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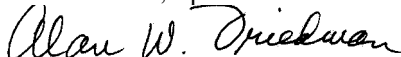
**PROPOSAL TO CREATE AN IBERIAN AND LATIN AMERICAN LITERATURES, CULTURES,
AND LINGUISTICS MINOR IN THE COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS CHAPTER IN THE
*UNDERGRADUATE CATALOG 2018-2020***

Dean Randy L. Diehl, in the College of Liberal Arts has filed with the Secretary of the Faculty Council the following proposal to create an Iberian and Latin American Literatures, Cultures, and Linguistics minor in the College of Liberal Arts chapter in the *Undergraduate Catalog, 2018-2020*. The Iberian and Latin American Languages and (ILALC) Committee meeting approved the proposal on March 31, 2017; it was approved by the College Curriculum Design and Assessment Committee on April 5, 2017; and by the Dean and the College of Liberal Arts faculty, on April 4, 2017. The Secretary has classified this proposal as legislation of exclusive interest to one college or school.

The Committee on Undergraduate Degree Program Review recommended approval of the proposal on February 2, 2018, and forwarded it to the Office of the General Faculty. The Faculty Council has the authority to approve this legislation on behalf of the General Faculty. The authority to grant final approval on this legislation resides with the Provost on behalf of the President.

If no objection is filed with the Office of the General Faculty by the date specified below, the legislation will be held to have been approved by the Faculty Council. If an objection is filed within the prescribed period, the legislation will be presented to the Faculty Council at its next meeting. The objection, with reasons, must be signed by a member of the Faculty Council.

To be counted, a protest must be received in the Office of the General Faculty by March 13, 2018.



Alan W. Friedman, Secretary of the General Faculty and Faculty Council
The University of Texas at Austin
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1. **TYPE OF PROPOSAL:** New Transcript-Recognized Minor
 Change an Existing Transcript-Recognized Minor
 Delete a Transcript-Recognized Minor
2. **OFFICIAL NAME:** Iberian and Latin American Literatures, Cultures, and Linguistics Minor
3. **FIELD OF STUDY, CIP CODE** (administrative unit awarding the certificate): 16.0905
4. **STATEMENT OF OBJECTIVE:** The minor in Iberian and Latin American Literatures, Cultures, and Linguistics is designed for students who major in other programs, but who wish to study literary, cultural, and linguistic fields related to Spain and Latin America on an advanced level. Students will take six upper-division courses focused on literary/cultural production and linguistic issues in the Iberian and Latin American worlds.
5. **ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENT (IF ANY):** None.
6. **NUMBER OF STUDENTS EXPECTED TO RECEIVE THE TRANSCRIPT-RECOGNIZED MINOR EACH SEMESTER:** Ten
7. **ANTICIPATED ENROLLMENT CAPACITY?** Fifty
8. **NUMBER OF HOURS REQUIRED FOR COMPLETION:** Eighteen
9. **COMPOSITION OF THE MINOR FACULTY COMMITTEE (INCLUDING THE COMMITTEE CHAIR):**

Name of Faculty Member	College/Department	Title at UT Austin	Highest Degree and Awarding Institution
*Cory Reed [program chair]	Spanish and Portuguese	Associate Professor	Ph.D., Princeton University
*Jossianna Arroyo-Martínez	Spanish and Portuguese	Professor	Ph.D., University of California, Berkeley
*Dale Koike	Spanish and Portuguese	Professor	Ph.D., University of New Mexico
*Kelly McDonough	Spanish and Portuguese	Assistant Professor	Ph.D., University of Minnesota
Melissa Murphy	Spanish and Portuguese	Senior Lecturer	Ph.D., University of Texas at Austin

10. **Academic Course Requirements:** Use this table to identify the courses that qualify for this certificate program.

Students in the program must take the following course.

Course Abbreviation and Number	Course Title	SCH
SPC 320C	Topics in Iberian or Latin American Studies	3

Additionally, students must take six credit hours from the following list of courses.

Course Abbreviation and Number	Course Title	SCH
SPN 327C	Advanced Grammar and Writing in Context #SPN 611D, 612, or 312L	3
SPN 327N	Academic Writing for Heritage Speakers #SPN 611D, 612, 312L	3
SPN 328C	Introduction to Literatures and Cultures #SPN 611D, 612, 312L	3
SPN 330L	Introduction to Language and Linguistics in Society #SPN 611D, 612, 312L	3

Students must take nine additional credit hours of Upper-Division SPN (courses numbered SPN 328 or above).

11. OTHER MINOR REQUIREMENTS: None.

12. COLLEGE/SCHOOL APPROVAL PROCESS:

Department approval	March, 31, 2017	ILALC Committee
College approval	April 5, 2017	College Curriculum Design and Assessment Committee
Dean approval	April 4, 2017	College of Liberal Arts Faculty

PROPOSED NEW CATALOG TEXT:

MINOR AND CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

Iberian and Latin American Literatures, Cultures, and Linguistics Minor

Eighteen semester credit hours, consisting of:

SPN 320C

Three semester credit hours, chosen from SPN 327C and 327N

Three semester credit hours, chosen from SPN 328C and 330L

Nine additional semester credit hours of SPN numbered 328 or above.