



October 14, 2016

To: The Office of Undergraduate Curricula

Object: Change to Italian Major, Department of Romance Studies

CHANGE TO THE ITALIAN MAJOR:

Proposed by the Italian Section and Approved by the Undergraduate Advisory Committee, Department of Romance Studies, October 2016:

Summary: We are asking that the courses listed for the Italian Major include three new courses that were approved this Fall by the ROMS Department and have been entered into CRAS: **Ital 320 – Italian Cities and Cultures, Ital 339 – US-Italian Encounters: War, Tourism, Myth, and Ital 346 – Women Writers in Early Modern Italy.**

Justification: Students majoring in Italian are required to complete 8 courses: ITAL 300 and 7 additional Italian courses numbered above 300. Ital 320, Ital 339, and Ital 346 are 300-level courses and meet the general qualifications for Italian courses for majors. They are newly proposed courses, and need to be added to the existing list of electives.

Sincerely yours,

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Romance Languages Major, B.A.–Italian

Core Requirements

- ITAL 300
- Seven courses chosen from among the following: ITAL 310, 320, 330, 331, 333, 335, 337, 339, 340, 343, 345, 346, 365, 370, 371, 382, 390, 398, 511, 512, or 526

A prerequisite for entering the program is knowledge of the Italian language, demonstrated by successfully completing ITAL 204 or ITAL 402 or the equivalent. With the approval of the undergraduate advisor for Italian, students majoring in Romance languages with an emphasis in Italian may count up to nine hours in related areas in such departments, programs, and curricula as classics, art, music, cultural studies, and women's and gender studies.

Note: ITAL 320, 339, and 346 are pending approval (November 2016 Curriculum Committee Report).