# LANGUAGE PEDAGOGY - RUSSIAN

### **MA (MALP) COURSE OF STUDY**

The **Master of Arts in Language Pedagogy – Emphasis: Russian** requires **30 graduate credits** (10 courses minimum). All courses must be passed with a grade of **B** or better.

To apply, candidates should possess proficiency in Russian at **Intermediate High** according to the ACTFL proficiency guidelines. MALP students are required to select courses taught in the second language in order to meet the Area Courses and Elective requirements (see below).

## I. FOUNDATION COURSES

Complete the following TWO foundation courses during or prior to the first semester of study. Offered every fall semester.

WLC 6410: L2 Methodology	1st/Fall	WLC 6600: Intro to Research and Bibliography	1st/Fall
Course	Yr/Sem	Course	Yr/Sem

## **II. ADVANCED SECOND LANGUAGE TEACHING COURSES**

Complete THREE co	ourses from a chosen	focus area
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#### Choose from:

#### LICENSURE-FOCUSED\*

**ECS 6645:** Assessment of Linguistically Diverse Populations (Spring) **ECS 6647:** Instructional Methods for Linguistically Diverse Populations **ED PS 6721:** Adolescent Development and Learning \* Courses can be used toward licensure coursework

#### **PEDAGOGY-FOCUSED†**

LING 6818: Second Language Test Design (Fall) LING 6812: Content-Based Language Teaching (Fall) LING 6816: Course & Curriculum Development (2nd/Spring) † LING 6812, 6818 can be used toward TESOL certificate

#### DLI ENDORSEMENT‡

WLC 6015: Foundations of Dual Language Immersion (Fall) LING 6812: Content-Based Language Teaching (Fall) ECS 6647: Instructional Methods for Linguistically Diverse Populations ‡ Courses will not entirely fulfill endorsement equirements

Yr/Sem

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### **III. AREA COURSES**

Complete **FOUR** Area Courses in Languages, Literature, and Culture. Must be graduate course numbers, 5000 and above.

Course	Yr/Sem	Course	Yr/Sem
Course	Yr/Sem	Course	Yr/Sem

# IV. ELECTIVE

#### Complete **ONE** of the following courses

Students select an advanced culture/linguistics/pedagogy course in consultation with the Chair of their Supervisory Committee.

Course

Yr/Sem

### **V. LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT**

Students are encouraged to pursue opportunities to improve their Russian language proficiency. Students interested in teaching in the Utah K-12 system should be aware that secondary teaching requires Advanced Low proficiency while DLI teaching requires Advanced Mid. Students who enter the program with Advanced level proficiency in Russian are encouraged to take advantage of departmental offerings to advance their proficiency in an additional foreign language.

# **COMPLETING YOUR DEGREE:**

During the last semester in the program, the student will take both a written and an oral exam called the Master's Exam. The Master's Exam will consist of 3 questions drawn from the two core areas and the student's elective area as described in the MALP reading list. The elective area will be selected by the student before the last semester of coursework and in consultation with the chair of his/her supervisory committee. The written portion of the exam will be completed over two days with 3 hours dedicated to each section. The student will receive one or several questions for each area and will have to respond to them without access to any external sources (books, articles, notes, etc.). Approximately a week after the written exam, the Supervisory Committee will schedule a follow-up oral exam in which the student and the committee will discuss the student's responses to the written exam questions. The oral exam will last approximately one hour.

**OPTIONAL TESOL CERTIFICATE** Many students choose to pursue an optional TESOL certificate through the Linguistics Department because of the overlap in coursework with the MALP degree. Please contact the Linguistics Department's TESOL advisor for more information. Complete all of the following with a B- or better

#### Complete ALL of the following with a B- or better

	WLC 6410: L2 Methodology	
Yr/Sem	Course	Yr/Sem
	LING 6813: Practicum	
Yr/Sem	Course	Yr/Sem
Yr/Sem		
	Yr/Sem	Yr/Sem Course   LING 6813: Practicum   Yr/Sem

## SCHEDULE:

**STUDENT NAME** 

### **1st Year**

FALL			SPRING			SUMMER		
WLC 6410		3						
WLC 6600	Course	Credit <b>3</b>		Course	Credit		Course	Credit
	Course	Credit		Course	Credit		Course	Credit
	Course	Credit		Course	Credit		Course	Credit
	Course	Credit		Course	Credit		Course	Credit
2nd Year								
FALL			SPRING			SUMMER		
FALL			SPRING			SUMMER		
FALL	Course	Credit	SPRING	Course	Credit	SUMMER	Course	Credit
FALL	Course	Credit Credit	SPRING	Course	Credit Credit	SUMMER	Course	Credit Credit
FALL			SPRING			SUMMER		

### **QUESTIONS?**

Contact an academic advisor at **wlcgraduatestudies@utah.edu** Or visit **languages.utah.edu/graduate** 

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