

**2006-2007 SAMPLE CURRICULUM:** It may not be necessary to take these courses in the order given; please consult your advisor.

	FALL	WINTER	SPRING
<b>FIRST YEAR</b>			
Orientation Seminar (UNST 101)	1	-	-
College Writing (ENGL 111, 112, 113)	3	3	3
Intermediate Spanish (SPAN 201, 202)	4	4	-
Growing Up in America (SSCI 104) OR Identity & Society (SSCI 105) OR Childhood in Global Perspective (SSCI 106)	-	4	-
THEME IA: Understanding Human Beings OR THEME 1B: National & Global Citizenship	-	4	-
THEME III: Religious Beliefs & Practice	4	-	-
THEME IVA: Life Science	-	-	4
College Algebra (MATH 121) OR Applications of Math (MATH 115)	-	-	4
Lifetime Fitness (PEAC 120)	-	-	2
Electives	4	-	4
	16.0	15.0	17.0
<b>SECOND YEAR IN SPAIN</b>			
* <b>Language Proficiency Courses that Apply to the Major:</b>			
Advanced Spanish Grammar (SPAN 351-53/451-53)	12		
Advanced Spanish Composition (SPAN 361-63/461-63)	9		
Advanced Spanish Conversation (SPAN 371-73/471-73)	6		
Translation and Interpretation (SPAN 422-423)	4		
Prep. for D.E.L.E.-D.B.E. diploma (SPAN 341-343)	3		
Prep. for D.E.L.E.-D.S.E diploma (SPAN 441-443)	3		
* <b>Literature Courses that Apply to the Major:</b>			
History of Spanish Literature (SPAN 331-333)	9		
* <b>Civilization/Culture Courses that Apply to the Major or Cognates:</b>			
History of Spain (SPAN 301-303)	9		
Spain and its Culture (SPAN 312-313)	4		
History of European Art (ART 321-323)	3-9		
* Advanced Spanish Grammar (SPAN 329) (***)	-	4	-
* Reading and Composition (SPAN 312) (***)	4	-	-
* Advanced Spanish Linguistics (SPAN 334)	-	-	4
* Spanish Major Electives: (See Fourth Year)	-	4	4
**4 units from World History OR Latin American History & 4 units from History/ Appreciation of Art/Music (***) OR Lingua Domus (MDLG 265)	4 (3)	4 (3)	- (3)
Exploring American Culture through Literature (HUMN 204) OR Expl. Amer. Culture through Visual & Perf. Arts (HUMN 205)	-	-	4
Adventism in a Global Perspective (RLGN 304) OR The Experience of Religion in Three Cultures (RLGN 305)	4	-	-
Upper Division Rhetorical Course	-	-	4
THEME IVB: Physical Science	4	-	-
	16.0	12.0	16.0
<b>FOURTH YEAR</b>			
* 18 units of upper division elective courses in Spanish Language/Literature/ Linguistics chosen from the following:			
Introduction to Spanish Literature (SPAN 318)			
Advanced Language Proficiency (SPAN 307)			
Peninsular Spanish Literature (SPAN 347) (***)			
Spanish-American Literature (SPAN 348)			
Translation and Interpretation (SPAN 417) (***)			
Themes in Contemporary Spanish Literature (SPAN 468)			
Themes in Contemporary Spanish-American Literature (SPAN 469)			
Directed Study 2-4 units (SPAN 499)	4	4	2
* Spanish Civilization (SPAN 426) (***)	-	4	-
* Spanish-American Civilization (SPAN 428)	-	-	4
* Linguistics (ENGL 484) OR Upper Division Spanish Elective	-	4	-
* Research (MDLG 495)	2	-	-
THEME III: Religious Beliefs & Practice	4	-	-
Scientific Foundations: Choose one course from the following:			
NSCI 404, 405, 406, 407	4	-	-
Religious, Moral & Social Aspects of Modern Languages (UNST 404S)	-	-	4
Electives to complete 190 quarter units	6	-	4
	14.0	16.0	14.0
* Major Requirements			
** Cognate Requirements			

**THIRD YEAR**  
NOTE: The (\*\*\*) asterisked course(s) taken in Spain will substitute for the stated course.

# SPANISH

## *B.A. Degree*

### **CAREER OPPORTUNITIES AND RELATED OCCUPATIONS:**

Graduates from this department specialize in a wide range of employment. This would include business, industry and commerce, civil service, education, law, library science, media, science, health services, social work, religious work, social sciences, travel, tourism, and teaching. Other career opportunities include consultant, diplomat, editor, and translator.

### **EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS:**

In addition to a B.A. degree, a graduate degree in some other field is required for some of the above specialties. For those wishing to teach English as a second language, a knowledge of a foreign language is recommended in addition to teaching credentials.

### **JOB OUTLOOK:**

Currently there are openings for single language and bilingual teachers in California, the southwest, Florida, the north-eastern region of the United States and Canada.

### **ENTERING SALARY:**

Wages vary according to the specialty.

The National Association of Colleges and Employers reports that for Spring 2006, the average salary for those with a Bachelor's degree in the Foreign Languages was **\$31,364** per year.

In 2005, the average entering salaries for credentialed teachers in the Inland Empire begin at **\$39,618**. Those with a Master's degree and more experience an average of about **\$70,000** a year.

The Pacific Union Conference entering wage level for credentialed teachers in 2006 ranges from **\$39,748** to **\$49,175** depending on the area of employment.

## SOURCES OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

### *Websites:*

#### **La Sierra University**

<http://www.lasierra.edu/>

#### **Dept. of Modern Languages**

<http://www.lasierra.edu/languages/>

### *Department Contacts:*

#### **Chairperson:**

Lourdes Morales-Gudmundsson

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### *Professional Organizations:*

American Council of the Teaching  
of Foreign Languages (ACTFL)

6 Executive Plaza

Yonkers, NY 10710-6801

Modern Language Association

62 Fifth Avenue

New York, NY 10011

American Translators' Association

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