

French

Overview

Within the Department of French, students can study French and francophone literature, culture, and film along with the French language and French linguistics. The dedicated and creative teachers and scholars in the Department share a commitment to excellence of instruction whether it be in a first year French class, a specialized course for majors (all of which are taught in French), a course on French literature in translation, or an advanced graduate seminar.

For its undergraduate majors and minors and its graduate students, the Berkeley French Department provides thorough coverage in the traditional historically based divisions of French literature and culture as well as in francophone literatures. It blends this coverage with the study of a wide array of related fields and topics – from literary history and theory to philosophy, to social and cultural theory, to the study of gender and sexuality, historiography, visual arts and film, music, popular culture, and politics. The Department encourages independent and innovative thinking and research at both undergraduate and graduate levels.

The Department participates fully in the interdisciplinary emphasis that has traditionally distinguished study and research at Berkeley. Many faculty members are affiliated with other programs in the University (with the Departments of Comparative Literature and Italian Studies, with programs in Romance Languages and Literatures and in Medieval Studies, with Graduate Designated Emphases in Critical Theory, Film Studies and in Women, Gender, and Sexuality, Renaissance and Early Modern Studies, and with the Center for the Study of Sexual Culture). Graduate students typically count courses from other disciplines toward completion of their degree. The Department maintains close ties with scholars and writers in France, across North America, and around the world, and it has a regular schedule of lectures and colloquia open to students and colleagues as well as to the public at large. Most years see visits by one or more Pajus Distinguished Visitor in French Studies. The Department also regularly hosts international conferences.

Study Abroad

There are numerous opportunities for education abroad at all stages of the program. Undergraduate majors typically participate in the University of California Education Abroad Program (<http://eap.ucop.edu>), which maintains campuses in Paris, Lyon, Bordeaux, Grenoble, and Toulouse. For those wishing to take their first steps, the Summer Session Travel Study Office offers an exciting and rigorous program which takes students to Paris for six weeks and currently offers instruction in French 1 and French 2. At the graduate level, the Department has two yearly exchange programs with the Ecole Normale Supérieure and with the Institut d'Anglais at the Université de Paris VII.

Libraries

The UC Berkeley Library collects materials in all areas of French literature including literary criticism, philosophy, and theory. The Library maintains a strong collection in all divisions of French literature from the medieval period to the present. The Library also collects in the area of Francophone studies, including, but not limited, to material about Africa, the Caribbean, Canada, and French-speaking Europe. The Library collects few introductory language textbooks, but it does collect French language dictionaries and other language reference material. The French collection is limited to materials primarily published

in France. Materials on French subjects published outside France are listed with their respective provenance. For further information regarding these resources, please see the French Studies collection page (<http://www.lib.berkeley.edu/alacarte/subject-guide/100-French-Studies>).

The Library of French Thought (<http://french.berkeley.edu/the-library-of-french-thought/the-collection>) is located in 4229 Dwinelle Hall. The collection contains close to 8,000 volumes, approximately 150 journal titles, magazines, maps, slides, and other ephemera. Subjects such as linguistics, criticism, theatre and philosophy are well represented. The vast literature holdings cover the entire history of French writing from the earliest chansons to the New Novel and beyond. New items are being added to the collection on a monthly basis. There are many delights waiting to be uncovered in the stacks, please feel free to come in and browse.

Undergraduate Programs

French (<http://guide.berkeley.edu/archive/2014-15/undergraduate/degree-programs/french>) : BA or Minor
 French Civilization (<http://guide.berkeley.edu/archive/2014-15/undergraduate/degree-programs/french-civilization>) : Minor
 French Language Studies (<http://guide.berkeley.edu/archive/2014-15/undergraduate/degree-programs/french-language-studies>) : Minor
 French Literature (<http://guide.berkeley.edu/archive/2014-15/undergraduate/degree-programs/french-literature>) : Minor

Graduate Program

French (<http://guide.berkeley.edu/archive/2014-15/graduate/degree-programs/french>) : PhD

French

FRENCH 1 Elementary French 5 Units

Introduction to speaking, listening, reading, and writing in French.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 5 hours of lecture and 1 hour of laboratory per week

Summer: 8 weeks - 10 hours of lecture and 2 hours of laboratory per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH R1A English Composition in Connection with the Reading of Literature 4 Units

This course is designed to fulfill the first half of the Reading and Composition requirement. The primary goal of this course is to develop students' reading and writing skills through a series of assignments that will provide them with the opportunity to formulate observations made in class discussions into coherent argumentative essays. Emphasis will be placed on the refinement of effective sentence, paragraph, and thesis formation, keeping in mind the notion of writing as a process. Other goals in this course are a familiarization with French literature and the specific questions that are relevant to this field. In addition, students will be introduced to different methods of literary and linguistic analysis in their nonliterary readings.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 7.5 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 5.5 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam not required.

FRENCH R1B English Composition in Connection with the Reading of Literature 4 Units

This course is designed to fulfill the second half of the Reading and Composition requirement. The primary goal of this course is to develop students' reading and writing skills through a series of assignments that will provide them with the opportunity to formulate observations made in class discussions into coherent argumentative essays. Emphasis will be placed on the refinement of effective sentence, paragraph, and thesis formation, keeping in mind the notion of writing as a process. Other goals in this course are a familiarization with French literature and the specific questions that are relevant to this field. In addition, students will be introduced to different methods of literary and linguistic analysis in their nonliterary readings.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam not required.

FRENCH 2 Elementary French 5 Units

Introduction to speaking, listening, reading, and writing in French. Continuation of FRENCH 1.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 1 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 5 hours of lecture and 1 hour of laboratory per week

Summer: 8 weeks - 10 hours of lecture and 2 hours of laboratory per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 3 Intermediate French 5 Units

Building on foundation established in first year, trains students in listening, reading, writing, and speaking French. Review and refinement of grammar.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 2 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 5 hours of lecture per week

Summer: 8 weeks - 10 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 4 Advanced Intermediate French 5 Units

Advanced training in listening, reading, writing, and speaking French. Review and refinement of grammar.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 3 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 5 hours of lecture per week

Summer: 8 weeks - 10 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 12 Intensive French 1 and 2 10 Units

Intensive introduction to speaking, listening, reading, and writing in French. Equivalent to FRENCH 1 and 2 on the semester system at Berkeley.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Students will receive no credit for 12 after taking 1 and 2. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 10 hours of lecture per week

Summer: 10 weeks - 15 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 13 Intermediate Conversation 2 Units

Intermediate French conversation. May not be repeated for credit.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 2 or consent of Director of Lower Division

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam not required.

FRENCH N13 Intermediate Conversation 2 Units

Intermediate French conversation.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 2 or consent of instructor

Hours & Format

Summer: 6 weeks - 4 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam not required.

FRENCH 14 Advanced Conversation 2 Units

Advanced French conversation. This course may not be repeated for credit.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 3 or 13 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam not required.

FRENCH N14 Advanced Conversation 2 Units

Advanced French conversation.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 3 or consent of instructor

Hours & Format

Summer: 6 weeks - 4 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam not required.

FRENCH 15 French Workshop 10 Units

This course provides the equivalent of the first two semesters of college French (FRENCH 1 and 2). Five hours of instruction per day which includes grammar presentation, drill section, conversation section, language laboratory, films, lectures on French culture. Heavy emphasis on oral work.

Hours & Format

Summer: 10 weeks - 25 hours of recitation per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam not required.

FRENCH 24 Freshman Seminars 1 Unit

The Berkeley Seminar Program has been designed to provide new students with the opportunity to explore an intellectual topic with a faculty member in a small-seminar setting. Berkeley seminars are offered in all campus departments, and topics vary from department to department and semester to semester. Enrollment limited to freshmen.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 1 hour of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: The grading option will be decided by the instructor when the class is offered. Final exam required.

FRENCH 35 Practical Phonetics and Listening Comprehension 3 Units

This multimedia course concentrates on pronunciation and listening comprehension skills and provides a new understanding of the French language. Course Web site includes a wide variety of material--text, audio, or video, authentic or specifically recorded for the course--an audio-visual sound chart, and a multimedia reference section. International phonetic alphabet and theoretical concepts are taught as necessary. Strongly recommended before study, work, or travel in French-speaking countries, particularly for Education Abroad Program students. Course required for French majors and minors in French Language Studies.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 3

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 7.5 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 5.5 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam not required.

FRENCH 43A Aspects of French Culture 3 Units

Various historical and aesthetic themes and problems in the development of French civilization. In English.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

Formerly known as: 43

FRENCH 43B Aspects of French Culture 3 Units

Various historical and aesthetic themes and problems in the development of French civilization. In English.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

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FRENCH 102 Reading and Writing Skills in French 4 Units

An exploration of the ways words and images structure thought, communication and interactions of the subject and society. Development of reading and writing skills leading to correct and effective expression in French.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 4 (taken at Berkeley) with a B- or better, or consent of instructor (may be taken concurrently with 103)

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 103A Language and Culture 4 Units

Discussion and composition based on the analysis of literary and cultural texts.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 103B Language and Culture 4 Units

Discussion and composition based on the analysis of literary and cultural texts.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 112A Medieval Literature 4 Units

Medieval literature from the *Chanson de Roland* to the *Roman de la Rose*.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Credit Restrictions: One course from 112A-112B may be repeated once for credit with a different topic and with consent of the Undergraduate Adviser.

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 112B Medieval Literature 4 Units

Medieval literature from the *Chanson de Roland* to the *Roman de la Rose*.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Credit Restrictions: One course from 112A-112B may be repeated once for credit with a different topic.

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 114A Late Medieval Literature 4 Units

Late medieval literature: Joinville to Villon.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 116A Sixteenth-Century Literature: Marot to Montaigne 4 Units

Poetry and prose of the first half of the 16th century, in the context of the intellectual and aesthetic trends of the time, including humanism, evangelism, and the development of a new poetic language.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 117A Seventeenth-Century Literature 4 Units

Authors from the first half of the 17th century. The Baroque; its chief exponents, literary attempts to resolve the crisis in Renaissance values, formulation of new concepts in philosophy and psychology, experiments with traditional forms in poetry, fiction, and the theatre. Preciosity, Descartes, and rationalism.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Credit Restrictions: One course from 117A-117B may be repeated once for credit, for a maximum of 8 units, with a different topic and consent of the undergraduate adviser.

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 117B Seventeenth-Century Literature 4 Units

The concept of classicism and the development of tragedy. Jansenism, the doctrine of Port-Royal. Social satire and comedy.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Credit Restrictions: One course from 117A-117B may be repeated once for credit, for a maximum of eight units, with a different topic and consent of the undergraduate adviser.

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

Instructor: Lichtenstein

FRENCH 118A Eighteenth-Century Literature 4 Units

Authors from the first half of the 18th century, with emphasis on the origins of the philosophical movement and the development of modern art forms in the theater and the novel.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 118B Eighteenth-Century Literature 4 Units

A study of authors of the second half of the 18th century stressing the importance of the "Movement Philosophique" and the development of libertine values as well as the emergence of the pre-Romantic aesthetics.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

Instructor: Kavanagh

FRENCH 119A Nineteenth-Century Literature 4 Units

Authors from the first half of the 19th century. Romantic poetry and drama. Balzac, Stendhal and the novel. Michelet and the emergence of history.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Credit Restrictions: Course may be repeated once for credit as topic varies.

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated once for credit if topic varies. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 119B Nineteenth-Century Literature 4 Units

Authors from the second half of the 19th century. The various poetic movements: Le Parnasse and Symbolism. Development of the novel, realism, and naturalism.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Credit Restrictions: Course may be repeated once for credit as topic varies.

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units. Course may be repeated once for credit with different topic and consent of undergraduate adviser. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 120A Twentieth-Century Literature 4 Units

The modern novel, the avant-garde, cubist poetry, Dada and Surrealism, the theatre before the Second World War.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Credit Restrictions: One course from 120A-120B may be repeated once for credit with a different topic and consent of the undergraduate adviser.

Repeat rules: One course from 120A-120B may be repeated for credit, for a maximum of 8 units, with a different topic and consent of the undergraduate adviser. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 120B Twentieth-Century Literature 4 Units

Development of the novel, poetry, and theatre since the Second World War. Sartre and existentialism, theatre of the absurd, nouveau roman.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Credit Restrictions: One course from 120A-B may be repeated once for credit with a different topic and consent of the undergraduate adviser.

Repeat rules: One course from 120A-120B may be repeated once for credit, for a maximum of 8 units, with a different topic and consent of the undergraduate adviser. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 121A Literary Themes, Genres, and Structures 4 Units
Topics vary from year to year. Past topics have included "littérature fantastique," science fiction, autobiography, French lyric poetry.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated once for credit if topic varies. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 121B Literary Themes, Genres, and Structures 4 Units
Topics vary from year to year. Past topics have included "littérature fantastique," science fiction, autobiography, French lyric poetry.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: FRENCH 102 or equivalent

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

Instructor: 103A or 103B or 103C.

FRENCH 122A Literary Criticism 4 Units

The course will focus on literary criticism and will discuss the various options proposed as well as the relationship between criticism and fiction or philosophy in a given writer's work.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Credit Restrictions: Course may be repeated once for credit, for a maximum of 8 units, if topic varies.

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated once for credit if topic varies. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 122B Literary Criticism 4 Units

The course will focus on literary criticism and will discuss the various options proposed as well as the relationship between criticism and fiction or philosophy in a given writer's work.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated once for credit, for a maximum of 8 units, if topic varies. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 123 Prose Fiction 4 Units

Studies in the French novel.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer: 6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 126 Senior Seminar 4 Units

Intensive study of a major author.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated once for credit, for a maximum of 8 units, if topic varies. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 138 French for Future Teachers of the Language 4 Units
Introduction to applied linguistics, for students planning to use their French in language teaching or related careers. In this course we will begin with a general account of the French language--its phonology, morphology, and syntax--and we will subsequently consider specific issues in the learning and teaching of French. We will also examine a variety of commonly used foreign language teaching methods. Students should have a working knowledge of both oral and written French.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 35 and 102, or consent of instructor

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

Instructor: Kern

FRENCH 140A French Literature in English Translation 4 Units
Major texts of French literature of the Middle Ages. Readings and writing assignments in English for non-majors; in French for French majors and minors. Class discussions in English.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer: 8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 140B French Literature in English Translation 4 Units

Major texts of French literature of the *Ancien Regime*. Readings and writing assignments in English for non-majors; in French for French majors and minors. Class discussions in English.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer: 8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 140C French Literature in English Translation 4 Units
Major texts of French literature of the 19th Century. Readings and writing assignments in English for non-majors; in French for French majors and minors. Class discussions in English.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer: 8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 140D French Literature in English Translation 4 Units
Major texts of modern French literature. Readings and writing assignments in English for non-majors; in French for French majors and minors. Class discussions in English.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer: 8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 141 French Studies in an International Context 4 Units
An examination of a theme, issue, or concept from French literary, intellectual, or cultural history in its interrelation with non-French texts and contexts. Writing assignments and readings in English for nonmajors; writing assignments and French readings in French for French majors and minors. Class discussions in English. Topics vary from year to year.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: For French majors and minors only; 102 or consent of instructor

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 4 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 142AC The Cultures of Franco-America 4 Units

Literary and cultural texts that emerge out of the long history of the French in North America and of Americans in France. Topics may vary from semester to semester, but the course will always take substantial account of the experiences and histories of representations of different ethnic groups. Students should consult the department's course bulletin well before the beginning of the semester for details.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 145 History of the French Language 4 Units

Mainly devoted to "external" history of French, tracing spread of Latin to what is now France, its break-up into different languages and dialects, emergence of Parisian French as standard. Influence of other languages on French vocabulary. Study of brief texts from different periods to illustrate evolution of pronunciation and grammar.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

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FRENCH 146A Introduction to French Linguistics 4 Units

An introduction to the major branches of linguistic analysis (phonology, morphology--including word formation--syntax, and semantics) as applied to the French language.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 147 Special Topics in French Linguistics 4 Units

Topics vary from year to year.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102; 146; or consent of instructor

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

Formerly known as: 133

FRENCH 148 Translation Methodology and Practice 4 Units

In-depth knowledge of the French language and accuracy in its use are the goals of this course. A textbook and systematic exercises will be used to assist in the demanding task of translating, both from English to French and from French to English.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or the equivalent, or consent of instructor

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

Instructor: McLaughlin

Formerly known as: French 131A

FRENCH 150A Women in French Literature 4 Units

A study of the portrayal of women in French literature and of the contributions of women to French literature and thought.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 150B Women in French Literature 4 Units

A study of the portrayal of women in French literature and of the contributions of women to French literature and thought.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 151A Francophone Literature 4 Units

A study of Francophone literature: traditional and French influences, structure, relationship between language and message.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated once for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 151B Francophone Literature 4 Units

A study of Francophone literature: traditional and French influences, structure, relationship between language and message.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated once for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 161A A Year in French History 4 Units

The study of a year in French history from many points of view--political, sociological, intellectual, and artistic, as well as literary.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Credit Restrictions: One course from 161A-161B may be repeated once for credit with a different topic and with consent of the undergraduate adviser.

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer: 6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 161B A Year in French History 4 Units

The study of a year in French history from many points of view--political, sociological, intellectual, and artistic, as well as literary.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Credit Restrictions: One course from 161A-161B may be repeated once for credit with a different topic and with consent of undergraduate adviser.

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer: 6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 162A Perspectives on History 4 Units

This course will study both contemporary and subsequent reactions to historic events or figures. Topics vary from year to year.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

Instructor: 103D or 103E or 103F.

FRENCH 162B Perspectives on History 4 Units

This course will study both contemporary and subsequent reactions to historic events or figures. Topics vary from year to year.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

Instructor: 103D or 103E or 103F.

FRENCH 170 French Films 4 Units

Beginning French cinema studies: the language of film.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 4 hours of lecture and 2 hours of studio per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 171A A Concept in French Cultural History 4 Units

An examination of certain large cultural concepts, such as "the Baroque" or "Romanticism," in French cultural history. Topics vary from year to year.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 171B A Concept in French Cultural History 4 Units

An examination of certain large cultural concepts, such as "the Baroque" or "Romanticism," in French cultural history. Topics vary from year to year.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

Instructor: 103D or 103E or 103F.

FRENCH 172A Psychoanalytic Theory and Literature 4 Units

The relevance of psychoanalysis to literary texts. Concepts of fantasy, of the self, and of desire applied to texts by Racine, Balzac, Lautreamont, Rimbaud, and Proust.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 174 Music and Literature 4 Units

A consideration of the ways in which certain writers, as well as some composers, have sought to relate what might be thought of as two manifestations of language: song and poem, or musical score and literary text.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 175A Literature and the Visual Arts 4 Units

Using various works from the arts and the human sciences, this course will investigate the relations between images and written texts.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 177A History and Criticism of Film 4 Units

The development of French cinema. Discussions, oral and written reports will be based on the viewing of films from the work of major French film directors.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent; 170 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 4 hours of lecture and 2 hours of studio per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 177B History and Criticism of Film 4 Units

The development of French cinema. Discussions, oral and written reports will be based on the viewing of films from the work of major French film directors.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent; 170 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 4 hours of lecture and 2 hours of studio per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 178A Studies in French Film 4 Units

Topics vary from year to year.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent; 170 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture and 1 hour of laboratory per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 178B Studies in French Film 4 Units

Topics vary from year to year.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent; 170 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture and 1 hour of laboratory per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 180A French Civilization 4 Units

Survey of French civilization: history, arts, and society, through the interpretation of literary texts. 180A: The Middle Ages; 180B: The Ancien Regime; 180C: The 19th Century; 180D: The 20th Century.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 180B French Civilization 4 Units

Survey of French civilization: history, arts, and society, through the interpretation of literary texts. 180A: The Middle Ages; 180B: The Ancien Regime; 180C: The 19th Century; 180D: The 20th Century.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 180C French Civilization 4 Units

Survey of French civilization: history, arts, and society, through the interpretation of literary texts. 180A: The Middle Ages; 180B: The Ancien Regime; 180C: The 19th Century; 180D: The 20th Century.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 180D French Civilization 4 Units

Survey of French civilization: history, arts, and society, through the interpretation of literary texts. 180A: The Middle Ages; 180B: The Ancien Regime; 180C: The 19th Century; 180D: The 20th Century.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 183A Configurations of Crisis 4 Units

A study of the pressures on artistic, political, and economic structures at moments of crisis in French history. Problems of continuity and discontinuity in esthetic and social history.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated once for credit with different topic. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units. Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 183B Configurations of Crisis 4 Units

A study of the pressures on artistic, political, and economic structures at moments of crisis in French history. Problems of continuity and discontinuity in esthetic and social history.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Credit Restrictions: Course may be repeated once for credit with a different topic and with consent of the Undergraduate Advisor.

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for a maximum of 8 units.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 8 hours of lecture per week

8 weeks - 6 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH 185 Literature and Colonialism 4 Units

Studies in the literature developed in France at the height of the colonial era. The themes of travel, *exotisme*, neo-civilisation, the reaction of European countries to the discovery of Africa.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 102 or equivalent

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

FRENCH H195A Honors Sequence 2 Units

Students will write an essay on a topic relating to French literature or culture under the supervision of a member of the faculty during two semesters of their senior year.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: Open to seniors majoring in French who meet the GPA requirements, with the consent of major adviser

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 0 hours of independent study per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 1-5 hours of independent study per week

8 weeks - 1-4 hours of independent study per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. This is part one of a year long series course. A provisional grade of IP (in progress) will be applied and later replaced with the final grade after completing part two of the series. Final exam not required.

FRENCH H195B Honors Sequence 2 Units

Students will write an essay on a topic relating to French literature or culture under the supervision of a member of the faculty during two semesters of their senior year.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: Open to seniors majoring in French who meet the GPA requirements, with the consent of major adviser

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 0 hours of independent study per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 1-5 hours of independent study per week

8 weeks - 1-4 hours of independent study per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. This is part two of a year long series course. Upon completion, the final grade will be applied to both parts of the series. Final exam not required.

FRENCH 197 Field Studies 1 - 4 Units

Supervised field programs involving experiences in schools and school-related activities. Regular individual meetings with faculty sponsor and written reports required.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: Consent of instructor

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 2 hours of fieldwork per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 2.5-10 hours of fieldwork per week

8 weeks - 1.5-7.5 hours of fieldwork per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Offered for pass/not pass grade only. Final exam not required.

FRENCH 199 Supervised Independent Study and Research for Advanced Undergraduates 2 - 4 Units
Enrollment restricted according to College regulations. Individual instruction only in areas not covered by courses.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: Restricted to seniors with overall GPA of 3.0 and GPA of 3.0 in French

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 0 hours of independent study per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 1-5 hours of independent study per week

8 weeks - 1-4 hours of independent study per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Offered for pass/not pass grade only. Final exam not required.

FRENCH 200 Proseminar 1 Unit

This course is designed to give all new graduate students a broad view of the department's faculty, the courses they teach, and their fields of research. In addition, it will introduce students to some practical aspects of the graduate career, issues that pertain to specific fields of research, and questions currently being debated across the profession.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 1 hour of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Offered for satisfactory/unsatisfactory grade only.

FRENCH 201 History of the French Language 4 Units

A history of the French language from its Latin origins through the modern period. Emphasis on "external history" (development of the language in relation to other social and cultural phenomena) with some historical grammar (phonology, morphology, syntax, orthography) introduced through textual readings from the various historical periods. Sociolinguistic emphasis, focusing on the emergence of a standard language and its relationship to other varieties of French.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

Formerly known as: 201A-201B

FRENCH C202 Linguistic History of the Romance Language 4 Units
Linguistic development of the major Romance languages (French, Italian, and Spanish) from the common Latin origin. Comparative perspective, combining historical grammar and external history.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: Knowledge of at least two of the major Romance languages (French, Italian, and Spanish)

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

Formerly known as: Romance Philology 200

Also listed as: ITALIAN C201/SPANISH C202

FRENCH C203 Comparative Studies in Romance Literatures and Cultures 4 Units

Topics will vary. Comparative studies in literary, cultural, or historical issues that cut across the literatures of the Romance languages.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

Instructors: Navarrete, Hampton, Botterill

Also listed as: ITALIAN C203/SPANISH C203

FRENCH 205 Translation Theory and Practice 4 Units

Exploration of theory and practice of translation, with particular emphasis on French.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 206 Special Topics in French Linguistics 4 Units

Topics may vary from semester to semester.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 210A Studies in Medieval Literature 4 Units

Offerings vary from year to year. Students should consult the Department's for current topics.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 211A Reading and Interpretation of Old French Texts 4 Units

Offerings vary from year to year. Current topics may be found in the Department's *Course Description*.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 220A Studies in 16th-Century Literature 4 Units

Offerings vary from year to year. See the Department's *Course Description* for current topics.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 220B Studies in 16th-Century Literature 4 Units

Offerings vary from year to year. See the Department's *Course Description* for current topics.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 230A Studies in 17th-Century Literature 4 Units

Offerings vary from year to year. See the Department's *Course Description* for current topic.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 230B Studies in 17th-Century Literature 4 Units
Offerings vary from year to year. See the Department's *Course Description* for current topic.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 240A Studies in 18th-Century Literature 4 Units
Offerings vary from year to year. See the Department's *Course Description* for current topic.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 240B Studies in 18th-Century Literature 4 Units
Offerings vary from year to year. See the Department's *Course Description* for current topic.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 245A Early Modern Studies 4 Units
Offerings vary from year to year. See the department's course description for current topic.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 245B Early Modern Studies 4 Units
Offerings vary from year to year. See the department's course description for current topic.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 250A Studies in 19th-Century Literature 4 Units
Offerings vary from year to year. See the Department's *Course Description* for current topic.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 250B Studies in 19th-Century Literature 4 Units

Offerings vary from year to year. See the Department's for current topic.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 251 Francophone Literature 4 Units

Focuses upon the relationship between oral and written cultures in Francophone Africa and/or the Caribbean: lyric and narrative poetry, drama and novels; the presence of oral tradition in written forms, narrative techniques borrowed from storytelling tradition, the definition of traditional metaphors and imagery; idealization of lost worlds; the conflict of traditional culture and modernism; the search for political identity and independence.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 260A Studies in 20th-Century Literature 4 Units

Offerings vary from year to year. See the Department's for current topics.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 260B Studies in 20th-Century Literature 4 Units

Offerings vary from year to year. See the Department's *Course Description* for current topics.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 265A Modern Studies 4 Units

Offerings vary from year to year. See the department's course description for current topic.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 265B Modern Studies 4 Units

Offerings vary from year to year. See the department's course description for current topic.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 270A Literary Criticism: Recent Work in French 4 Units

A close investigation of a number of important critical works in the field of French, including an examination of the various other texts (literary and critical) with which they engage. Orients students to the varied field of French studies and develops the critical and research skills necessary for advanced work in the field.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 270B Literary Criticism: Recent Work in French 4 Units

A close investigation of a number of important critical works in the field of French, including an examination of the various other texts (literary and critical) with which they engage. Orients students to the varied field of French studies and develops the critical and research skills necessary for advanced work in the field.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 274 Traditions of Critical Thought: French Theory 4 Units

This course will introduce students to canonical texts and central issues in French theory and to the philosophical texts they presuppose. The goal is to give students the conceptual tools they need to read a range of theoretical texts and to contextualize major works in French theory from the 1960s and 1970s.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

Instructor: Guerlac

FRENCH 275A Problems of Literary Theory 4 Units

Offerings vary from year to year. See the Department's for current topics.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit as topic varies. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 298 Special Study 1 - 4 Units

Designed for students engaged in exploration of a restricted field, involving the writing of a report. May not be substituted for available graduate courses.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 0 hours of independent study per week

Summer:

6 weeks - 1-5 hours of independent study per week

8 weeks - 1-4 hours of independent study per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Offered for satisfactory/unsatisfactory grade only.

FRENCH 299 Individual Research 4 - 12 Units

Reserved for students directly engaged in writing the doctoral thesis.

Rules & Requirements

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 0 hours of independent study per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate

Grading: Letter grade.

FRENCH 301 Teaching French in College: First Year 4 Units

Bi-weekly lectures on methodology, grading and testing, demonstration class with required attendance five times per week; language laboratory observations; supervised classroom practice. Additional seminars and discussion sections on methodology. Required for all Graduate Student Instructors teaching FRENCH 1 for the first time.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: For graduate students teaching at college level. Required for all new T.A.s

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Professional course for teachers or prospective teachers

Grading: Offered for satisfactory/unsatisfactory grade only.

Instructor: Chavdarian

FRENCH 302 Teaching French in College: Advanced First Year 4 Units
Bi-weekly lectures on methodology, grading and testing in FRENCH 2. Demonstration class with required attendance five times per week; laboratory observations; supervised classroom practice. Additional seminars and discussion sections on methodology. Required for all Graduate Student Instructors teaching FRENCH 2 for the first time.
Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Professional course for teachers or prospective teachers

Grading: Offered for satisfactory/unsatisfactory grade only.

Instructor: Chavdarian

FRENCH 303 Teaching French in College: Second Year 4 Units
Lectures and discussion on the methodologies used in teaching second-year French, grading and testing; occasional attendance at demonstration classes; language laboratory observations; supervised classroom teaching. Required of all instructors teaching FRENCH 3 or 4.
Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: 301, 302 or consent of instructor

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit. Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture and 1 hour of laboratory per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Professional course for teachers or prospective teachers

Grading: Offered for satisfactory/unsatisfactory grade only.

Instructor: Pries

FRENCH 335 Teaching French in College: Practical Phonetics and Listening Comprehension--Instruction on Creating a Web-Assisted Course 3 Units
Required of all GSIs teaching FRENCH 35 for the first time. Attendance at demonstration class two hours per week. Readings. Journal of observations. Practical training in creating multimedia documents, Web pages, and exercises. Final paper and or/final project.
Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: Graduate students

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Professional course for teachers or prospective teachers

Grading: Offered for satisfactory/unsatisfactory grade only.

FRENCH 601 Special Study for Graduate Students 1 - 12 Units
Individual study for the comprehensive exam in consultation with the field adviser.

Rules & Requirements

Credit Restrictions: May not be used to satisfy units or residence requirements.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 1-12 hours of independent study per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate examination preparation

Grading: Offered for satisfactory/unsatisfactory grade only.

FRENCH 602 Individual Study 1 - 12 Units
Individual study with an adviser, intended to provide an opportunity for qualified students to prepare for the various examinations required of candidates for the Ph.D.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: M.A. or completion of at least 16 units beyond B.A

Credit Restrictions: May not be used to satisfy units or residence requirements.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 1-12 hours of independent study per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate examination preparation

Grading: Offered for satisfactory/unsatisfactory grade only.

FRENCH N602 Individual Study 1 - 4 Units
Individual study with an adviser, intended to provide an opportunity for qualified students to prepare for the various examinations required of candidates for the Ph.D.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: M.A. or completion of at least 16 units beyond B.A

Credit Restrictions: May not be used to satisfy units or residence requirements.

Hours & Format

Summer:

4 weeks - 1-4 hours of independent study per week

6 weeks - 1-4 hours of independent study per week

8 weeks - 1-4 hours of independent study per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: French/Graduate examination preparation

Grading: Offered for satisfactory/unsatisfactory grade only.