LINGUISTICS (LING)

LING 2000 - Foundations of Linguistics (3 Credits)

Provides students with the foundations of the scientific study of language. Examines core areas within theoretical linguisitics, sociolinguistics, historical linguistics, language acquisition, and writing systems, using a variety of languages. Term offered: spring, fall. Max hours: 3 Credits.

Grading Basis: Letter Grade

Additional Information: Denver Core Requirement, Behavioral Sciences. Typically Offered: Fall, Spring.

LING 3100 - Language in Society (3 Credits)

Introduces students to language use in the context of American society. Examines the interaction between language and age, gender, race, ethnicity, education, income, social class, language attitudes, policy and politics. Term offered: spring, fall. Max hours: 3 Credits. Grading Basis: Letter Grade

Additional Information: Denver Core Requirement, Cultural Diversity. Typically Offered: Fall, Spring.

LING 4690 - Methods of Teaching Modern Languages (3 Credits) Studies current methods, techniques, and best practices for communicative language teaching in modern languages. Focuses on practical components such as creation of classroom materials and peerteaching as well as linguistic theory (second language acquisition). Topics include the learning and teaching of the four skills (reading, writing, listening, speaking) and the three domains of language learning: vocabulary, grammar, and pronunciation. Note: requirement for language majors in the teacher certification program, School of Education, CU Denver. Note: This course is taught in English and does not fulfill the foreign language proficiency requirement for the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. Cross-listed with MLNG 4690, MLNG 5690, SPAN 4690, SPAN 5690, FREN 4690, FREN 5690, GRMN 4690, GRMN 5690, CHIN 4690, CHIN 5690. Max hours: 3 Credits. Grading Basis: Letter Grade Typically Offered: Fall.

LING 4691 - Methods of Teaching Modern Languages II (3 Credits) A continuation of Methods of Teaching Modern Languages. This second course has an emphasis on the practical component of creating effective activities for the modern language classroom within a communicative language teaching framework. Students will learn about relevant linguistic theory in second language acquisition and will focus on experiential learning, creating activities, completing individual teaching demonstrations and carrying out classroom observations. This course is taught in English and does not fulfill the foreign language proficiency requirement for the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. Prereq: MLNG 4690 or SPAN 4690 or FREN 4690 or GRMN 4690 or CHIN 4690. Cross-listed with MLNG 4691, MLNG 5691, SPAN 4691, SPAN 5691, FREN 4691, FREN 5691, GRMN 4691, GRMN 5691, CHIN 4691, CHIN 5691. Max hours: 3 Credits. Grading Basis: Letter Grade Prereq: MLNG 4690 or SPAN 4690 or FREN 4690 or GRMN 4690 or CHIN 4690 Typically Offered: Spring.