



November 24, 2015

To: The Office of Undergraduate Curricula

Object: Change to Hispanic Linguistics Major, Department of Romance Studies

**Change to the Hispanic Linguistics Major:**

Proposed by the Spanish section and Approved by the Undergraduate Advisory Committee, October 2015

**Summary:** The Spanish section proposes to streamline and simplify the description of the Hispanic Linguistics major to reflect course deletions, renumbering, renaming as well as the addition of two new courses.

**Justification:** The Spanish section conducted a review of the major during the 2014-2015 academic year, resulting in numerous proposed curricular changes. Newly submitted changes in CRAS for upper-level Spanish courses include deletions of courses no longer offered (SPAN 403, 350, 362, 330, 333, 335 and 372), renumbering to bring courses in line with others in similar content areas (331 to 338, 348 to 374) and the addition of two newly proposed courses (SPAN 661 and ROML 665). These proposed changes necessitate rewording the description of the major to incorporate those changes as well as streamline the description of the major for maximum clarity.



Sincerely yours,

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