

## Bachelor of Humanities and Arts (BHA)

### Dietrich College (DC) Concentration in Linguistics

**81 units (minimum)**

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The BHA concentration in Linguistics combines courses from the departments of English, Modern Languages, Philosophy and Psychology and the Language Technologies Institute. Linguistics is the study of human language, and it encompasses a broad spectrum of research questions, approaches and methodologies. Some linguists are concerned with the cognitive aspects of language learning, production and comprehension; some are concerned with language as a social and cultural phenomenon; others engage in the analysis of linguistic form and meaning, some from a functional and others from a formal perspective. There are also computational approaches to linguistics with both applied and theoretical goals.

BHA students take at least 9 courses in their DC concentration, for a minimum of 81 units. A completed DC Concentration Declaration Sheet must be approved by the concentration advisor and submitted to the BXA office by spring mid-semester break of the student's sophomore year. BHA students who are admitted through internal transfer must have chosen a DC concentration at the time of their application, which serves as declaration.

### Introductory Course

**(1 course, 9 units)**

80-180 Nature of Language 9

### Linguistics Core

**(2 courses, 18 units)**

Take one course each in two of the following three areas.

#### Sounds:

80-282 Phonetics and Phonology I 9

#### Structure:

80-280 Linguistic Analysis 9

80-285 Natural Language Syntax 9

#### Meaning:

80-381 Meaning in Language 9

80-383 Language in Use 9

### Extended Core

**(3 courses, 27 units)**

Choose three courses from Extended Core or additional courses from the Linguistics Core above.

80-283 It Matters How You Say It 9

80-284 Invented Languages 9

80-286 Words and Word Formation: Introduction to Morphology 9

80-287 Language Variation and Change 9

80-288 Intonation: Transcription and Analysis 9

80-382 Phonetics and Phonology II 9

80-384 Linguistics of Turkic Languages 9

80-385 Linguistics of Germanic Languages 9

80-388 Linguistic Typology: Diversity and Universals 9

80-488 Acoustics of Human Speech: Theory, Data, and Analysis 9

### Elective Courses

**(3 courses, 27 units)**

Take three additional electives. These can be additional courses from the Core or Extended Core courses listed above, the electives list below, or any other course which must be approved by the concentration advisor as a linguistics elective. Listed below are the additional electives taught on a regular basis. Additional appropriate courses are offered irregularly or on a one-off basis. The concentration advisor will provide students with a list of possible electives each semester, and will assist students in selecting electives that are consistent with their goals and interests. A list of these courses must be filed in the BXA office.

#### Philosophy:

80-380 Philosophy of Language 9

80-484 Language and Thought 9

#### English:

76-318 Communicating in the Global Marketplace 9

76-325 Intertextuality 9

76-385 Introduction to Discourse Analysis 9

76-386 Language & Culture 9

76-388 Coding for Humanists 9

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76-389	Rhetorical Grammar	9
Modern Languages:		
82-239	Crazy Linguistically Rich Asian Languages	9
82-305	French in its Social Contexts	9
82-334	Structure of Chinese	9
82-373	Structure of the Japanese Language	9
82-383	Second Language Acquisition: Theories and Research	9
82-585	Topics in Second Language Acquisition	9
82-304	French and Francophone Sociolinguistics	9
82-388	Topics in Second Language Acquisition	9
Psychology:		
85-354	Infant Language Development	9
85-421	Language and Thought	9
Language Technologies Institute:		
11-411	Natural Language Processing	12
11-423	ConLanging: Lrng. Ling. & Lang Tech via Constru Artif. Lang.	12
11-492	Speech Processing	12
11-422	Grammar Formalisms	12
Statistics and Data Science:		
36-468	Special Topics: Text Analysis	9