

Spanish, PhD

Academic Plans

Sample Plan of Study

Sample plans represent one way to complete a program of study. Actual course selection and sequence will vary and should be discussed with an academic advisor. For additional sample plans, see MyUI.

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Literatures/Cultures Track

Course	Title	Hours
Academic Career		
Any Semester		
72 s.h. must be graduate level coursework; maximum of 30 s.h. of graduate transfer credits taken for the master's from an accredited institution allowed upon approval. More information is included in the General Catalog and on department website. ^{a, b}		
Students in this track must complete the equivalent of three years of college-level study in one language.		
Completion of a graduate certificate that complements the Literatures/Cultures track is strongly encouraged. ^c		
Hours		0
First Year		
Fall		
SPAN:5000	Teaching and Learning Languages ^e	3
SPAN:5000	Teaching and Learning Languages	3
SPAN:5000	Teaching and Learning Languages	3
Hours		9
Spring		
SPAN:5000	Teaching and Learning Languages ^e	3
SPAN:5000	Teaching and Learning Languages	3
SPAN:5000	Teaching and Learning Languages	3
Hours		9
Second Year		
Fall		
SPAN:5000	Teaching and Learning Languages ^e	3
SPAN:5000	Teaching and Learning Languages	3
SPAN:5000	Teaching and Learning Languages	3
Hours		9
Spring		
SPAN:5000	Teaching and Learning Languages ^e	3
SPAN:5000	Teaching and Learning Languages	3
SPAN:5000	Teaching and Learning Languages	3
Hours		9
Third Year		
Fall		
SPAN:5002	Pedagogical Practicum	2
SPAN:5002	Pedagogical Practicum	2
Hours		2

Spring

Dissertation Prospectus		
SPAN:6999	Thesis ^g	2
Hours		2

Fourth Year

Fall		
SPAN:6999	Thesis ^g	1
Hours		1

Spring

SPAN:6999	Thesis ^g	1
Exam: Doctoral Final Exam ^h		1
Hours		1
Total Hours		42

- a Students entering with fewer than 30 s.h. of coursework from the master's degree must work with their faculty advisor to complete the needed appropriate graduate coursework.
- b Students must complete specific requirements in the University of Iowa Graduate College after program admission. Refer to the Graduate College website and the Manual of Rules and Regulations for more information.
- c Possible options include the certificates in Book Arts and Book Studies; College Teaching; Gender, Women's, and Sexuality Studies; Literary Translation; Online Teaching; and Public Digital Humanities. More information is included in the General Catalog and on department website.
- d Work with faculty advisor to select appropriate graduate coursework.
- e Complete six courses (at least 18 s.h.) chosen in conjunction with advisor. Students approved for a creative writing dissertation must take at least three graduate courses in Spanish creative writing, and students approved for a literary or cultural studies dissertation must take at least three graduate courses in Spanish or Spanish American literature or culture.
- f Includes both written and oral components.
- g Complete at least 3 s.h. of thesis credit.
- h Dissertation defense.