

**Library Resource Form Required for New Non-Gen-Ed**

Submission Deadlines: Fall - October 11, 2005 Spring - February 14, 2006

TITLE

Remove Spurious Reading & Conversation from

Sponsor(s)

Major Board e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Faculty Languages & Literatures e-mail: hobwald@rowan.edu

DEPARTMENT

College

Curric. Chair

If LAS -check:

History/Humanities  Social/Behavioral Sciences

Math/Science

UNDERGRADUATE  GRADUATE

New non gen-ed  Major

Short-Term non gen-ed

Minor curricular changes (fewer than 5)

Existing non gen-ed course

Non gen-ed degree

Major

Minor, specialization. hobwald spencers program

**Signatures Required: representing approval by**

Senate

Department Chair:

Department CURRICULUM Chair:

Academic DEAN:

[Signature] Date: 2/6/06  
[Signature] Date: 2/6/06  
[Signature] Date: 2-13-04

COLLEGE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE:

Open Hearing Date:

Approved

Not Approved

4/9/06  
4/23/06

Signature: College Curriculum Chair

[Signature]

Signature: SENATE CURRICULUM CHAIR

[Signature]  
Date: 5/9/06

Comments:

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Signature: Executive Vice President/Provost:

[Signature]  
Date: 6/7/06

Approved:

Not Approved:

Signature: REGISTRAR

Date:

6/14/06

Course Description Received & Approved

Hegis Taxonomy & Course

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Notification Forward:

\_\_\_\_\_ SCC CHAIR

\_\_\_\_\_ IR

\_\_\_\_\_ CAP

\_\_\_\_\_ Academic Dean

\_\_\_\_\_ Department Chair

\_\_\_\_\_ VP/Student Affairs

THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED FOR ALL CURRICULUM PROPOSALS

The purpose of this form is to provide a channel of communication between the Campbell Library staff and faculty when changing and designing new courses/programs. The information will be used to assess the resources available in the library, and to identify resources the library should acquire to support the course/program. The information will also provide the rationale for institutional support for library acquisitions. This form should be completed in a coordinated effort between the course sponsor(s) and the academic department liaison librarian.

**Note:** Sponsor(s) complete parts A & B  
If assistance is required to complete, please notify the librarian liaison.  
Forward this form to the librarian who will complete parts C, D & E

**When form is completed, attach to the original curriculum proposal before submitting to the Senate office.**

A. College: LAS

Department: Foreign Langs & Lits

Proposed by: Foreign Langs & Lits

Date: 2/6/06

COURSE TITLE: Remove Spanish I & Conversation from Major Bank

Anticipated Date for Course/Program Offering: July 2007

**B. List specific resources that should be acquired to support this course.**

None

**C. Describe the resources available in the library to support this course/program, including reference, monographic, electronic databases, audio-visual materials, etc. A summary statement is sufficient.**

N/A

**D. List key periodicals available in the library to support this course/program.**

The library has journals, especially electronic journals, such as Jstor, Literature Resource Center, MLA Bibliography, Project Muse, Academic Search Premier, etc. to support this course

**E. Librarian comments & recommendations:**

The library can always order more materials for this subject area whenever it is necessary.

LIBRARIAN LIAISON: Sharon Shum Au

Signature: [Signature]

## **Minor Curriculum Change, Process A**

**Remove Spanish Reading & Conversation (1105.211) from Spanish major bank  
Add Appreciation of Hispanic Literature (1105.301) (new course) to Spanish major bank**

**Sponsor:** Department of Foreign Languages & Literatures

### **Rationale**

The Department has determined that this adjustment is necessary, because many of our incoming students have had insufficient preparation in the analysis of literary texts. We are proposing the insertion of a new course, Appreciation of Hispanic Literature (1105.301), at the very beginning of the major sequence in order to address this issue. Reading & Composition (1105.212) would become the first course to officially count toward the Spanish major, and Spanish Reading & Conversation (1105.211) (originally called Intermediate Spanish II) would no longer be counted as part of our 39 semester hour major. In brief, the new Spanish sequence will be as follows:

#### foundational courses

Spanish I (1105.101)  
Spanish II (1105.102)  
Spanish III (1105.201)  
Spanish Reading & Conversation (1105.211)

#### transitional courses

Spanish Reading & Composition, (1105.212)  
Appreciation of Hispanic Literature (1105.301)

#### language electives

Oral Spanish (1105.205)  
Spanish for Business (1105.312)  
Spanish Phonetics (1105.300)  
Introduction to Spanish Translation (1105.340)

#### advanced literature, culture

Survey Spanish Lit I (1105.321)  
Survey Spanish Literature II (1105.322)  
Spanish Civilization & Culture (1105.1105.320)  
Spanish American Civilization & Culture (1105.324)  
History of the Spanish Language (1105.400)  
all other literature courses: see attached worksheet

For a schematic presentation of these changes, please see the attached outlines.

**Curricular Effect**

The Department anticipates no major impact on enrollment, but foresees significant improvement in our students' classroom comfort level and learning outcomes. Entering freshmen and transfer students will be administered the LLS placement exam to determine their appropriate language level. Those who place into Spanish Reading & Conversation (1105.211) will need to take this course before attempting the major sequence. Students will obtain feedback on their progress toward the major earlier on in their college career, and will thus be able to make informed decisions about their ability to master the Spanish language and complete their studies in a timely manner. Faculty will be able to identify marginal students and offer them appropriate counseling. These students can be offered the alternative of a minor in Spanish if they cannot demonstrate sufficient mastery during the first few semesters of the program.

**Library Consultation:** See attached form

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS: SPANISH MAJOR (52 SH)**

<input type="checkbox"/> Rowan Seminar (During Freshman Year)	<input type="checkbox"/> Major
<input type="checkbox"/> Passing score on Computer Competency Examination or Computer Literacy	<input type="checkbox"/> Coordinate Major
<input type="checkbox"/> Multicultural/ Global Studies (M/G)	<input type="checkbox"/> Secondary Certification
<input type="checkbox"/> Writing Intensive (WI) Pre-requisite: College Composition II	
<input type="checkbox"/> Lab Science <input type="checkbox"/> Literature    * Effective September 2003, a grade of C- or greater is required in all general education, free electives, major and minor courses for Freshman, Transfer Students, and Internal Transfers. * Computer Literacy is not included in the Science & Mathematics Bank. * Students should take no more than two courses from any one discipline within any of the assigned hours in the banks with the exception of the Non-Program Courses bank. <b>**Incoming Fall 2005 Freshmen and Fall 2007 transfers are required to follow the new Gen-Ed model. All current students may opt to follow the new Gen-Ed model immediately.</b>	

**COMMUNICATIONS (9 SH)**

Date	Grade or Transfer	Course	Credits
		College Composition I	3
		College Composition II	3
		Public Speaking (or equivalent)	3

**MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCE (7 SH)**

Date	Grade or Transfer	Course	Credits
		LAB Science (Biological or Physical)	4
		Mathematics Elective	3

**SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (6 SH)**

Date	Grade or Transfer	Course	Credits
		Elective	3
		Elective	3

**HISTORY, HUMANITIES AND LANGUAGES (9 SH)**

Date	Grade or Transfer	Course	Credits
		LIT (General Education Literature)	3
		Foreign Language course other than Spanish *	3
		Foreign Language course other than Spanish *	3

\*Both courses must be in the same language

**ARTISTIC AND CREATIVE EXPERIENCE (3 SH)**

Date	Grade or Transfer	Course	Credits
		Elective	3

**NON-PROGRAM COURSES (18 SH)**

(Any Rowan University Course or transfer equivalent except those listed as SPAN and beginning with #1105)

Date	Grade or Transfer	Course	Credits
		Directed Elective	3
		Directed Elective	3
		Directed Elective	3
		Directed Elective	3
		Directed Elective	3
		Directed Elective	3

## MAJOR IN SPANISH 1105

Minimum Number of Credits Required: 120 s.h.

Spanish Major: 39 s.h.

General Education: 52 s.h.

Free Electives: 30 s.h.

\*A maximum of 18 credits may be transferred into the major.

Date	Grade	Course		Credits	
		Spanish Reading and Conversation ( <i>pre-requisite 1105.201</i> )	1105.211	3	
		Spanish Reading & Composition ( <i>pre-requisite 1105.211</i> )	1105.212	3	
		Spanish Civilization & Culture ( <i>pre-requisite 1105.212</i> )	1105.320	3	
		Spanish American Civilization & Culture ( <i>pre-requisite 1105.212</i> ) M/G	1105.324	3	
		Survey of Spanish Literature I	1105.321	3	
		Survey of Spanish Literature II	1105.322	3	
		Spanish American Literature	1105.323	3	
		Readings in Contemporary Spanish Literature	1105.325	3	
		Advanced Spanish Grammar <i>WI (Pre-requisite College Comp II)</i>	1105.409	3	
		Advanced Spanish Grammar	1105.410		
		Advanced Spanish Conversation	1105.411	3	
		Spanish Elective at 300 or 400 level (Any Group I or II non-repeating elective or one of the courses listed to the right)	Oral Spanish*	1105.205	3
			Spanish for Business	1105.312	
			History of the Spanish Language	1105.400	
			Spanish Phonetics	1105.300	
			Spanish Novel	1105.326	
			Special Topics	1105.440	
			Intro to Spanish Translation	1105.340	
		Spanish Choice from Group I	Contemporary Spanish Theatre	1105.381	3
			Generation of '98	1105.481	
			Modern Spanish Novel	1105.482	
			Special Topics	1105.440	
		Spanish Choice from Group II	Spanish American Poetry	1105.327	3
			Spanish American Theatre	1105.328	
			Spanish American Short Story	1105.383	
			Spanish American Novel	1105.426	
			Special Topics	1105.440	

\*Currently accepted, it will soon revert to its original 300 level Hegis number pending Curriculum Committee action.

### FREE ELECTIVES (30 SH)

Date	Grade	Course		Credits
		Elective		3
		Elective		3
		Elective		3
		Elective		3
		Elective		3
		Elective		3
		Elective		3
		Elective		3
		Elective		3
		Elective		3

## MAJOR IN SPANISH (1105)

Minimum Total Number of Semester Hours Required for Graduation = 121 SH, made up of the following requirements:

SPANISH MAJOR COURSES: 39 SH (See this page.) (Up to 18 SH may be transferred.)

FREE ELECTIVE COURSES: 30 SH (See this page.)

GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES: 52 SH (See reverse of this page.)

DATE	GRADE	REQUIRED COURSES FOR THE SPANISH MAJOR (39 SH)	HEGIS#	SH	
		Spanish Reading & Composition <i>(pre-requisite 1105.211 or waiver)</i>	1105.212	3	
		Appreciation of Hispanic Literature <i>(pre-requisite 1105.212)</i> [THIS COURSE SERVES AS THE PRE-REQUISITE FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE COURSES LISTED ON THIS SHEET, EXCEPT WHERE INDICATED.]	1105.301	3	
		Spanish Civilization & Culture	1105.320	3	
		Spanish American Civilization & Culture <i>M/G</i>	1105.324	3	
		Survey of Spanish Literature I	1105.321	3	
		Survey of Spanish Literature II	1105.322	3	
		Spanish American Literature	1105.323	3	
		Readings in Contemporary Spanish Literature	1105.325	3	
		Advanced Spanish Grammar <i>WI</i> <i>(pre-requisite College Comp II)</i> [Choose one of the courses listed to the left.]	1105.409	3	
		Advanced Spanish Grammar	1105.410		
		Advanced Spanish Conversation	1105.411	3	
		A. Spanish Elective at 300 or 400 level [Choose one of the courses listed to the right or any Group I or II non-repeating elective, listed below in categories B and C.]	Oral Spanish* <i>(pre-requisite 1105.211 or waiver)</i> Spanish for Business <i>(pre-requisite 1105.211 or waiver)</i> History of the Spanish Language Spanish Phonetics Spanish Novel Special Topics Introduction to Spanish Translation	1105.205 1105.312 1105.400 1105.300 1105.326 1105.440 1105.340	3
		B. Spanish Choice from Group I [Choose one of the courses listed to the right.]	Contemporary Spanish Theatre Generation of '98 Modern Spanish Novel Special Topics	1105.381 1105.481 1105.482 1105.440	3
		C. Spanish Choice from Group II [Choose one of the courses listed to the right.]	Spanish American Poetry Spanish American Theatre Spanish American Short Story Spanish American Novel Special Topics	1105.327 1105.328 1105.383 1105.426 1105.440	3

\*Currently accepted, it will soon revert to its original 300 level Hegis number.