

Latin American Studies Graduate Course Listing: Spring 2024

Course	Course Title	Professor	Date	Instruction Mode	Time	Course Notes
FRE 641-C	Elementary FRE I For Graduate Students	Kevin Finn	MWF	In Person	10:10am-11:00am	Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending French and to provide an introduction to the Francophone world.
FRE 641-D	Elementary FRE I For Graduate Students	Mari Williams	MWF	In Person	11:15am-12:05pm	Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending French and to provide an introduction to the Francophone world.
FRE 641-F	Elementary FRE I For Graduate Students	Kevin Finn	MWF	In Person	1:25pm-2:15pm	Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending French and to provide an introduction to the Francophone world.
FRE 642-B	Elementary FRE II For Graduate Students	Jacob Dennis	MWF	In Person	9:05am-9:55am	Continuation of FRE 641. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending French, and continued engagement with the French-speaking world.
FRE 642-F	Elementary FRE II For Graduate Students	Kathy Rubio	MWF	In Person	1:25pm-2:15pm	Continuation of FRE 641. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending French, and continued engagement with the French-speaking world.
FRE 645-F	Accelerated Elementary FRE for Graduate Students	Mari Williams	MWF	In Person	1:25pm-2:15pm	For graduate students with previous study of French desiring to review material covered in FRE641 and FRE642 in preparation for study of French at the intermediate level. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending French and continued engagement with the Francophone world.
GEG 623-5T	Seminar in Urban Management	Han Li	Thursday	In Person	5:05pm-7:50pm	Identification of and responses to urban problems in large cities in European and Latin American metropolitan areas. Emphasis is on demographic, cultural/ethnic, service-provision, environmental, transportation, and land-use problems. Approach is via case studies, theory applications, and planning practicalities.
GEG 648-4J	Climate Change and Public Health	ТВА	Wednesday	In Person	5:05pm-7:50pm	The mechanisms by which climate change adversely affects human health and the policy options for mitigating our exposure.
HAI 642-J	Elementary HAI II for Graduate Students	Cherol Marcelin	MonWed	In Person	5:05pm-6:20pm	Continuation of HAI 641. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Haitian Creole, and continued engagement with Haitian Studies.
HAI 652-K	Intermediate HAI II for Graduate Research	Cherol Marcelin	MonWed	In Person	6:35pm-7:50pm	For graduate students with some previous study of Haitian Creole at the intermediate level. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in Haitian Creole at the high-intermediate level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in Haiti.
IGS 610-1K	Intelligence and National Security	Katrin Katz	Wednesday	In Person	6:35pm-9:20pm	This course examines the structure of the US Intelligence Community, the national security enterprise as a whole, and the objectives, priorities, and instruments of American foreign policy. Students in this course will examine the missions and methods of the principal national security agencies (the CIA, Defense Department, and State Department) and how intelligence professionals and analysts interact with national decision-makers to shape debates and policies.
IGS 615-5U	International Political Econoomy	Maria Gomez-Mera	Thursday	Online	6:35pm-9:20pm	Reviews the essentials of International Economics. It then provides students with an operational understanding of the theory of comparative advantage and its application to policy issues.

IGS 699-BC	Special Topics: Border Disputes in the 21st Century	Katrin Katz	MonWed	In Person	9:30am-10:45am	Special topics related to international administration. Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
LAS 602-CD	Politics, Societies, and Cultures of Latin America and the Caribbean	Jorge Ulloa Hung	MoWe	In Person	10:10am-11:25am	Interdisciplinary research methods and skills in Latin American and Caribbean studies.
LAS 604-4K	Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies - Travel Course	Daniel Suman	Wednesday	In Person	6:35pm-9:20pm	Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus is thematic and regional (e.g.: tourism in Yucatan; civil society in Chile, Haiti-Dominican Republic relations, cultural policy in the Caribbean, environmental policy in Panama.) Course involves travel during Spring Break and it has a program fee
LAS 605-01	Internship in Latin American and Caribbean Studies	John Twichell	see Canelink	In Person	see Canelink	On-site experience in business, governmental organization, or non-profit organization dealing with Latin America and/or the Caribbean.
LAS 606-01	Civic Engagement in Latin America	John Twichell	see Canelink	In Person	see Canelink	On site experience in a civic engagement project in Latin America or the Caribbean.
LAS 694-01	Directed Readings in Latin American and Caribbean	Eduardo Elena	see Canelink	In Person	see Canelink	Independent Study leading to an original piece of research, or creative project on a Latin American or Caribbean interdisciplinary topic.
LAS 697-01	Readings for Comprehensive Exam	Eduardo Elena	see Canelink	In Person	see Canelink	Readings for M.A. students who are preparing for comprehensive examinations.
LAS 810-01	Pre-candidacy thesis credits	Eduardo Elena	see Canelink	In Person	see Canelink	The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, not to exceed three, before student has been admitted to candidacy. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
LAS 815-01	Post-candidacy thesis credits	Eduardo Elena	see Canelink	In Person	see Canelink	The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, not to exceed six, after student has been admitted to candidacy. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
LAS 820-01	Research in Residence	Eduardo Elena	see Canelink	In Person	see Canelink	Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in LAS 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
POL 653-1K	The Environmental Movement: Groups, Beliefs, and Values	George Gonzalez	Monday	In Person	6:35pm-9:20pm	Exploration of the origins and political impact of environmentalism in the United States and, to a lesser extent, in the global context. Impact of democratic participation on environmental politics
POL 659-S	International Organizations	Maria Gomez-Mera	TuTh	In Person	3:30pm-4:45pm	Examines international organizations which, in addition to contributing to the solution of international problems, also help to provide rules and structures to manage state-to-state relationships.
POL 696-4J	Special Topics in Public Administration, Policy and Law: Global Health: Effective Reponses to Hemispheric Challenges	Michael Touchton, Julio Frenk Mora	Thursday	In Person	Tu: 5:35pm-7:50pm, Th 5:35pm-6:45pm	A seminar in public policy, administration and law; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis.
POR 645-D	Beginning Portuguese for Gradaute Research	Leila Dacosta	MWF	In Person	11:15am-12:05pm	The equivalent of one year of beginning-level college Portuguese, in preparation for study of Portuguese at the intermediate level. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Portuguese, and continued engagement with the Portuguese speaking world.

POR 651-D	Intermediate POR I for Graduate Research	Euge Stumm	MWF	In Person	11:15am-12:05pm	For graduate students with previous study of elementary-level Portuguese who will carry out research related to the Portuguese-speaking world. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills at the intermediate level of proficiency.
POR 652-HI	Intermediate Portuguese II for Graduate Research	Steven Butterman	MoWe	In Person	3:35pm-4:50pm	For students with previous study of Portuguese at the intermediate level who will carry out research related to the Portuguese-speaking world. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills at the intermediate-high level of proficiency.
POR 691-J	Topics in Luso-Brazilian Studies	Tracy Devine Guzman, Gabriel Das Chagas Alves Pereira Souza	TuTh	In Person	9:30am-10:45am	Graduate equivalent of POR courses listed at the 300-level.
SPA 641-C	Elementary SPA I for Graduate Students	Yamicela Torres Molliendo	MWF	In Person	10:10am-11:00am	Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing and comprehending Spanish and to provide an introduction to the Spanish-speaking world.
SPA 642-C	Elementary SPA II for Graduate Students	Hernan Rivera	MWF	In Person	10:10am-11:00am	Continuation of SPA 641. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Spanish, and continued engagement with the Spanish-speaking world.
SPA 645-D	Accelerated Elementary SPA for Graduate Students	Cecilia Vazquez	MWF	In Person	11:15am-12:05pm	For graduate students with prior study of Spanish who desire to review material covered in SPA641 and SPA642 in preparation for study of Spanish at the intermediate level. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Spanish, and continued engagement with the Spanish-speaking world.
SPA 645-E	Accelerated Elementary SPA for Graduate Students	Alberto Sarrain	MWF	In Person	12:20pm-1:10pm	For graduate students with prior study of Spanish who desire to review material covered in SPA641 and SPA642 in preparation for study of Spanish at the intermediate level. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Spanish, and continued engagement with the Spanish-speaking world.
SPA 645-F	Accelerated Elementary SPA for Graduate Students	Tiffany Shinbach	MWF	In Person	1:25pm-2:15pm	For graduate students with prior study of Spanish who desire to review material covered in SPA641 and SPA642 in preparation for study of Spanish at the intermediate level. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Spanish, and continued engagement with the Spanish-speaking world.
SPA 721-J1	Special Topics in Hispanic Studies	Andrew Lynch	Monday	In Person	5:05pm-7:50pm	Special Topics in Hispanic Studies
SPA 733-J4	Topics in Colonial Literature	Viviana Diaz Balsera	Wednesday	In Person	5:05pm-7:50pm	Recent topics: the chroniclers, Sor Juana Ines de la Cruz, Baroque of the Indies.