberculosis, infectious and tropical diseases, organs and glands, general symptoms, some surgeries and procedures, surgical history, vaccinations, hospitalization, activities of daily living, hospital discharge, dental hygiene, mental health, neurological exam, addictions, pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases. This graduate course requires the completion of a final project in consultation with the instructor.

**Prerequisites:** None

**Offered:** Every year, All

## SP 517. Literary Genres. 3 Credits.

Literary genres and their manifestations in Spanish and Spanish-American literature are studied in depth in this course.

**Prerequisites:** None

**Offered:** As needed

## SP 528. Spanish-American Literature. 3 Credits.

This study of the major literary productions from Spanish America begins with the Conquest, continues through the Colonial period, Independence, modernism, and early 20th-century realism, and concludes with manifestations of late 20th-century experimentation.

**Prerequisites:** None

**Offered:** As needed

## SP 548. Golden Age Drama and Poetry. 3 Credits.

This study of the major dramatists and poets of the Siglo de Oro (16th and 17th centuries) of Spain covers Renaissance and Baroque styles. Major authors considered include Lope de Vega, Tirso de Molina, Calderón de la Barca, Garcilaso and Góngora.

**Prerequisites:** None

**Offered:** As needed

## SP 551L. Intensive Oral and Written Practice in Advanced Spanish for Teachers. 1 Credit.

Intensive oral and written practice to accompany a graduate MAT Spanish course. Students practice proficiency in Spanish at the Advanced-Low ACTFL OPI and WPT.

**Prerequisites:** None

**Offered:** Every year, Spring

## SP 552L. Intensive Oral and Written Practice in Advanced Spanish for Teachers. 1 Credit.

Intensive oral and written practice to accompany a graduate MAT Spanish course. Students practice proficiency in Spanish at the Advanced-Low ACTFL OPI and WPT.

**Prerequisites:** None

**Offered:** Every year, Fall

**SP 553L. Intensive Oral and Written Practice in Advanced Spanish for Teachers. 1 Credit.**

Intensive oral and written practice to accompany a graduate MAT Spanish course. Students practice proficiency in Spanish at the Advanced-Low ACTFL OPI and WPT.

**Prerequisites:** None

**Offered:** Every year, Summer

**SP 570. The Modern Spanish Short Story. 3 Credits.**

The short story as a genre as well as 19th- and 20th-century masterpieces written in Spain and Latin America are explored with close literary and linguistic analysis of each text and also consideration of its cultural context.

**Prerequisites:** None

**Offered:** As needed

**SP 571. The Romance Languages. 3 Credits.**

This linguistics course examines the origins and development of Romance languages with particular attention to Spanish.

**Prerequisites:** None

**Offered:** Every year, All

**SP 576. The Spanish Caribbean. 3 Credits.**

This course studies the peoples, history and society of Puerto Rico, Cuba and the Dominican Republic as well as their artistic and literary expression. Also, features of the Spanish language (semantics and grammar) as spoken in the Caribbean are examined.

**Prerequisites:** None

**Offered:** As needed

**SP 599. Independent Study. 1-6 Credits.**

Directed study in topics in Spanish language, culture or literature of special interest to the student.

**Prerequisites:** None

**Offered:** As needed, All