

FOREIGN LANGUAGE & LITERATURE (FLNG)

Foreign Language & Literature Undergraduate Courses

FLNG 1000 WHY LANGUAGES MATTER: REPRESENTATIONS OF LINGUISTIC DIVERSITY IN THE US MEDIA (3 credits)

The course introduces students to diversity in the US using language in context as points of departure. In this course, we analyze the intersection between language and ideological constructions (e.g., the objectification of Latino women, discrimination and stereotypes toward Asian peoples) and examine nodes of social meaning through visual and audio representations of language, as consumed in music, tv series, art (e.g., street art, installations) and social media. Departing from a US-centric and an assimilative approach, the course provides a historical and geographic lens through which these languages exist in the United States.

Distribution: U.S. Diversity General Education course and Humanities and Fine Arts General Education course

FLNG 2520 SPECIAL TOPICS IN WORLD LANGUAGE AND CULTURE I (2 credits)

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FLNG 3520 SPECIAL TOPICS IN WORLD LANGUAGE AND CULTURE II (2 credits)

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