


 FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY	NEW/CHANGE PROGRAM REQUEST Undergraduate Programs	UUPC Approval _____ UFS Approval _____ Banner Posted _____ Catalog _____
	Department Languages, Linguistics & Comparative Literature College Arts & Letters	
Program Name Minor in Linguistics	<input type="checkbox"/> New Program <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change Program	Effective Date <i>(TERM & YEAR)</i> Spring 2021
Please explain the requested change(s) and offer rationale below or on an attachment Replace the current Catalog description with the following: "Linguistics Minor (15 credits) To complete a minor in Linguistics, students are required to pass (with a grade of "C" or better): Introduction to Linguistics (LIN 3010), two courses in theoretical linguistics (LIN 4326, LIN 4430 or LIN 4802), and two elective courses in linguistics (other LIN courses, in-lingua linguistics courses, TSL 4080, TSL4251; only one elective can be lower-division)." The main reasons for the proposed change to the Minor: The Linguistics Minor is being brought in line with the Linguistics Major that was revised recently. The Major no longer includes language-specific concentrations, so "focus on a single language" is no longer applicable. Instead, students will be able to choose language-specific linguistics courses as electives. Clearly listing of TSL4080 & TSL4251 as possible electives will make it easier for students to combine the Minor with the ESL Studies Certificate (both TSL courses can count towards the Certificate). Allowing one lower-division elective will make it possible to count one IFP LIN course (LIN2001 or LIN2607) towards the Minor. Removal of the sentence "75 percent of all minor credits earned must be from FAU" will bring the Linguistics Minor in line with the description of most other minors in LLCL that do not state this requirement in the catalogue description.		
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Approved by Department Chair  College Curriculum Chair  College Dean  UUPC Chair Jerry Haky (via email confirmation) Undergraduate Studies Dean Edward Pratt (via email confirmation) UFS President _____ Provost _____	Date 3-02-20 3.24.20 3-24-2020 3-30-20 3-31-20 _____ _____	

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Linguistics Minor ~~in (with a focus on a single language)~~ (15 credits)

To complete a minor in Linguistics, ~~with a focus on a single language~~, students are required to pass (with a grade of "C" or better): Introduction to Linguistics (LIN 3010), ~~a course in the structure of a language (LIN 4680, FRE 4850, SPN 4850 or ITA 4730)~~, ~~one of the following upper-division core~~ two courses in ~~theoretical~~ linguistics (LIN 4326, LIN 4802 or LIN 4430), and two ~~upper-division (3/4000-level) linguistics~~ elective courses in linguistics ~~(6 credits)~~, ~~to be chosen in consultation with the LLCL advisor~~ (other LIN courses, in-lingua linguistics courses, TSL 4080, TSL 4251; only one elective can be lower-division). ~~At least 75 percent of all minor credits earned must be from FAU.~~