

**The Ohio State University
Colleges of the Arts and Sciences New Course Request**

Spanish and Portuguese

Academic Unit
Portuguese

Book 3 Listing (e.g., Portuguese)
450

Introduction to the Study of Literatures and Cultures

Number Title
INTRO TO LIT & CULT

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18-Character Title Abbreviation

Level Credit Hours

Summer Autumn X Winter Spring Year 2007

Proposed effective date, choose one quarter and put an "X" after it; and fill in the year. See the OAA curriculum manual for deadlines.

A. Course Offerings Bulletin Information

Follow the instructions in the OAA curriculum manual. If this is a course with decimal subdivisions, then use one New Course Request form for the generic information that will apply to all subdivisions; and use separate forms for each new decimal subdivision, including on each form the information that is unique to that subdivision. If the course offered is less than a quarter or a term, please complete the Flexibly Scheduled/Off Campus/Workshop Request form.

Description (*not to exceed 25 words*):

Strategies for reading, and extensive practice in analyzing, literary and cultural texts from the Portuguese-speaking world.

Quarter offered: SU AU^v WI SP Distribution of class time/contact hours: 2-2

Quarter and contact/class time hours information should be omitted from Book 3 publication (yes or no): YES

Prerequisite(s): Portuguese 401 or 402 or 403 or 502 or permission of instructor

Exclusion or limiting clause:

Cross-listed with: N/A

Grade Option (Please check): Letter S/U Progress What is course is last in the series? _____

Honors Statement: Yes No GEC: Yes No Admission Condition
Off-Campus: Yes No EM: Yes No Course: Yes No

Other General Course Information:

B. General Information

Subject Code 16.0904 Subsidy Level (V, G, T, B, M, D, or P) B

If you have questions, please email Jed Dickhaut at dickhaut.1@osu.edu.

1. Provide the rationale for proposing this course:

This course fills a gap in the curriculum of the Portuguese major and minor: It bridges advanced language courses and 500-level courses in literatures and cultures. Currently, students generally jump from 400-level courses that focus on linguistic skills to 500-level courses in literatures and cultures. Although some students—such as advanced Spanish majors—may come to the class with sufficient skills in critical analysis of texts, many students are inadequately prepared. The proposed course will ensure that all students at the 500-level in the Portuguese program share a fundamental knowledge of approaches to analyzing literary and cultural texts. As a result, 500-level courses will be more enriching and productive for all students, and, in general, the Portuguese program will better prepare both minors and majors.

2. Please list Majors/Minors affected by the creation of this new course. Attach revisions of all affected programs.

This course is (check one): Required on major(s)/minor(s) A choice on major(s)/minors(s)
 An elective within major(s)/minor(s) A general elective:

3. Indicate the nature of the program adjustments, new funding, and/or withdrawals that make possible the implementation of this new course.
This course will be a requirement for the Portuguese minor and major, and will be a prerequisite for 500-level literatures and cultures courses.
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4. Is the approval of this request contingent upon the approval of other course requests or curricular requests?
Yes No List: Approval of new course Portuguese 402, and changes to Portuguese 202 (to become Portuguese 403) and Portuguese 401.
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5. If this course is part of a sequence, list the number of the other course(s) in the sequence: N/A _____
6. Expected section size: 15 Proposed number of sections per year: 1
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7. Do you want prerequisites enforced electronically (see OAA manual for what can be enforced)? Yes No
8. This course has been discussed with and has the concurrence of the following academic units needing this course or with academic units having directly related interests (*List units and attach letters and/or forms*):
Not Applicable
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9. Attach a course syllabus that includes a topical outline of the course, student learning outcomes and/or course objectives, off-campus field experience, methods of evaluation, and other items as stated in the OAA curriculum manual and e-mail to ascurofc@osu.edu.

Approval Process The signatures on the lines in ALL CAPS (e.g. ACADEMIC UNIT) are required.

<p>1. Academic Unit Undergraduate Studies Committee Chair</p>	<p><i>Donald P. Larson</i></p>	<p><i>Donald P. Larson</i></p>	<p><i>12/14/06</i></p>
	Printed Name		Date
<p>2. Academic Unit Graduate Studies Committee Chair</p>	<p><i>Fernando Unzueta</i></p>	<p>F. UNZUETA</p>	<p><i>12/15/06</i></p>
	Printed Name		Date
<p>3. ACADEMIC UNIT CHAIR/DIRECTOR</p>	<p><i>Wm R Childs</i></p>	<p>Wm R Childs</p>	<p><i>1.22.07</i></p>
	Printed Name		Date
<p>4. After the Academic Unit Chair/Director signs the request, forward the form to the ASC Curriculum Office, 105 Brown Hall, 190 West 17th Ave. or fax it to 688-5678. Attach the syllabus and any supporting documentation in an e-mail to ascurofc@osu.edu. The ASC Curriculum Office will forward the request to the appropriate committee.</p>	<p><i>Edud Adelin</i></p>	<p>Edud Adelin</p>	<p><i>1/25/07</i></p>
	Printed Name		Date
<p>5. COLLEGE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE</p>	<p>Graduate School (if appropriate)</p>	<p>Printed Name</p>	<p>Date</p>
<p>6. ARTS AND SCIENCES EXECUTIVE DEAN</p>	<p>University Honors Center (if appropriate)</p>	<p>Printed Name</p>	<p>Date</p>
<p>7. Graduate School (if appropriate)</p>	<p>Office of International Education (if appropriate)</p>	<p>Printed Name</p>	<p>Date</p>
<p>8. University Honors Center (if appropriate)</p>	<p>ACADEMIC AFFAIRS</p>	<p>Printed Name</p>	<p>Date</p>
<p>9. Office of International Education (if appropriate)</p>	<p>ACADEMIC AFFAIRS</p>	<p>Printed Name</p>	<p>Date</p>
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