The World Languages & Cultures MA – Spanish Specialization requires 30 graduate credits (10 courses minimum). All courses must be passed with a grade of B or better.

To apply, candidates must have a Bachelor's degree in Spanish literature and culture, or a strong undergraduate record in Humanities if the Bachelor's degree was obtained in another academic subject. Liberal Education courses covering prominent works of literature and philosophy will strengthen an applicant's eligibility.

### I. CORE COURSEWORK WLC 6600: Intro to Research and Bibliography 1st/Fall WLC 6410: L2 Methodology for students with a TA-ship 1st/Fall Yr/Sem Yr/Sem Course Course **II. LITERARY THEORY AND CRITICISM** Complete ONE of the following Literary Theory and Criticism courses Choose from: CLCS 6762: Literary Theory and Criticism: Contemporary CLCS 6760: Literary Theory and Criticism: Antiquity to Early Modern CLCS 6761: Literary Theory and Criticism: Romanticism to Early 20th Century Course Yr/Sem III. SPANISH SEMINARS Complete A minimum of SEVEN graduate courses in SPAN 1-2 of these courses may be replaced by approved courses outside SPAN. Yr/Sem Course Yr/Sem Course Yr/Sem Yr/Sem Course Course Yr/Sem

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## **IV. LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY**

The program does not require an additional foreign language beyond Spanish but does strongly encourage students to take advantage of departmental offerings to advance proficiency in an additional foreign language.

Course

Yr/Sem

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# **MA EXIT OPTIONS - COMPLETING YOUR DEGREE:**

Candidates will take a uniform comprehensive examination based on the MA reading lists. Students may bring the following items with them to the exams: a dictionary, scratch paper, and a blank flash drive. Students will select 3 areas out of the 6 listed on the official MA Reading List, with the following conditions:

- At least one area must represent the period before 1700
- At least one area must represent the period after 1700
- At least one list must cover Peninsular Literature
- At least one list must cover Latin American Literature

Students will inform their supervisory committee chair in writing of her/his exam areas by mid fall semester of their second year. Once the student has expressed these preferences, no changes will be allowed. Three written exams are proctored over the course of 2 days. Within 1-2 weeks after the written exams, students will complete an oral defense with their committee. Exams will take place in March.

Students writing a thesis must register for thesis-research credit hours. This option requires pre-approval by the committee.

SCHEDULE:				STUDENT	NAME			
1st Year								
FALL			SPRING			SUMMER		
WLC 6600								
WLC 6410	Course	Credit		Course	Credit		Course	Credit
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2nd Year								
FALL			SPRING			SUMMER		
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### **QUESTIONS?**

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