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**ALL numbers in section (A) need to be completed, including the impact ones.**

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| A.1. [Course or program](#30j0zll) | **MLAN400 Applied Linguistics** | | | |  |
| Replacing |  | | | |
| A.2. [Proposal type](#tyjcwt) | **Course: revision**  **Program: revision** | | | |
| A.3. [Originator](#4d34og8) | Eliani Basile | [Home department](#2s8eyo1) | Chair, Modern Languages | | |
| A.4. [Context and Rationale](#17dp8vu) | **MLAN 400 Applied Linguistics has been successfully taught for the past four years to students majoring in both Modern Languages and PK-12 World Languages Education.** **But this proposal only applies to French, Portuguese and Spanish concentrations of the Modern Languages major (and has no effect on the World Languages programs).**  **Adding MLAN 400 to the list of required courses for the Modern Languages Major with concentrations in French, Portuguese and Spanish will eliminate ONE 300-level (or above) elective course in each of these majors. French will require only two elective 300-level courses. Portuguese and Spanish will require only one 300-elective course. Thus, current total credits for each concentration will remain the same. To ensure students take it at the proper time the prerequisite will be updated to accommodate each program for which it will be used. The total credits for both Portuguese and Spanish will be reduced by one (from 47-49, to 47-48) because it replaces one of the electives with a three rather than a possible four credit course.**  **The interdisciplinary field of Applied Linguistics is essential to students' development of a broader perspective of the range of language-related issues that are part of our lives and that determine our roles in society. It extends the scope of linguistic investigation from an interdisciplinary perspective and addresses problems related to the use of language in different contexts. With the inclusion of this course these Modern Language concentrations will now offer a more comprehensive curriculum with the inclusion of the study of language as science.** | | | | |
| A.5. [Student impact](#3rdcrjn) | **Students will have fewer elective courses to choose but will have a course in applied linguistics as part of their requirements to strengthen their majors.** | | | | |
| A.6. [Impact on other programs](#impact) | **None** | | | | |
| A.7. [Resource impact](#4f1mdlm) | [*Faculty PT & FT*](#2u6wntf): | **None** | | | |
| [*Library*:](#19c6y18) | **None** | | | |
| [*Technology*](#3tbugp1) | **None** | | | |
| [*Facilities*](#28h4qwu): | **None** | | | |
| A.8. [Semester effective](#35nkun2) | **Fall 2019** | A.9. [Rationale if sooner than next Fall](#35nkun2) | |  | |

B. [NEW OR REVISED COURSES](#nmf14n)  **DO NOT USE HIGHLIGHT. DELETE THIS WHOLE PAGE IF THE PROPOSAL DOES NOT INCLUDE A NEW OR REVISED COURSE.**

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|  | Old ([for revisions only](#37m2jsg)) Only include information that is being revised, otherwise leave blank (delete provided examples that do not apply) | New Examples are provided for guidance, delete the ones that do not apply |
| B.1. [Course prefix and number](#1ksv4uv) | **MLAN 400** | **MLAN 400** |
| B.2. Cross listing number if any |  |  |
| B.3. [Course title](#44sinio) | **Applied Linguistics** | **Applied Linguistics** |
| B.4. [Course description](#2jxsxqh) |  |  |
| B.5. [Prerequisite(s)](#z337ya) | **Admission to PK-12 World Languages or consent of Department Chair.** | **Completion of TWO of the following: for French (FREN 313, FREN 323 or FREN 324); for Portuguese (PORT 301, PORT 302, PORT 304, PORT 305),;or for Spanish (SPAN 310, SPAN 311, SPAN 312, or SPAN 313); or admission to PK-12 World Languages, or consent of department chair.** |
| B.6. [Offered](#1mrcu09) |  |  |
| B.7. [Contact hours](#1y810tw) |  |  |
| B.8. [Credit hours](#4i7ojhp) |  |  |
| B.9. [Justify differences if any](#2xcytpi) |  | |
| B.10. [Grading system](#46r0co2) |  |  |
| B.11. [Instructional methods](#1ci93xb) |  |  |
| B.12.[Categories](#3whwml4) | **Required for PK-12 World Languages Program** | **Required for major in Modern Languages and PK-12 World Languages Program** |
| B.13. Is this an Honors course? | **NO** |  |
| B.14. [General Education](#2xcytpi)  N.B. Connections must include at least 50% Standard Classroom instruction. | **NO** |  |
| B.15. [How will student performance be evaluated?](#qsh70q) |  |  |
| B.16. [Redundancy statement](#3as4poj) |  |  |
| B. 17. Other changes, if any |  | |

### C. [Program Proposals](#3o7alnk) **complete only what is relevant to your proposal Delete this whole page if the proposal is not revising, creating, deleting or suspending any progam.**

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|  | [Old (for revisions only)](#23ckvvd) | New/revised |
| C.1. [Enrollments](#enrollments) |  |  |
| C.2. [Admission requirements](#admissions) |  |  |
| C.3. [Retention requirements](#retention) |  |  |
| C.4. [Course requirements](#41mghml) for each program option | Modern Languages BA  **French concentration**  FREN 201 Advanced French: Conversation and Composition  4  FREN 202 Advanced French: Composition and Conversation 4  FREN 313 Modern France and the Francophone World 4  FREN 323 Survey of French Lit. from the Middle Ages to 1789 4  FREN 324 Survey of French Literature from 1789 to the Present 4  FREN 420 Applied Grammar 3  FREN 460 Seminar in French 3  MLAN 360 Seminar in Modern Languages 3  THREE ADDITIONAL COURSES in French at the 300-level or above (9 credits)  Cognates  TWO COURSES in another foreign language  **Total Credit Hours: 46**  **Portuguese concentration**  MLAN 360 Seminar in Modern Languages  3  PORT 201 Conversation and Composition 4  PORT 202 Composition and Conversation 4  PORT 301 Portuguese Literature and Culture I 4  PORT 302 Portuguese Literature and Culture II 4  PORT 304 Brazilian Literature and Culture 4  PORT 305 Lusophone African Literatures and Cultures 4  PORT 420 Applied Grammar 3  PORT 460 Seminar in Portuguese 3  TWO ADDITIONAL COURSES in Portuguese at the 300-level or above (6-8 credits)  Cognates  TWO COURSES in another foreign language  8  **Total Credit Hours: 47-49**  **Spanish concentration**  MLAN 360 Seminar in Modern Languages 3  SPAN 201 Conversation and Composition 4  SPAN 202 Composition and Conversation 4  SPAN 310 Spanish Literature and Culture: Pre-Eighteenth Century 4  SPAN 311 Spanish Literature and Culture: From Eighteenth Century 4  SPAN 312 Latin American Literature and Culture: Pre-Eighteenth Century 4  SPAN 313 Latin American Literature and Culture: From Eighteenth Century 4  SPAN 420 Applied Grammar 3  SPAN 460 Seminar in Spanish 3  TWO ADDITIONAL COURSES in Spanish at the 300-level or above (6-8 Credits)  Cognates  TWO COURSES in another foreign language  8  **Total Credit Hours: 47-49** | Modern Languages BA  **French concentration**  FREN 201 Advanced French: Conversation and Composition 4  FREN 202 Advanced French: Composition and Conversation 4  FREN 313 Modern France and the Francophone World 4  FREN 323 Survey of French Lit. from the Middle Ages to 1789 4  FREN 324 Survey of French Literature from 1789 to the Present 4  FREN 420 Applied Grammar 3  FREN 460 Seminar in French 3  MLAN 360 Seminar in Modern Languages  3  MLAN400 Applied Linguistics Credits: 3  TWO ADDITIONAL COURSES in French at the 300-level or above (6 credits)  Cognates  TWO COURSES in another foreign language: 8  **Total Credit Hours: 46**  **Portuguese concentration**  MLAN 360 Seminar in Modern Languages  3  MLAN400 Applied Linguistics 3  PORT 201 Conversation and Composition 4  PORT 202 Composition and Conversation 4  PORT 301 Portuguese Literature and Culture I 4  PORT 302 Portuguese Literature and Culture II 4  PORT 304 Brazilian Literature and Culture 4  PORT 305 Lusophone African Literatures and Cultures 4  PORT 420 Applied Grammar 3  PORT 460 Seminar in Portuguese 3  ONE ADDITIONAL COURSE in Portuguese at the 300-level or above (3-4 credits)  Cognates  TWO COURSES in another foreign language  8  **Total Credit Hours: 47-48**  **Spanish concentration**  MLAN 360 Seminar in Modern Languages 3  MLAN400 Applied Linguistics  Credits: 3  SPAN 201 Conversation and Composition 4  SPAN 202 Composition and Conversation 4  SPAN 310 Spanish Literature and Culture: Pre-Eighteenth Century 4  SPAN 311 Spanish Literature and Culture: From Eighteenth Century 4  SPAN 312 Latin American Literature and Culture: Pre-Eighteenth Century 4  SPAN 313 Latin American Literature and Culture: From Eighteenth Century 4  SPAN 420 Applied Grammar 3  SPAN 460 Seminar in Spanish 3  ONE ADDITIONAL COURSE in Spanish at the 300-level or above (3-4 Credits)  Cognates  TWO COURSES in another foreign language  8  **Total Credit Hours: 47-48** |
| C.5. [Credit count](#2grqrue) for each program option | **FRENCH 46**  **PORT 47-49**  **SPANISH 47-49** | **FRENCH 46**  **PORT 47-48**  **SPANISH 47-48** |
| C.6. Other changes if any |  |  |
| C.7 [Program goals](http://www-prod.ric.edu/curriculum_committee/documents/Program%20goals) |  |  |

D. Signatures

* Changes that affect General Education in any way MUST be approved by ALL Deans and COGE Chair.
* Changes that directly impact more than one department/program MUST have the signatures of all relevant department chairs, program directors, and relevant dean (e.g. when creating/revising a program using courses from other departments/programs). Check UCC manual 4.2 for further guidelines on whether the signatures need to be approval or acknowledgement.
* Proposals that do not have appropriate approval signatures will not be considered.
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##### D.1. Approvals: required from programs/departments/deans who originate the proposal. may include multiple departments, e.g., for joint/interdisciplinary prposals.

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| Name | Position/affiliation | [Signature](#_2lwamvv) | Date |
| Eliani Basile | Chair of Modern Languages |  |  |
| Earl Simson | Dean of FAS |  | Tab to add rows |

##### D.2. [Acknowledgements](#vx1227): REQUIRED from OTHER PROGRAMS/DEPARTMENTS IMPACTED BY THE PROPOSAL. SIGNATURE DOES NOT INDICATE APPROVAL, ONLY AWARENESS THAT THE PROPOSAL IS BEING SUBMITTED. CONCERNS SHOULD BE BROUGHT TO THE UCC COMMITTEE MEETING FOR DISCUSSION

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