

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

Spanish and Portuguese

Academic Unit

Portuguese

650

Book 3 Listing (e.g., Portuguese)

Course Number

Summer      Autumn      Winter X      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 instructions in the OAA curriculum manual. Before you fill out the "Present Course" information, be sure to check the latest edition of the *Course Offerings Bulletin* and subsequent Circulating Forms. You may find that the changes you need have already been made or that additional changes are needed. If the course offered is less than quarter or term, please also complete the Flexibly Scheduled/Off Campus/Workshop Request form.

**COMPLETE ALL ITEMS THIS COLUMN**

**Present Course**

1. Book 3 Listing: Portuguese
2. Number: 650
3. Full Title: Topics in Literature of the Portuguese-Speaking World
4. 18-Char. Transcript Title:
5. Level and Credit Hours: U G 5
6. Description:  
(25 words or less)  
Intensive exploration of a specific topic or problem; topic varies, for example: modern Brazilian novel. Luso-African literature, Portuguese poetry since 1974.
7. Qtrs. Offered: Sp Qtr
8. Distribution of Contact Time: 2-2  
(e.g., 3 cl, 1 3-hr lab)
9. Prerequisite(s): 551 and 552, or 502 and grad standing, or permission of instructor.
10. Exclusion: N/A  
(Not open to...)
11. Repeatable to a maximum of \_\_\_\_ credits. N/A
12. Off-Campus Field Experience: N/A
13. Cross-listed with: N/A
14. Is this a GEC course? No
15. Grade option (circle): Ltr  S/U  P   
If P graded, what is the last course in the series?
16. Is an honors version of this course available? No.
17. Other general course information: Repeatable to a maximum of 15 cr. hrs. including cr hrs earned in 623.

**COMPLETE ONLY THOSE ITEMS THAT CHANGE**

**Changes Requested**

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Studies in Literatures and Cultures of the Portuguese-Speaking World
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_
7. ~~Sp Qtr~~ [delete this reference]
8. \_\_\_\_\_
9. 450 and one 500-level literature and/or culture course, or 502 and grad standing, or permission of instructor.
10. \_\_\_\_\_
11. \_\_\_\_\_
12. \_\_\_\_\_
13. \_\_\_\_\_
14. \_\_\_\_\_
15. \_\_\_\_\_
16. \_\_\_\_\_
17. ~~Including cr hrs earned in 623.~~ [delete this reference]

**B. General Information**

1. Do you want the prerequisites enforced electronically (see the OAA manual for what can be enforced)?  
Yes.

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2. Does this course currently satisfy any GEC requirement, if so indicate which category?  
No.

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3. What other units require this course? Have these changes been discussed with those units?  
Spanish and Portuguese is the only unit affected.

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4. Have these changes been discussed with academic units that might have a jurisdictional interest in the subject matter?  
Attach relevant letters.  
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5. Is the request contingent upon other requests, if so, list the requests?  
Yes. We are also requesting approval for a new course, Portuguese 450, which will be one of the prerequisites for this course.

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6. **Purpose of the proposed change.** (If the proposed change affects the content of the course, attach a revised syllabus and course objectives and e-mail to [ascurofc@osu.edu](mailto:ascurofc@osu.edu).)  
These changes do not affect the content of the course. We are updating the title in order to better market the class; the new title is referentially equivalent to the old title, as the examination of the kinds of literary trends (a subset of culture) on which this class focuses necessarily involves the study of other cultural expressions, such as the visual arts and music. We are also updating the prerequisites to take into account changes in the Portuguese curriculum. We are also eliminating references in the catalogue to when the course is offered, as this sometimes varies from year to year, and students have ample access electronically every year to when the course will be offered. We are eliminating the sentence "Including cr hrs earned in 623," as it no longer has any relevance.




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7. Please list Majors/Minors affected by the proposed change. 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:

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8. Describe any changes in library, equipment or other teaching aids needed as a result of the proposed change or if the proposed change involves budgetary adjustments, describe the method of funding:  
N/A

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

1.	 Academic Unit Undergraduate Studies Committee Chair	Donald R. Larson Printed Name	3/31/07 Date
2.	 Academic Unit Graduate Studies Committee Chair	Samuel Ansell Printed Name	4/3/07 Date
3.	 ACADEMIC UNIT CHAIR/DIRECTOR	Fernando Unzueta Printed Name	3/31/07 Date
4.	After the Academic Unit Chair/Director signs the request, forward the form to the ASC Curriculum Office, 105 Brown Hall, 190 West 17 <sup>th</sup> Ave. or fax it to 688-5678. Attach the syllabus and any supporting documentation in an e-mail to <a href="mailto:ascurofc@osu.edu">ascurofc@osu.edu</a> . The ASC Curriculum Office will forward the request to the appropriate committee.		
5.	COLLEGE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE	Printed Name	Date
6.	ARTS AND SCIENCES EXECUTIVE DEAN	Printed Name	Date
7.	Graduate School (if appropriate)	Printed Name	Date
8.	University Honors Center (if appropriate)	Printed Name	Date
9.	Office of International Affairs (study tours only)	Printed Name	Date
10.	ACADEMIC AFFAIRS	Printed Name	Date