

Buchtel College of Arts and Sciences ENGLISH Linguistic Studies Certificate – 330008C

Students interested in this program must be pursuing or have completed all requirements for a Baccalaureate Degree. This certificate will be placed on a student's record only at the time a baccalaureate degree is awarded and only if a graduation application is submitted for the certificate.

The following information has official approval of the Buchtel College of Arts and Sciences, but is intended only as a guide. Completion of this certificate is contingent upon many factors, including but not limited to: class availability, total number of required credits, work schedule, finances, family, course drops/withdrawals, successfully passing courses, prerequisites, among others.

The following courses constitute a “Certificate in Linguistic Studies” and must be completed with a minimum grade point average of 2.0 overall for the certificate to be noted on the student’s record.

Course		Credit Hours	Prerequisites
Foundational Course, Students must complete the following:			
3300:371	Introduction to Linguistics	3	3300:112 or equivalent, or any [3300:200-, or 3300:300- or, 3300:400-] level course
Core Requirements, Students must complete the following:			
3300:472	Syntax	3	3300:371 and 3300:112 or any [3300:200-, or 3300:300-, or 3300:400-] level course, and a minimum of Junior standing or higher
3600:481	Philosophy of Language	3	Completion of one course in philosophy with a grade of C or higher
Students must select one of the following courses as an additional Core Requirement:			
7700:230	Language Science & Acquisition	4	
7700:430	Aspects of Normal Language Development	3	
Elective Courses, Students must select from the following:			
3300:400	Anglo Saxon	3	3300:112 or equivalent, or any [3300:200-, or 3300:300- or, 3300:400-] level course and a minimum of Junior standing or higher
3300:470	History of English Language	3	3300:112 or equivalent, or any [3300:200-, or 3300:300- or, 3300:400-] level course and a minimum of Junior standing or higher
3300:471	U.S. Dialects: Black & White	3	3300:112 or equivalent, or any [3300:200-, or 3300:300- or, 3300:400-] level course and a minimum of Junior standing or higher
3300:473	Theoretical Foundations and Principles of ESL	3	3300:112 or equivalent, or any [3300:200-, or 3300:300- or, 3300:400-] level course and a minimum of Junior standing or higher
3300:489	Seminar in English	3	3300:112 or equivalent, or any [3300:200-, or 3300:300- or, 3300:400-] level course and a minimum of Junior standing or higher
3460:460	Artificial Intelligence & Heuristic Programming	3	Completion of 3460:210 with a grade of C- or better
3580:405	Spanish Linguistics: Phonology	4	3580:401, 3580:402, and 3580:403
3580:406	Spanish Linguistics: Syntax	4	3580:401, 3580:402, and 3580:403
3600:170	Introduction to Logic	3	

3600:418	20th Century Analytic Philosophy	3	Completion of one course in philosophy with a grade of C or higher
3600:471	Metaphysics	3	Completion of one course in philosophy with a grade of C or higher
7600:325	Intercultural Communication	3	
7700:101	American Sign Language I	3	
7700:210	Introduction to Clinical Phonetics	4	
	Total Credits for Certificate	14	

NOTE: Completion of six linguistically oriented courses is required as follows: the foundation course, two core courses and at least three elective courses. Three or more of the courses must be at the 300/400 level.

- To obtain the certificate, the student must have at least two semesters of a second language. A student entering the program should discuss plans with the director.
- 3300:489 Seminar in English is typically offered for the maximum of 3 credits.

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