

**Department of Anthropology  
Department of English**

**Linguistics and Culture  
Interdisciplinary Minor**

**21-25 Credits**

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The [Linguistics and Culture Interdisciplinary Minor](#) is designed for students with a particular interest in language and its cultural interfaces. Its core is a pair of linguistics and anthropological linguistics courses, which are supported by courses in specific languages, and supplemented by elective courses in English; Anthropology; Languages, Literatures, and Cultures; Philosophy; and Communication Studies. Courses address current and historical descriptive, theoretical, and pedagogical issues in linguistics, cultural anthropology, philosophy of language, non-verbal communication, and the relation between communication, language and thought, providing students with a well-rounded program of study. The program is open to all students and designed to be an addition to the student's major. CSU has linguistic and cultural expertise and this program provides undergraduate students with an opportunity to broaden their education as they prepare themselves for graduate study or careers requiring an analytic understanding of the nature of language and its relations with thought and culture.

**Students must satisfactorily complete the total credits required for the minor. Minors and interdisciplinary minors require 12 or more upper-division (300- to 400-level) credits. Additional coursework may be required due to prerequisites.**

**1) Core Classes**

Take the following 2 courses (6 credits).

ANTH335 Language and Culture **and** E320 Introduction to the Study of Language

**2) Language**

Select 2 courses from one of the following Language Course Group (6-10 credits).

Arabic: LARA 100,101,200,201  
French: LFRE 100,101,106,108,200,201,208  
Italian: LITA 100,101,200,201  
Korean: LKOR 100,101  
Russian: LRUS 100,101,200,201  
Spanish: LSPA 100,101,106,108,200,201,208

Chinese: LCHI 100,101,200,201  
German: LGER 100,101,108,200,201,208  
Japanese: LJPN 100,101,200,201  
Latin: LLAT 100,101  
Sign Language: LSGN 100,101

### **3) Supporting Courses**

Select 3 courses (9 credits) from the following:

Select from: ANTH100, E324, E326, E327, E328, E329, LFRE312, LFRE326, LGER326, LSPA312, LSPA326, PHIL210, PHIL315, SPCM331 or SPCM431