

**DOROTHY F. SCHMIDT COLLEGE OF ARTS AND LETTERS**

**DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES,  
LINGUISTICS, AND COMPARATIVE LITERATURE**

**FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY**

**LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY TEST**

**APPLICATION**

**STUDENT INFORMATION**

**FIRST NAME**

**LAST NAME**

**Z-NUMBER**

**FAU E-MAIL ADDRESS ONLY**

**GRADUATION TERM**

**LANGUAGE**

**ADVISOR'S USE ONLY**

**NAME**

**COLLEGE**

**SIGNATURE**

**DATE**

**LLCL USE ONLY**

**STUDENT'S SIGNATURE AT THE TIME OF EXAMINATION**

**DATE**

**REVIEWER'S STATEMENT AND SIGNATURE**

Upon reviewing the attached Language Proficiency Results of the above-named student, I deem him/her to have satisfied the Foreign Language Exit Requirement of Florida Atlantic University .

**NAME**

**SIGNATURE**

**DATE**

# LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY TEST APPLICATION

Before registering for the Language Proficiency Test, students have to obtain their advisor's approval to take the test by getting their advisor's signature on this Language Proficiency Test Application.

The Language Proficiency Test, designed by the University of Pennsylvania (UPenn), is an evaluation of a student's listening, reading, speaking, and writing skills in a world language. It consists of a written test and an Oral Proficiency Interview (OPI). For information about the test content and grading, the student has to contact UPenn at (215) 898-6039 or [plc@ccat.sas.upenn.edu](mailto:plc@ccat.sas.upenn.edu).

Because the Language Proficiency Test is the exclusive property of UPenn, any student who wishes to take it must pay a fee (currently \$175) directly to UPenn via the official website of the Language Proficiency Test <https://plc.sas.upenn.edu/services/languageproficiencytesting/nonpenn> . UPenn will not release the examination until this fee is paid.

To register, the student needs to go to <https://plc.sas.upenn.edu/services/languageproficiencytesting/nonpenn>. When prompted to enter the School and Advisor and Testing Arrangements information, the student should enter the following:

School: Florida Atlantic University  
Name: Kamela Ibrahim  
E-mail: [kibrahim@fau.edu](mailto:kibrahim@fau.edu)  
Phone: 561.297.3860  
Address: 777 Glades Road, CU 232, Boca Raton, FL 33431

Once the FAU proctor has received the registration confirmation and the written test from UPenn, the student will be contacted by the FAU proctor via phone to schedule an appointment for the written test. Once the written test has been completed, the student will be contacted by UPenn to schedule an OPI (Arrangements for the OPI are done by UPenn and the FAU proctor is not involved in it).

The student takes the written test in the testing room of the Department of Languages, Linguistics, and Comparative Literature (LLCL), which is located on the Boca Raton campus in the Culture and Society Building (CU 97) - room 232, which is open Monday to Friday from 8:30 to 5:00. The student will not take more than 90 minutes to complete the written test. The student is not allowed the use of any outside materials whatsoever during the test.

The student has to demonstrate a proficiency level of "Novice High" or higher on the TWO skills of SPEAKING and WRITING for the FAU Foreign Language Exit Requirement to be waived. The student does not receive any credit.

It may take up to two weeks for the FAU proctor to receive the official Language Proficiency Results report. Once the report has been reviewed by a designated LLCL faculty member, this Language Proficiency Test Application gets endorsed and forwarded to the Registrar's Office for the student's record to be updated.