

# Romance Languages- Italian & Spanish Four Year Academic Plan

Year 1	Fall	Spring
<b>Benchmark 1 Requirements</b>		
Intermediate Proficiency - ITAL 203/122 or SPAN 203	ENGL 101 (AW)*	Natural Sciences (NS)**
<i>Must be completed by the end of two semesters</i>	Math (MA)*	Analytic Reasoning (AR)
	History/Social Sciences (HS)~	Humanities (HU)**
	ITAL 203 (satisfies Global Engagement Requirement)	ITAL 204 SPAN 203
	ARHU 158	
	<i>*Must attempt by 30 cr.</i>	
<b>Year 2</b>		
<b>Benchmark 2 Requirements</b>		
Intermediate Proficiency - ITAL 203/122 and SPAN 203	Oral Communication (OC)	Scholarship in Practice (SP) #1 **
<i>Must be completed by the end of four semesters</i>	ITAL 207	SPAN 207
	SPAN 204	ITAL 301
	Elective 1xx-4xx	Elective 1xx-4xx
	Elective 1xx-4xx	Elective 1xx-4xx
<b>Year 3</b>		
<b>Benchmark 3 Requirements</b>		
Five courses in major	Natural Science Lab (NL)**	History/Social Sciences (HS)**
<i>Must be completed by the end of six semesters</i>	ITAL 351, 352, 361 or 362	ITAL 4xx and ITAL 478
	ITAL 4xx and ITAL 478	SPAN 303
	Elective 1xx-4xx	Elective 1xx-4xx
	Elective 1xx-4xx	Elective 3xx-4xx
<b>Year 4</b>		
	Professional Writing (PW)	ITAL 4xx or SPAN 4xx
	Scholarship in Practice (SP) #2	SPAN 332 or 362
	ITAL 4xx and ITAL 478	SPAN 333 or 363
	ITAL 4xx and ITAL 478	SPAN 4xx (Literature or Civilization)
	SPAN 331 or 361	SPAN 4xx (Literature or Civilization)
	Total Credits for Degree: 120; 45 credits must be 3xx-4xx	
Note: Some courses for the major may also count toward the General Education requirements.		
**All students must complete two Distributive Studies courses that are approved for I-series courses. The Understanding Plural Societies and Cultural Competence courses may also fulfill Distributive Studies categories.		

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General Education Requirements				Benchmark Requirements		
<b>Fundamental Studies</b>				<b>Year 1 - Benchmark Requirements</b>		
<i>Requirements: 15 credits/5 courses</i>	<b>Course</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Grade</b>	Intermediate Proficiency (ITAL 203/122 or SPAN 203)		
Academic Writing (AW)	ENGL 101			<b>Year 2 - Benchmark Requirements</b>		
Professional Writing (PW)				Intermediate Proficiency (ITAL 203/122 and SPAN 203)		
Oral Comm. (OC)				<b>Year 3 - Benchmark Requirements</b>		
Math (MA)				Five courses in major		
Analytic Reasoning (AR)				<b>Major Requirements</b>		
<b>Distributive Studies</b>				<b>Cumulative average of major requirements must be at least a 2.0</b>		
<i>Requirements: 25 credits/8 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	<i>Requirements</i>	<i>Credits</i>	<i>Grade</i>
Natural Science Lab (NL)				<i>I. Italian (21 credits)</i>		
Natural Sciences (NS)				ITAL 207*		
History/Social Sciences (HS)				ITAL 301		
History/Social Sciences (HS)				ITAL 351, 352, 361 or 362		
Humanities (HU)				ITAL 4xx		
Humanities (HU)				ITAL 4xx		
Scholarship in Practice (SP)				ITAL 4xx		
Scholarship in Practice (SP) non major				ITAL 4xx and 478x**		
<b>I-Series</b>				ITAL 4xx and 478x**		
<b>Normally double counted with Distributive Studies</b>				ITAL 4xx and 478x**		
<i>Requirements: 6 credits/2 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	ITAL 4xx and 478x**		
I-Series (IS)				<i>II. Spanish (21 credits)</i>		
I-Series (IS)				SPAN 207***		
<b>Diversity</b>				SPAN 301		
<b>(overlap permitted with Distributive Studies and/or I-series)</b>				SPAN 303		
<i>Requirements: 4-6 credits/2 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	SPAN 4xx (Literature or Civilization)		
Understanding Plural Soc. (UP)				SPAN 4xx (Literature or Civilization)		
Understanding Plural Soc. (UP) <i>or</i>				<i>Choice of Spanish or Latin American Focus</i>		
Cultural Competency (CC)				SPAN 331 and		
<b>Experiential Learning- optional</b>				SPAN 332 and		
<b>(overlap permitted with other requirements/courses)</b>				SPAN 333		
<i>Requirements: 0-3 credits</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	<i>OR</i>		
				SPAN 361 and		
				SPAN 362 and		
				SPAN 363		
<b>Students must earn a minimum of 120 credits to complete a degree.</b>				<i>III. Elective</i>		
<b>University Requirements for Graduation:</b>				FREN 4xx or SPAN 4xx		
<input type="checkbox"/> At least 30 credits must be earned at UMD				<i>*pre-requisites ITAL 103/121 and ITAL 203/122 or equivalent</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> 15 of the final 30 credits must be earned at the 300-400 level				<i>**colloquium section taught in Italian to accompany ITAL 4xx courses</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> 12 upper level major credits must be earned at UMD				<i>taught in English.</i>		
<b>ARHU Requirements for Graduation:</b>				<i>***pre-requisites SPAN 103, 203, and 204 or equivalent</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> 45 upper level credits						
<input type="checkbox"/> ARHU 158 or equivalent (if applicable)						
<input type="checkbox"/> Global Engagement						