Nebraska Wesleyan University

MSPAN 3470 Latina/o Literature and Film

Catalog

2026-2027

Course Description

Dual-level course designed for students at the intermediate/advanced level and explores contemporary U.S. Latino/a experience through Spanish-language featured authentic cultural texts and films. Topics to be discussed may include the construction of identity in terms of race, gender, sexuality, and class; bilingualism and code-switching; the experiences of the exile, the immigrant, the refugee and the colonial subject; the marketing of the Latino/a identity; and the relationship of the artist to his or her community.
Prerequisite(s): 6 credits from MSPAN 3000-level coursework or instructor permission.

Archway Curriculum: Foundational Literacies: Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion – U.S.
Archway Curriculum: Foundational Literacies: Modern Language Literacy
Archway Curriculum: Integrative Core: Going Global Thread

Course Hours

4 hours

Departments

1. Modern Languages