## California State University Channel Islands

## Program Modification

Program modifications must be submitted by November 3, 2008 for priority catalog review
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Program Area: SPANISH
Semester /Year First effected: Fall 2009
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Paste the latest approved version of your entire program in the left AND right boxes below. Make your deletions in the LEFT column by using the strikeout feature in Word or underlining, and highlight. Insert new language or other changes to the program on the RIGHT and highlight in GREY for easy identification. If possible, please align the two columns so that changes appear side-by-side with the original text.

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| SPAN | 212 | Spanish for Heritage Speakers II (4) |

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| HIST | 421 | Revolutionary Mexico, 1876-1930 (3) |
| Requirements for the Minor in Spanish (20 units) |  |  |


| ENGL | 453 | Hispanic/Hispanic American Literature (3) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| HIST | 402 | Southern California Chicano/a History and Culture (3) |
| HIST | 420 | History of Mexico (3) |
| HIST | 421 | Revolutionary Mexico, 1876-1930 (3) |

## Requirements for the Minor in Spanish (20 units)

The Spanish minor provides students the opportunity to develop their Spanish-language skills while deepening their knowledge of the peoples and cultures of the Hispanic world. Students can choose from coursework which focuses on language, linguistics, culture, Spanish for careers, literature, translation, and art or history.

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SPAN 202 Intermediate Spanish II (4)
or
SPAN 211 Spanish for Heritage Speakers I (4)
and
SPAN 212 Spanish for Heritage Speakers II (4)

## Upper Division Requirements (12 units)

| Select four courses from the following: |  |  |
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| ART | 333 | History of Southern California Chicana/o Art (HIST) (3) |
| SPAN | 301 | Advanced Spanish: Part One (3) |
| SPAN | 302 | Advanced Spanish: Part Two (3) |
| SPAN | 304 | Spanish for Careers and Professions (3) |
| SPAN | 310 | Introduction to Prose Poetry and Drama (3) |
| SPAN | 311 | Estudios Literarios Bilingües/Bilingual Literary Studies (ENGL) (3) |
| SPAN | 315 | Contrastive Features of Spanish and English (ENGL) (3) |
| SPAN | 320 | Introduction to Spanish Translation (3) |
| SPAN | 334 | Spanish Language Drama and Theatre (3) |
| SPAN | 410 | Civilizations and Cultures of Spain (3) |
| SPAN | 411 | Civilizations and Cultures of Latin America (3) |
| SPAN | 415 | Spanish Language Variation and Diversity (3) |
| SPAN | 420 | Specialized Spanish Translation (3) |
| SPAN | 421 | Spanish for Educators I (3) |
| SPAN | 422 | Spanish for Educators II (3) |
| SPAN | 429 | Social Change in Spain (SOC) (3) |

$\left.\begin{array}{|ccc|ccc|}\hline \text { SPAN } & 460 & \text { Masterpieces of Spanish Literature (3) Literature (3) } \\ \text { SPAN } & 490 & \text { Special Topics in Spanish (3) }\end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc}\text { SPAN } & 429 \\ \text { SPAN } & \text { 460 } \\ \text { SPAN 462 } \\ \text { SPAN } & 490\end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c}\text { Social Change in Spain (SOC) (3) } \\ \text { Masterpieces of Spanish Literature (3) Literature (3) } \\ \text { Modern Mexican Literature (3) } \\ \text { Special Topics in Spanish (3) }\end{array}\right]$

## SUMMARY OF CHANGES

To add a new course, SPAN 462 Modern Mexican Literature (3) to the Spanish minor and major.
Also, to change the title of SPAN 315 to Introduction to Spanish Linguistics.

## JUSTIFICATION

The 462 course needs to be added as an elective to the Spanish minor and major. Also, the title of 315 needs to be accurately reflected.

| Terry L. Ballman | 10/30/08 |
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| Proposer of Program Modification | Date |

## Program:

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