SPANISH MAJOR (1ST MAJOR)

Name _________________________   ID#_______________________
Advisor _______________________   Date______________________

The first major in Spanish requires 30 credits or ten courses 20202 or above, including: (1) a core sequence consisting of ROSP 30310 (Introduction to Hispanic Literature and Cultures - previously titled “Textual Analysis”) and one course in each of three of the four distribution areas of Spanish and Spanish American literature; (2) five electives, at least two of which must be at the 40000 (senior) level and no more than two at the 20202 level and above, and (3) the Senior Research Seminar.

Equivalent literature and culture courses from international study programs or other universities may be substituted with departmental approval. A minimum of fifty percent of the credits toward the major must be taken in residence at Notre Dame. AP or SAT credit may not be applied toward the major.

Students are allowed to take one related course in English outside of the department of Romance Languages and Literatures (for example, Colonial Latin American History, taken in the History Department) or one course in Spanish outside of the discipline of literature and culture (for example, an anthropology course taken in Spanish in a study abroad program), with the approval of their advisor and the Undergraduate Coordinator, or the Director of Undergraduate Studies, that can count as an advanced elective toward the major.

Students may choose to complete a Senior Thesis (3.0) in the spring semester of their senior year. Interested and qualifying students must contact either the professor of the Senior Research Seminar, the Undergraduate Coordinator or the DUS by fall recess of their senior year. Further information is found on the department webpage:

WORKSHEET

Required Courses (two):
- Introduction to Hispanic Literature and Cultures - previously titled “Textual Analysis” (ROSP 30310 or equivalent)
- Senior Research Seminar (ROSP 53000)

Area Requirements (three): Students must take at least one course at the 30000-level or above in three of the four following areas:
- Early Peninsular Literature and Culture (ROSP 30710 or equivalent 30710-37715, 40200-40399)
- Modern Peninsular Literature and Culture (ROSP 30720 or equivalent 30720-37725, 40400-40499)
- Early Latin-American Literature and Culture (ROSP 30810 or equivalent 30810-37815, 40600-40699)
- Modern Latin-American Literature and Culture (ROSP 30820 or equivalent 30820-37825, 40700-40999)

Electives (5): Students must take five electives. No more than two can be at the 20202 or above level; at least two must be at the 40000-level; and no more than one advanced elective at the 30000/40000-level.
- 20202 or above ____________________________
- 30000/40000-level advanced elective ____________________________
- 40000-level electives ____________________________