

# Linguistics - TESOL / SLAT (Second Language Acquisition & Teaching) Option, B.A.

## DEPARTMENT

MN in Linguistics, Minor  
MA in Linguistics, M.A.  
BA in Linguistics - Computational Linguistics Option, B.A.  
MN in Computational Linguistics, Minor  
BA in Linguistics - General Linguistics Option, B.A.  
MN in Chinese, Minor  
BA in Linguistics - Interdisciplinary Language Studies Option, B.A.  
MN in Hmong, Minor  
MN in Teaching English As A Second Language, Minor  
BA in Linguistics - TESOL / SLAT (Second Language Acquisition & Teaching) Option, B.A.  
MA in Linguistics - TESOL / SLAT (Second Language Acquisition & Teaching) Option, M.A.  
BS in Cognitive Science, B.S.  
MN in Cognitive Science, Minor  
MN in Japanese, Minor  
CERT in Linguistics - TESOL/SLAT (Second Language Acquisition & Teaching), Certificate of Adv. Study

## REQUIREMENTS

Department of Linguistics

### Bachelor of Arts Degree Requirements

#### Linguistics Major - TESOL/SLAT (Second Language Acquisition and Teaching)

A B.A. with a major in linguistics requires 36-46 units completed, depending on which option, the General Education requirement, specific course/skill requirements, and electives and remaining degree requirements totaling at least the 120 units required for a B.A.

In each option, students receive a basic grounding in the nature and structure of human language. The option in Teaching English as a Second Language provides students with a foundation for teaching ESL, or for graduate study in teaching ESL. This degree is especially useful when combined with a California teaching credential.

#### 1. Major requirements (42 units)

Core Requirements (24 units)

LING 100, 139, 142, 143, 148, 151, 156, 165

TESOL/SLAT (Second Language Acquisition and Teaching) Option (18 units)

LING 132, 141, 146, 153, 155, 171I

#### 2. General Education requirements (49 units)

#### 3. Other requirements (9 units)

American Government and Institutions (PLSI 2), Multicultural and International (MI), and Upper-division writing

#### 4. Sufficient elective units to meet required total units (varies)

#### 5. Total units (120)\*

\* G.E. and MI courses can be double-counted with major requirements. The writing requirement may be met by taking the upper-division writing exam. See advisor for details.

### Advising Notes

1. CR/NC grading is not permitted in the linguistics major.
2. See advisor for list of approved electives.

3. Students who have studied a language in high school or community college, or who by culture and experience have a certain level of proficiency, must consult with an advisor in the language to determine their placement in lower- or upper-division coursework.

## **FACULTY**

For faculty phone numbers and e-mail, see the campus directory.

For more on the faculty, see the faculty pages.

The faculty pages are updated by the department or program.