

MSPAN 3710 Introduction to Spanish Linguistics

4 hours

Departments/Programs:

Modern Languages

Dual-level course introduces students to the fundamental concepts of the field of Spanish linguistics and give them the skills to apply those concepts to the study and analysis of the Spanish language. The course will include an overview of the basic fields of linguistic analysis, with particular emphasis on the areas of morphology, phonetics and syntax. Attention will also be devoted to dialectal varieties of Spanish, including the use of Spanish in the United States. Class instruction is in Spanish. **MSPAN 4710** meets with **MSPAN 3710**, with differentiated assignment lengths and expectations by level.

Prerequisite(s): 6 credits from MSPAN 3000-level coursework or instructor permission.