SPANISH, B.A.

Begin Campus: Any Penn State Campus

End Campus: University Park

Program Learning Objectives

1. Students will have developed oral skills in Spanish that allow them to communicate efficiently in a range of settings from informal to professional.

2. Students will have developed literacy skills that allow them to read texts written for native speakers of Spanish. Majors should be able to understand and interpret a variety of media ranging from newspapers to literary texts to formal academic prose.

3. Students will have developed control of Spanish grammar and syntax as demonstrated in written work.

4. Students will have developed a broad cultural awareness of the Spanish-speaking world.

5. Students will be familiar with major authors and literary works from Spain and Latin America.

6. Students will have been strongly encouraged to spend at least one semester abroad immersed in the target language and its culture through a study abroad program.