SPANISH, B.A.

Begin Campus: Any Penn State Campus

End Campus: University Park

Program Learning Objectives

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

• 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.

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

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

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

• 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.