

Madonna University

Spanish Language ! College of Arts & Humanities

About the Program

Overview

Madonna University offers a major and a minor in Spanish. The program consists of a four- year sequence of instruction that includes Spanish language, literature, history, and culture.

There are classes at all levels.

The program is designed to lead students from the most basic forms of Spanish to more advanced modes of understanding, speaking, reading, writing, translating, and interpreting.

The study of Spanish can be combined easily with those areas listed under "Career Opportunities."

Unique features

- Available for college students and interested adults.
- Smaller and personalized classes.
- Directed and Independent Study classes can be arranged.
- Madonna University connections with "sister" Universities: Universidad de Vasco de Quiroga in Morelia, Mexico and Universidad de La Coruña in La Coruña, Spain

Plan of Study - Bachelor's Degree

Spanish Major (30 s.h.)
30 semester hours beyond the first year: beyond SPA 1010 and 1020

Course descriptions:

SPA 1010,1020 Elementary Spanish I, II
SPA 2230,2240 Intermediate Spanish I, II
SPA 3000 Spanish for Human Services
SPA 3110 Spanish Phonology
SPA 3200 Spanish Project
SPA 3220 Spanish Culture & Civilization
SPA 3230 Latin American Culture & Civilization
SPA 3310 Oral & Written Composition
SPA 3570 Spanish Literature I
SPA 3580 Spanish Literature II
SPA 3600 Spanish: Special Topics
SPA 4800 Foreign Study in Spain / Spanish America

Spanish Minor (20 s.h.)
20 semester hours beyond elementary level.

Not applicable toward major/minor:
SPA 1010, 1020, 3000.

Required for major/minor:
SPA 3220 or 3230
SPA 3570 or 3580

Spanish students are encouraged to study in a Spanish-speaking country.

In addition to the regular foreign study covered in SPA 4800, Spanish students may also apply to participate in the Madonna University Service-Learning Experience held for two weeks in Morelia, Mexico.

Selected Course Offerings

1010, 1020 Elementary Spanish I, II
Introduces the basic skills for mastery of the Spanish language; listening, speaking, reading and writing. Spanish culture and civilization are also studied. At least one hour of language learning is required daily.

2230, 2240 Intermediate Spanish I, II
These courses are designed to increase the student's ability to speak, read and write Spanish. Further development of language skills is stressed. At least one hour of language learning required daily. Prerequisite: SPA 1020 or two years of secondary school Spanish.

Career-specific workshops such as **Spanish for Business, Medical and Social Services** and for **Law Enforcement** are offered by arrangement.

Special topic workshops can also be arranged.

Madonna University also offers a **Certificate of Achievement in International Studies**. The language requirement and study-abroad component for the Certificate can be met through the Spanish program.



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Career Opportunities

Teaching

Elementary, middle &
high school

Health Care Professions

Business

International Business
Banking
Businesses with Hispanic
marketing

Government

Federal Bureau of
Investigation
Central Intelligence Agency
Police departments
State and local government
offices
Immigration and Naturalization
Service

Social Service

Social Workers
Psychology
Case Workers

Translators

Newspapers
Magazines
Literature
Textbooks
Legal Documents

Interpreters (Oral Translators)

Private Corporations
Public Service
Court Room

Teacher Certification

Teacher certification available.
Contact the College of
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