CONCENTRATION OPTIONS

A. Spanish I or II through Spanish IV
B. Spanish III and two subjects beyond
C. Spanish IV or above, plus two more subjects
   - One subject allowed in English from 21G.070, .072, .078, .084

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Concentration Proposal approval must be obtained by the first week of classes second term junior year.

MINOR in Spanish
Take your Spanish skills to the next level by pursuing a minor while satisfying most HASS elective and CI-H requirements

- 6 subjects total beginning with Spanish III
- 5 out of the 6 subjects can be applied to the 8-subject HASS requirement
- 1 of these 5 can apply to HASS Distribution (H, S, or A)
- 1-2 subjects in English pertaining to Hispanic/Latin American studies can be applied to minor (21G.070, .072, .078, or .084)

MAJOR in Spanish
Attain fluency and gain an in-depth understanding of Hispanic cultures by pursuing a major in Spanish.

- 11 subjects total beginning from Spanish III
  including 2 CI-M subjects, and 8-9 upper-level subjects
- 6 subjects can be applied to the 8-subject HASS requirement
- Flexible for double majors

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### SPRING 2021 Tier I

- **21G.701 Spanish I**  
  HASS-H  
  MTWR, 10-11, R. Herr  
  MTWR, 12-1, L. Ewald

- **21G.702 Spanish II**  
  HASS-H  
  MTWR, 11-12, M. San Martin  
  MTWR, 12-1, M. San Martin

- **21G.703 Spanish III**  
  HASS-H  
  MTWR, 11-12, A. Yáñez Rodríguez  
  MTWR, 12-1, A. Yáñez Rodríguez  
  MTWR, 2-3, L. Ewald

- **21G.704 Spanish IV**  
  HASS-H  
  MTWR, 11-12, J. Barroso  
  MTWR, 12-1, H. Belio-Apaolaza  
  MTWR, 1-2, H. Belio-Apaolaza

- **21G.805 Special Subject: Spanish for Medicine and Health**  
  MTWR, 2-3, M. San Martin

### SPRING 2021 Tier II and III

- **21G.711 Advanced Spanish Conversation and Composition**  
  Focuses on expository and journalistic in Hispanic societies. Improves oral and written skills through discussions of audiovisual materials, simulations, interviews, guided compositions, regular journal writing, and participation on an online forums. Taught in Spanish. HASS-H  
  MW, 3-4:30, H. Belio-Apaolaza

- **21G.713 Spanish through Film: Mexico, Chile, Argentina, and Spain**  
  Aims to increase oral and written communication, grammar, and vocabulary usage in Spanish while exploring a number of contemporary Hispanic films. Taught in Spanish. HASS-H  
  TR, 2:30-4, A. Yáñez Rodríguez

- **21G.714 Spanish for Heritage Learners**  
  Designed for students who have conversational skills (typically gained from growing up in a Spanish speaking environment) without a corresponding level of literacy. Builds upon students' existing linguistic and cultural knowledge to develop competence and confidence in using the language in more formal contexts. Taught in Spanish. HASS-H  
  TR, 1-2:30, J. Barroso  
  TR, 2:30-4, J. Barroso

- **21G.736 The Short Form: Literature and New Media Cultures in the Hispanic World**  
  Examines the aesthetics of the brief form across a variety of media and genres in Latin America and Spain, from short stories and snapshots to newspapers and Twitter. With an emphasis on the 20th- and 21st-century epistemologies of acceleration and the remediation of literary theories of brevity, analyzes the relationship between temporality, aesthetic form, and media technologies, and the way these topics have taken shape in the imagination of writers, artists, and audiences in historically specific and politically significant contexts. Taught in Spanish. HASS-H  
  R, 7-10, P. Duong

- **21G.740 The New Spain: 1977 to the Present**  
  Deals with the vast changes in Spanish social, political and cultural life that have taken place since the death of Franco. Topics include new freedom from censorship, the re-emergence of strong movements for regional autonomy, the new cinema including Almodóvar and Saura, educational reforms instituted by the socialist government, and the fiction of Carme Riera and Terenci Moix. Taught in Spanish. HASS-H  
  TR, 1-2:30, M. Resnick

### 21G.084/784 Intro to Latin American Studies

Examines contemporary Latin American culture, politics, and history. Surveys geography, economic development, and race, religion, and gender in Latin America. Special emphasis on the Salvadoran civil war, human rights and military rule in Argentina and Chile, and migration from Central America and Mexico to the United States. Students analyze films, literature, visual art, journalism, historical documents, and social scientific research. Taught in English with a project that requires research and writing in Spanish. Taught in English with a project that requires research and writing in Spanish under 21G.784. HASS-H

TR 3-4:30, T. Padilla

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### Looking ahead

**Fall 2021**

- 21G.700 Introductory Spanish for Heritage Learners, HASS-H
- 21G.701 Spanish I, HASS-H
- 21G.702 Spanish II, HASS-H
- 21G.703 Spanish III, HASS-H
- 21G.704 Spanish IV, HASS-H
- 21G.710 Advanced Communication in Spanish: Topics in Language and Culture, HASS-H
- 21G.715 Topics in Medicine and Public Health in the Hispanic World, HASS-H
- 21G.716 Intro to Contemporary Hispanic Literature and Film, HASS-H

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