

2008-2009 Catalog Year
School of International Letters and Cultures, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

SPANISH/ENGLISH TRANSLATION CERTIFICATE or BIS EMPHASIS AREA

Basic admission requirements demand the demonstration of coordinate bilingualism on the part of the applicant, consisting of formal written command of both English and Spanish. Competency will be determined by the Director of the Translation Certificate Program through appropriate examination and/or presentation of academic records of prior course work.

Please refer to the School website for more information on the Certificate: www.asu.edu/silc
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Pre-requisites before taking the entrance exam:	<u>Credits</u>
ENG 301 Writing for the Professions	(3)
SPA 412 Advanced Conversation and Composition	(3)
Three semester hours from the following courses:	
SPA 400 Introduction to Spanish Linguistics	(3)
SLC 400 Linguistics	(3)
ASB 480 Introduction to Linguistics	(3)
SLC 201 Introduction to Linguistics	(3)
Optional course:	
SPA 494 Lexicology and Lexicography	(3)
<u>REQUIRED COURSES ONCE ADMITTED TO PROGRAM:</u>	
Three semester hours of the following course:	
SLC 401 Translation Theory	(3)
Nine semester hours of the following translation courses:	
SLC 481 Technical and Scientific Translation	(3)
SLC 482 Business and Financial Translation	(3)
SLC 483 Medical and Legal Translation	(3)
Two credit hours for required internship:	
SLC 484 Internship	(2)
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>(23-25)</u>

The Spanish/English Translation Certificate or BIS Emphasis Area requires a minimum of 23 upper-division semester hours of coursework.

Please note:

- A minimum of 6 upper-division hours in the certificate or BIS emphasis area must be taken in residence at ASU Tempe Campus.
- A grade of C or better must be achieved in all courses for the certificate and BIS emphasis area.
- Pass/Fail courses cannot be used for the certificate or BIS emphasis area.
- You may not receive the certificate or BIS emphasis area in a catalog year for which you are not eligible. If you are unsure of your catalog year, check with your academic advisor.
- The Spanish/English Translation Certificate may be pursued only at the undergraduate level, by degree or non-degree seeking students.
- Admission to the certificate program is required to register for certificate courses.
- SPA 412 and/or ENG 301 can be waived if the student can present proof of having taken an equivalent course at another institution of having had substantial formal education in Spanish and/or English.