

Approval Chart for Curriculum Changes

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Course Number _____ or Degree Plan(s) SPAN - Spanish
 State the requested change and reason. A memo may be attached if more space is necessary.

Drop the requirement to take SPAN 290 Intermediate Conversation Lab.

Instead, students will take the Oral Proficiency Interview in SPAN 301 Advanced Communication (a required course for the major). Scores will be converted to a numerical value and reported to the registrar for inclusion in the transcript. Students who do not meet the oral proficiency objective can avail themselves of other means, including conversation labs (SPAN 290/390), or study abroad.

Target Oral Proficiency level for SPAN majors: Advanced Mid.

Circle the number that corresponds to the requested change. Degree plan changes are on the second page.

				COUNCIL ¹						
	Change to a Course	Dept./School	College Academic	Deans	TEC	UGEC	UUAC	GRAD	Provost	President
1.	Title (description unchanged)	A	A	A	I				I	I
2.	Description (not affecting content)	A	A	A	I				I	I
3.	Content (substantive change)	A	A	A	I				A	A
4.	Number of hours (lecture, lab, contact)	A	A	A	A				A	A
5.	Course number within the hundred	A	A	I	I				I	I
6.	Course number beyond the hundred	A	A	A	A				A	A
7.	Prerequisites	A	A	A	I				I	I
8.	Course fee(s)	A	--	A	--				A	I
9.	From U to G or G to U	A	A	A	A				A	A
10.	Cross list with another department: U or G level	A	A	A	A				A	A
11.	Department of record	A	A	A	A				A	A
12.	Open or close a course	A	A	A	A				A	A
13.	New course — See website for application and process. This change includes combining or splitting a course(s).	A	A	A	A				A	A

Note: When an academic unit does not have a council, the UGEC and/or UUAC will serve as its academic council, depending on the nature of the issue.

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		COUNCIL ³							Board of Trustees
Change to a Degree Plan		Dept./School	College Academic	Deans	TEC	UGEC	UUAC	GRAD	
1.	University Requirements — Change in approved course content ⁶	A	A	A		A			--
2.	University Requirements — Add or drop a required course from the University Requirements chart ⁶	A	A	A		A			--
3.	University Requirements — Add or drop a course from a menu within the University Requirements ⁶	A	--	--		A			--
4.	University Requirements — Change hours within a menu on the University Requirements chart ⁶	A	A	A		A			--
	Major — Revision of major	A	A	A		A			--
6.	Major — Adopt or change admission requirements	A	A	A		A			--
7.	Major — Add ^{4,5}	A	A	A		A			I
8.	Major — Discontinue (proposed by the department or college)	A	A	A		A			I
9.	Major — Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)	See below.							
10.	GPA — Revise major or cumulative requirement	A	A	A		A			--
11.	Minor — Revise course selection	A	A	A		I			--
12.	Minor — Add	A	A	A		A			--
13.	Minor — Discontinue (proposed by the department or college)	A	A	A		A			--
14.	Minor — Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)	See below.							
15.	Degree — Add	A	A	A		A			I
16.	Degree — Discontinue (proposed by the department or college)	A	A	A		A			I
17.	Degree — Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)	See below.							
18.	Any change to a graduate degree program	A	A	A		A			--

		COUNCIL ³							Board of Trustees
Provost-Proposed Change		Provost	Department	Dean	TEC	UUAC	Graduate	Faculty	
1.	Major/Graduate Program — Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)	A	R	R		A		A	I
2.	Minor — Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)	A	R	R		A		--	--
3.	Degree — Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)	A	R	R		A		A	I

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COUNCIL ³										
	Change to the Catalog Information	Dept./School	College Academic	Deans	UGEC	UUAC	GRAD	Provost	Faculty	President
1.	General requirements for graduation including course requirements that are common to all majors for all degrees ⁷	--	--	--	A			A	A	A
2.	Admission requirements	--	--	--	A			A	A	A
3.	Policies governing academic probation and suspension	--	--	--	A			A	A	A
4.	Requirements for graduating with honors	--	--	--	A			A	A	A
5.	Other academic policy changes	--	--	--	A			A	--	A

¹ Councils may request additional information about "Information" items. These items are approved as "Consent Agenda."

² The Dean and Department should respond to the Provost's recommendation to close a program in writing. Advise & Respond (R) requires that the voting body should receive the written responses at least one week prior to the vote.

³ All courses that meet University Requirements for general education must go through UGEC. Courses or degrees offered only to students seeking teacher certification must go through the Teacher Education Council. All undergraduate changes must go before the UUAC. All graduate degree plan changes must go through the Graduate Council.

⁴ A minimum of 30 hours is required for a major. A maximum is specified for each degree (e.g., BA, BS). The university minimum for elective hours is 6, unless the requirements of external accrediting bodies make it impossible.

⁵ Program or course changes that apply to any major that includes Teacher Certification will be reviewed by the college, the Teacher Education Council (TEC), and then the UUAC.

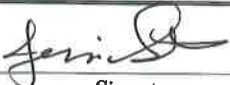
⁶ Courses that satisfy ACU's University Requirements (General Education) will normally have lower-level numbering, be free of prerequisites and co-requisites, appeal to more than one or two majors, and "not narrowly focus on those skills, techniques, and procedures specific to a particular occupation or profession" (SACS 2.7.3). Departments may request exceptions to the first three criteria.

⁷ The UUAC approved the clarification that "general requirements for graduation" means the enumerated items in the "General Requirements for Bachelor's Degrees" section of the catalog.

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Curriculum/Catalog Changes Signature Page

Department/School Chair(s)	
<i>Shelly Sanders</i> <i>Signature</i>	<i>2/16/17</i> <i>Approval date</i>
<i>Signature</i>	<i>Approval date</i>

College Academic Council(s)	
 <i>Signature</i>	<i>2.17.17</i> <i>Approval date</i>
<i>Signature</i>	<i>Approval date</i>

Dean(s)	
 <i>Signature</i>	<i>2/21/17</i> <i>Approval date</i>
<i>Signature</i>	<i>Approval date</i>

Teacher Education Council	
<i>Chair's signature</i>	<i>Approval date</i>

General Education Council	
<i>Chair's signature</i>	<i>Approval date</i>

Undergraduate Academic Council	
<i>Chair's signature</i>	<i>Approval date</i>

Graduate Council	
<i>Chair's signature</i>	<i>Approval date</i>

Provost	
<i>Signature</i>	<i>Approval date</i>

Faculty	
<i>Chair of faculty senate</i>	<i>Approval date</i>

President	
<i>Signature</i>	<i>Approval date</i>

SPANISH (BA)

Minimum GPA in major	2.25
Minimum GPA for graduation	2.00
Minimum advanced hours	33
Minimum total hours	128
<i>Courses numbered 0** do not count in minimum hours required for degree.</i>	

BA: SPANISH DEGREE PLAN (SPAN)

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

Please see the University Requirements section of this catalog (page 39).

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Foundational Courses

SPAN 222 Intermediate Spanish II	(3) ¹
SPAN 290 Intermediate Conversation Lab	1-5
SPAN 301 Advanced Communication	3
SPAN 499 Spanish Capstone (capstone and writing-intensive course)	3

Advanced Language

Choose 6 hours from: 6

- SPAN 305 Immersion Communication
- SPAN 320 Advanced Grammar
- SPAN 321 Advanced Composition

Advanced Culture

Choose 6 hours from: 6

- SPAN 342 Peninsular Spanish Culture
- SPAN 343 Latin American Culture
- SPAN 345 Culture of South American Southern Cone
- SPAN 444 Revolution & Insurrection in Latin America

Advanced Literature

Choose 9 hours from: 9

- SPAN 360 Survey of Peninsular Literature
- SPAN 361 Survey of Latin American Literature
- SPAN 365 Survey of South American Southern Cone Literature
- SPAN 460 Drama
- SPAN 461 Novel
- SPAN 462 Short Story
- SPAN 470 Christian Expression in Hispanic Letters
- SPAN 471 Borges and Cortázar

Advanced Electives

Choose 6 hours from:

Any two advanced SPAN course numbered 300 or above: 6

Study Abroad Expectations (can be in hours above or university requirements)

A student can earn between six and fifteen credit hours at our study abroad site in Uruguay. The regular Montevideo program offers beginning and intermediate courses, as well as advanced courses through Universidad Católica or Universidad de Montevideo.

The Montevideo Semester Immersion Program offers intermediate and an advanced track. The intermediate track consists of:

- SPAN 221 Intermediate Spanish I
- SPAN 222 Intermediate Spanish II
- SPAN 305 Immersion Communication
- SPAN 345 Culture of South American Southern Cone
- SPAN 365 Survey of South American Southern Cone Literature

The advanced track consists of:

- SPAN 305 Immersion Communication
- SPAN 345 Culture of South American Southern Cone
- SPAN 365 Survey of South American Southern Cone Literature
- A 400 level culture course
- A 400 level literature course

TOTAL **3334-38**

¹Hours (in parentheses) may also fulfill university requirements and are not included in total major hours

ELECTIVES

Minimum **3334-38**

TOTAL MAJOR HOURS **72**

OTHER GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS