ROMANCE LINGUISTICS
CONCENTRATION

for the Romance Linguistics Concentration

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The concentration in Romance Linguistics requires a minimum of 24
hours of graduate-level coursework and it is open to PhD students in the
participating Departments.

Graduate Degree Programs in Romance Linguistics

Graduate Concentration:
Romance Linguistics (p. 1)
participating programs:
French, PhD (http://catalog.illinois.edu/
graduate/las/french-phd/)Italian, PhD (http://
catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/las/italian-
phd/)Linguistics, PhD (http://catalog.illinois.edu/
graduate/las/linguistics-phd/)Portuguese, PhD
(http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/las/portuguese-
phd/)Spanish, PhD (http://catalog.illinois.edu/
graduate/las/spanish-phd/)

Admission

Ph.D. students in any of the participating Departments within the School
of Literatures, Cultures and Linguistics are admitted into the program
with the consent of their advisor and the director of the program.

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For additional details and requirements refer to the
department's graduate concentration program (http://
www.medieval.illinois.edu/education/) and the Graduate College
Handbook (http://www.grad.illinois.edu/gradhandbook/).

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<td>RMLG 435</td>
<td>Introduction to Romance Linguistics</td>
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<td>RMLG 559</td>
<td>Sem Romance Ling (3 courses on different topics)</td>
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Two 400- or 500-level courses in the linguistics of other
Romance languages and/or in general linguistics, as
approved by the student's advisor

Language Requirement:

Reading knowledge or completion of two semester language
courses with a minimum grade of B in two Romance
languages other than the student's major language, or an
equivalent approved by the Romance Linguistics Advisory
Committee. (Language courses taken to satisfy this
requirement do not count towards the total number of hours.)

Total Hours 24

Other Requirements

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<td>A dissertation or thesis in the area of Romance Linguistics. It must include significant research on at least 2 Romance languages. Whether this requirement is satisfied is determined by the Romance Linguistics Advisory Committee. We expect that a member of one of the cooperating departments external to the student's home department will normally be a member of the student's dissertation committee.</td>
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In addition to the graduate concentration requirements, students must also complete the requirements of their major degree. All hours taken to complete the Concentration in Romance Linguistics count toward the Ph.D.s in Linguistics, Spanish, Italian or Portuguese. Sixteen of the proposed twenty-four concentration hours will count towards coursework for the Ph.D. in French.

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