SPANISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE MAJOR

Overview

The Spanish Language and Literature major provides students with a comprehensive knowledge of Hispanic literature and culture from the Middle Ages to the contemporary era. All courses are to be completed in Spanish. Through this major, besides achieving fluency and correct grammar usage in written and spoken Spanish, students are expected to develop a thorough understanding of Hispanic literature and cultures.

Classes focus on close textual analysis, historical contextualization, and the use of current critical perspectives. Majors will become familiar with the major authors and issues defining the diverse cultural traditions of the Hispanic world. In addition to their written work, students are required to participate actively in class discussions and/or make oral presentations.