

Academic Map: Linguistics, Track Four: General Linguistics

Department: Languages, Linguistics Literatures, and Cultures **Degree:** BA
Program/Major: Linguistics
Track/Emphasis: Track Four: General Linguistics
Does this program require a minor? (Yes/No) Yes¹

Important program information in the online *Undergraduate Bulletin*:

UCA Core Requirements: <https://uca.edu/ubulletin/general-policies-information/uca-core/>
LD UCA Core Check Sheet: <https://uca.edu/academicbulletins/ld-uca-core/>
UD UCA Core Course List: <https://uca.edu/academicbulletins/ud-uca-core/>
Degree Requirements: <https://uca.edu/ubulletin/general-policies-information/degree-requirements/>
Program Description: <https://uca.edu/ubulletin/colleges-departments-programs/college-of-liberal-arts/department-of-languages-linguistics-literatures-cultures/>
Course Descriptions: <https://uca.edu/ubulletin/courses/>

This degree program requires a total of 120 semester credit hours, including at least 40 upper-division credit hours.

Comparable courses in the Arkansas Course Transfer System (ACTS) are cross-referenced in the ACTS column of each semester block below; a [core link](https://uca.edu/academicbulletins/ld-uca-core/) (https://uca.edu/academicbulletins/ld-uca-core/) takes the user to the *Undergraduate Bulletin's* UCA Lower-Division Core check sheet, where UCA Core options and ACTS course numbers are listed in full; an [acts link](#) takes the user to the *Undergraduate Bulletin's* ACTS page (https://uca.edu/academicbulletins/acts/) for additional information and a UCA-ACTS crosswalk.

Scholarship recipients: Please be aware of eligibility criteria for your scholarship(s). In particular, pay attention to (1) the enrollment requirements each semester for disbursement of your scholarship(s) and (2) the number of hours and GPA required each semester and/or year for renewal of your scholarship(s). Some Academic Maps may suggest enrollment in fewer hours than required for disbursement of your scholarship(s). In such cases, work with your academic advisor to adjust your schedule to meet requirements most efficiently. Contact the Office of Student Financial Aid at (501) 450-3140 with any questions regarding enrollment/renewal requirements of your scholarship(s). For online information resources, see endnote ².

Year 1

Fall – Semester 1 (credit hours: 15)

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
WRTG	1310	Introduction to College Writing	3	ENGL1013
ANTH LING	1302 1310	Introduction to Anthropology or Language, Culture, & Society (recommended for LD UCA Core, Diversity/World Cultures [SS]) ³	3	ANTH1013 core link
		LD UCA Core: Inquiry/Analysis (SS) ³	3	core link
		LD UCA Core: Inquiry/Analysis, American History/Government ³	3	core link
		Foreign Language (2000-level) ⁴	3	acts link

Spring – Semester 2 (credit hours: 16)

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
WRTG ENGL	1320 1320	Academic Writing and Research or Interdisciplinary Writing and Research or Other approved alternative (LD UCA Core, Research/Writing) ³	3	ENGL1023 ENGL1023 core link

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
		LD UCA Core, Life Science ³	4	core link
		LD UCA Core: Diversity in Creative Works/Fine Art only ³	3	core link
COMM	1300	Principles of Communication [formerly SPCH 1300] ⁵ or Approved alternative (LD UCA Core, Oral Communication) ³	3	SPCH1003 core link
		Minor ¹	3	

Year 2

Fall – Semester 3 (credit hours: 16)

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
LING	2320	Introduction to Linguistics	3	
		LD UCA Core, Responsible Living ³	3	core link
		LD UCA Core, Physical Science ³	4	core link
MATH	1360 1390	Quantitative Literacy or College Algebra	3	MATH1113 MATH1103
		Minor ¹	3	

Spring – Semester 4 (credit hours: 15)

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
LING	2350	World Languages (required in major; LD UCA Core, Inquiry/Analysis [HUM]) ³	3	core link
		Minor ¹	3	
		Minor ¹	3	
		General Elective	3	
		General Elective	3	

Year 3

Fall – Semester 5 (credit hours: 15)⁶

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
LING	3325	Sociolinguistics (UD UCA Core: D)	3	
		LING General Track elective, upper-division	3	
		Minor ¹	3	
		Minor, upper-division ¹	3	
		General Elective	3	

Spring – Semester 6 (credit hours: 15)

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
LING	3315	Semantics	3	
		LING General Track elective, upper-division	3	
		LING General Track elective, upper-division	3	
		Minor, upper-division ¹	3	
		Minor ¹	3	

Year 4**Fall – Semester 7 (Credit hours: 15)**

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
LING	4350	Phonology	3	
ENGL LING	4360 4370	History and Structure of the English Language (UD UCA Core: C) or Field Methods in Linguistics (UD UCA Core: R, I)	3	
		LING General Track elective, upper-division	3	
		Minor, upper-division ¹	3	
		General elective	3	

Spring – Semester 8 (Credit hours: 13)

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
LING	4345	Analytical Methods of Morphology and Syntax	3	
LING	4110	Capstone in Linguistics (UD UCA Core: Z)	1	
		LING General Track elective, upper-division	3	
LING	4355	Special Topics in Linguistics	3	
		General Elective	3	

 SIGNED – DEPARTMENT CHAIR

 DATE

 SIGNED – COLLEGE DEAN

 DATE

To be completed by the advisor when an Eight-Semester plan is accepted by the student:

If applicable, has student selected a minor? Type “x” as appropriate. _____ No _____ Yes

If “yes,” specify: _____

Notes

¹ This Academic Map (AMAP) includes 27 credit hours in the Minor field of study. Minor requirements range from 15 to 27 credit hours. Depending on the minor selected the student will need to adjust the number of general elective and minor elective credit hours in this AMAP.

² See online information resources for UCA scholarships at <https://uca.edu/scholarships/> and for state scholarships at <https://scholarships.adhe.edu/scholarships-and-programs/a-z/>.

³ See appropriate choices, alternatives, or substitutions under “UCA Core” in the Undergraduate Bulletin. During the first year, a student must complete a UCA Core course designated as a First-Year Seminar (FYS) in Critical Inquiry, Diversity, or Responsible Living. An approved UCA Core lab science and an approved UCA Core math course should be taken in the first two years if possible. Students may complete the lower-division core classes in any semester that suits their academic needs except as specified in this document.

⁴ Students with no previous experience with a foreign language may need to enroll in up to six hours of lower-level instruction to prepare for this requirement. These courses are not included in this plan of study. Please note that such need will require adjustment of the number of general elective hours included in this plan.

⁵ COMM 1300 and SPCH 1300 are the same course. Take only one of them.

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⁶ Students are required to take upper division courses that address outcomes in each of the four areas of the UCA Core: Diversity (D), Critical Inquiry (I), Communication (C), and Responsible Living (R). These courses may count as major, minor, or elective requirements, and one course may satisfy up to two Core requirements, as long as the outcomes for both areas are assessed. The UCA Core capstone requirement will, in addition to any disciplinary goals and outcomes, address certain UCA Core goals and outcomes in Critical Inquiry, Communication, and Collaboration. See entries in this Academic Map for courses within the major that fulfill the UD UCA Core requirements. Consult the *Undergraduate Bulletin* and your academic advisor for other available UD UCA Core courses.