

Salamanca Immersion Program Course List

SPA 199. Internship in Spanish Language. (1.5h or 3h) Under faculty direction, a student undertakes a language project in conjunction with a service commitment or internship in a Spanish-speaking country. Includes, but is not limited to, vocabulary building, keeping a journal, and reading professional material. *Offered only in Salamanca.* May be repeated for credit. Pass/Fail only. P—SPA 309 or 309L; or POI.

Core courses that count towards the Spanish major/minor

SPA 304. Intensive Spanish. (3h) Intensive study and practice of the oral and written language. Familiarization with Spanish culture and daily life. Classes in conversational and idiomatic Spanish, excursions to points of interest and lectures on selected topics.

SPA 309. Grammar and Composition. (4h) Systematic study of Spanish morphology, sentence structure, and expository usage applied to various kinds of composition, including description, narration, and argumentation. P—SPA 280 or equivalent.

SPA 313. Lights, Camera, ¡Acción!. Cinema and Culture in the Spanish-Speaking World. (3h) Traces the development of cinematic arts and industry, with special attention to signature movements, films, and directors and the representation of cultures on screen. P—SPA 280 or 290. [counts as a genre course for the Spanish major or minor]

SPA 315. The Making of Spain: Interdisciplinary Approaches to the Cultures of Spain. (3h) Examination of Spain's cultural pluralism through visual arts, architecture, film, music, and literature from the medieval period to the present. P—SPA 280 or 290. (CD) [counts as a regions course for the Spanish major or minor]

SPA 319. Literary and Cultural Studies of Spanish America. (3h) Study of selected major works of Spanish-American literature within their historical and cultural contexts. Emphasis on linguistic and political structures, intellectual currents, art, music, and film to promote understanding of Spanish America's historical development. *Offered only in WFU abroad programs.* P—SPA 280 or 290. (CD) [counts as a regions course for the Spanish major or minor]

SPA 326. International Business: Spain / Latin America. (3h) Study of characteristic features of Spanish and/or Latin American business culture. Focuses on communicating successfully in the world of Hispanic commerce and on acquiring an international view of current issues in business. *Offered only in WFU abroad programs.* P—SPA 309 or 309L [counts as an elective for the Spanish major or minor]

SPA 328. Medical Spanish. (3h) Study of terminology and sociocultural issues relevant to interlinguistic medical communication. Oral and written practice in the medical context. P—SPA 309 or 309L; or POI [counts as an elective for the Spanish major or minor]

SPA 332. The Golden Age of Spain. (3h) Close analysis of literary texts, such as Lazarillo de Tormes, and study of the history, art, politics, and economics of the 16th and 17th centuries, with emphasis on themes such as the writer and society, humanism, the picaresque, Catholic mysticism, and power and politics. P—any course in SPA 310-319 sequence; or POI. [counts as a seminar for the Spanish major or minor]

SPA 373. Language and Society. (3h) An introduction to the study and methodologies of Spanish sociolinguistics. Emphasis on language and its interaction with socio-economic status, gender, age, ideology, governmental policy, and identity in Spanish-speaking communities. P-SPA 309 or 309L. (Offered Fall 2025 only)

SPA 374. Spanish in the United States. (3h). Study of the socio-historical and sociolinguistic context of Spanish in the US, with a focus on language variation and bilingualism. P-SPA 309 or 309L and (recommended) SPA 320; or POI. (Offered Spring 2025 only)

SPA 382. Spanish/English Interpreting. (3h). Introduces strategies of interpreting from Spanish into English, primarily. Intensive laboratory practice course to develop basic skills inconsecutive/escort/simultaneous interpreting. Some voice-over talent training is also included. P - SPA 309 or 309L; and any course in SPA 310-SPA 329 sequence; and senior standing or POI*. (Offered Spring semesters only)

** Since this course requires an advanced level of spoken Spanish, juniors will be eligible if they have completed 3-4 courses in the Spanish major/minor or are heritage speakers of Spanish.*

ART 230. Spanish Art and Architecture. (3h) Study of the development and uniqueness of Spanish art and architecture within the framework of Mediterranean and Western art in general. [counts as an elective for the Spanish major/minor. Does not count toward an Art major/minor] (Offered Fall semesters only)

ART 242. Masters and Masterpieces of Spanish Art. (3h) The history of Spanish art and architecture from the 16th century to the present. Special attention to masterpieces made for the Church and court. Counts as an elective for the Spanish major. Offered in Salamanca. (D) [counts as an elective for the Spanish major/minor and as Div III divisional] (Offered Spring semesters only)

HST 216. General History of Spain. (3h) History of Spain from the pre-Roman period to the present day. [counts as an elective for the Spanish major/minor and as DIV I divisional if the student has credit for two AP courses in History]

POL 202. Political Structures of Present-day Spain. (3h) Study of the various political elements which affect the modern Spanish state. [counts as an elective for the Spanish major/minor]

Additional courses offered contingent on minimum enrollment

BIO/CHM 370. Biochemistry: Macromolecules and Metabolism. (3h) Introduces principles of biochemistry including structure, function, and biosynthesis of biological molecules, analysis of enzyme function and

activity, bioenergetics, and regulation of metabolic pathways. Also listed as BMB 370 and CHM 370. P - CHM 223 or CHM 280 or BIO 214.

CHM 280. College Chemistry II. (3h) (D, QR) Advanced study of fundamental chemical principles. P-CHM 111. (Offered Spring Only)

ECN 271. Selected Areas in Economics: Economics of Current Spain. (3h) (D) A survey of an important area in economics not included in the regular course offerings. Topics will relate to Spain. P—ECN 150.

PSY 278. Psychology of Memory. (3h) (D) A study of specialized knowledge regarding the most relevant aspects of memory function and important investigative techniques in this field.