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Master of Arts Degree
in

French & Francophone Studies

Romance, German, Russian Languages
& Literatures Department
College of Liberal Arts

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY LONG BEACH

PREREQUISITES for Admission to Classified Standing in French & Francophone Studies

Either (1) a bachelor of arts degree in French; or (2) a bachelor's degree with a minimum of 24 upper-division units in French, comparable to those required of a major in French at this University. Deficiencies will be determined by the advisor after consultation with the student and study of transcript records.

REQUIREMENTS for the M.A. Degree in French (Code RGR_MA01)

1. Complete at least 30 units of graduate level courses (500, 600 or approved 400 level), of which at least 24 units must be in French.

2. Maintain at least a "B" (3.0) average: no grade lower than C can be used on a Graduate Program.

3. Pass a Comprehensive Examination.

4a. Complete two years of college-level study, or equivalent, of another language: German, Italian, Russian or Spanish with a minimum average grade of "B,"

4b. Alternatively, you can pass the Graduate Studies Foreign Language Test (G.S.F.L.T.) in another language with a minimum percentile of 500 or better.

(Please refer to the current University Catalog section on "Post-Baccalaureate Studies and Graduate Degrees" for detailed regulations on maintaining residency, transfer credits, and the seven-year time limit for retention of courses on Graduate Programs)

GRADUATE LEVEL COURSES

562 Reading French Women Writers (3)
570 French Literature/Middle Ages (3)
571 French Literature/Renaissance (3)
572 French Literature/17th Century (3)
574 The Age of Enlightenment (3)
575 Seminar in Francophone Lit. (3)(See Schedule of Classes for topic)
576 Comic Traditions (3)
577 French Literature/19th Century (3)
579 French Literature/20th Century
580 Self & Society
590 Special Topics in French (3)(See Schedule of Classes for topic)
599 Directed Studies (1-3).
Requires approval by Advisor and Chair.
604 Seminar in a Century of French Literature (3) (See Schedule of Classes for topic)
688 Seminar in French Literature or Culture (3) (See Schedule of Classes for topic)
696 Bibliographical Methods of Research (3)
697 Directed Research (1-3)**. Requires approval by Advisor and Chair.**
698 Thesis (2-6). **Requires approval by Advisor and Chair**. The thesis option is only permitted upon presentation of a detailed prospectus.

ADMISSION to the Program

1. Apply for admission to the University, with objective of M.A. in French.

2. Have a copy of transcripts of all previous University-level study sent to Graduate Advisor, French Department.

3. Contact the Graduate Advisor for an appointment as soon as transcripts have been sent.

TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIPS in French

A limited number of Teaching Assistantships are available for qualified students in French M.A. Program. New applicants for Teaching Assistantships must have been accepted into the Program and must present a letter of application, a resume, a complete set of transcripts, and arrange for three confidential letters of recommendation to be sent to the Graduate Coordinator.

Exchange Program at the University of Rouen, France

Graduate students interested in participating in the exchange program in Rouen should contact the graduate advisor. Students participating in this exchange receive a stipend for teaching English at the University. Registration at the University is not required, but acceptable if the student wishes. Up to 6 units max. of approved courses may be transferred with the graduate dean's permission.

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