

# Linguistics BS

2017-2018  
Academic Year



## School of Liberal Arts

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GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR STUDENTS MATRICULATING IN ACADEMIC YEAR: 2017-2018

DEGREE: **BACHELOR OF SCIENCE**

TOTAL CREDITS: 120

MAJOR: LINGUISTICS

MINIMUM CUMULATIVE GRADE POINT AVERAGE: 2.0

MINIMUM MAJOR GRADE POINT AVERAGE: 2.0

CORE CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS			MAJOR REQUIREMENTS	30 CREDITS
<b>Area</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>To Be Selected From</b>	<b>Students must take at least one course from the following areas:</b>	
First Year Writing	4	ENGL 1010 or Equivalent	<b>Phonology, Syntax, Language History, Language &amp; Thought</b>	
TIDES – 1 course in fall semester	1-1.5		<b>General Electives – 6 courses</b>	
Foreign Language – Competence at 2030-Level (1-4 courses depending on placement and language)	3-12	Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Greek, Hebrew, Italian, Japanese, Latin, Portuguese, Russian, or Spanish	<b>ANTHROPOLOGY/JAPANESE</b> (A)1030 2 0 2 0 3 4 4 1 3 5 2 0 3 5 3 5 3 7 8 0 6 4 1 5 3150 3290 3300 3310 3670 3680 3690 6400 6420 6700 6720 6800 6810 6820 (J)1010 2030 2040	
Cultural Knowledge – Humanities/ Fine Arts 1 Humanities 1 Fine Arts 1 Humanities or Fine Arts	9	Courses from departments designated Humanities and Fine Arts	<b>ENGLISH</b> 4020 4050 4070	
Cultural Knowledge – Social Science 3 courses from 2 different disciplines	9	Courses from departments designated Social Science	<b>FREN/GERM/HBRW/ASTJ/ASTC/VIETNAMESE/HATIAN CREOLE/ARBC</b> (F)3140 3100 4100 4110 4160 6110 6210 6910 (G)3650 3720 6070 (H)1010 1020	
Quantitative Reasoning 2 Math courses	8	MATH 1210 or equivalent and MATH 1230 or higher class in statistics	<b>LINGUISTICS</b> 3010 3 8 2 2 3 8 2 4 4 8 1 0 4 7 2 0 3 8 2 0 3 7 0 0 3430 3890 4110	
Scientific Inquiry – 1 Lab Science 1 Science or Math 1 Science or Math	10-12	Courses from departments designated Science and Math	<b>MATH/PHILOSOPHY</b> (M)3010 (P)1210 3040 3430 3800 6060 6180 6620	
Writing Intensive	4	Consult Department	<b>PSYCHOLOGY</b> 3070 3140 3510, 3520 3670 6570 6580	
Public Service – 1 <sup>st</sup> Tier 2 <sup>nd</sup> Tier		1000-3000-Level 3000-Level or above	<b>SOCIOLOGY/SPANISH/THEATRE</b> (S)3030 3040 6440 (SP)4260 4270 6010 6060 6080 6510 (T)3090	
Western Traditions	3	Refer to Undergraduate Core Curriculum Guide	<b>SWAHILI YORUBA, ZULU</b> – 1010 1020 YRBA 1010, 1020, 2030	
Outside Western Traditions Or Comparative Cultures Intl. Perspectives	3	Refer to Undergraduate Core Curriculum Guide	<b>Note:</b> language courses taken to satisfy Newcomb-Tulane Core Requirements may not be counted toward the major. <b>Note:</b> Six credits of Math are required at or above MATH 1210. Students who take Symbolic Logic for Newcomb-Tulane math requirement will receive the BA. <b>NDA</b>	

***A minor is not available for LINGUISTICS.***

- *The Degree Plan and other information provided in this booklet serve only as advising tools. Newcomb-Tulane College advisors will help advise you on the core-curriculum, decide on a major, and consult on any academic success issues.*
- *Your major advisors will advise you on major requirements.*
- *Students with multiple majors will have more than one advisor and will need to consult with the appropriate advisor.*
- *Be in the Know about your major! By declaring early, you have access to a major advisor, are able to enroll in "majors only" classes, and are on list serves that enable you to receive information about events, internships, and opportunities.*
- *Pre-med and Pre-law students should also consult with the health professions advisors or the pre-law advisors.*

# What Can I Do with a Major in... Linguistics BS

## GENERAL INFORMATION

- Gain relevant experience through part-time and summer jobs, volunteer work or internships.
- Get involved in student, professional or cultural associations.
- Build and utilize a personal network of contacts. Once in a position, find an experienced mentor.
- Participate in an exchange program or study abroad program.
- Increase your familiarity with languages by watching foreign language movies, listening to foreign language broadcasts or reading foreign language newspapers, magazines and books.
- Volunteer teaching ESL at a community or school organization.

## SKILLS

- Research writing
- Critical analysis
- Critical synthesis
- Oral and written communication
- Capacity to respond to people of different backgrounds
- Teamwork and interpersonal communication
- Information management and information literacy
- Time management
- Flexibility
- Problem solving
- Organizing ideas and handling complex material

### CAREER AREAS

#### COMMUNICATION

- Information Science/Archivist
- Foreign News Journalist
- Language Researcher
- Linguist
- Speech Pathologist
- Interpreter
- Textbook Author/Editor
- Translator
- Copy Editor

#### BUSINESS

- Personnel Manager
- Account Manager
- Analyst
- Employment Interviewer
- Import/Export Manager
- Community Relations Rep
- Cultural Specialist
- Hotel Manager

#### GOVERNMENT

- Foreign Correspondent
- Diplomat
- CIA/FBI Special Agent
- Foreign Services Worker
- Intelligence Specialist
- Civil Service Worker
- Customs Official
- Immigration Specialist
- Peace Corps Volunteer

#### EDUCATION

- Overseas teacher for foreign corporations/diplomats
- Language teacher
- Bilingual instructor (ESL)

### EMPLOYERS

- Advertising agencies
- Public relations firms
- Public service organizations
- News bureaus
- Film and entertainment

- Airports
- Hotel chains
- Fashion industry
- Import / Export companies
- Banks
- Investment firms
- Automobile industry

- Chambers of commerce
- Federal / government agencies

- Colleges and universities
- Primary and secondary public and private schools
- International schools
- Private learning centers

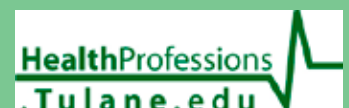
*If you think you might be interested in this major, but you are not absolutely sure, an exploratory advisor can help you explore major and career options, please go to:*



*If you are interested in information about Law Professions, please go to:*



*If you are interested in information about Health Professions, please go to:*



# What Can I Do with a Major in...

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### TECHNOLOGY

- Technical Liaison to US firms in foreign countries
- International Engineering
- Scientific Researcher/Translator

- Private corporations

### TRAVEL

- Foreign Travel Advisor
- Travel Agent

- Air, bus and rail lines
- Travel agencies
- Visitors bureaus
- Travel departments of large corporations

### OTHER

- Archaeologist
- Anthropologist
- Lawyer
- Museum Curator
- Historian

- Aid agencies
- Nonprofit organizations
- Museums

### PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Speech-Language-Hearing Association  
[www.asha.org](http://www.asha.org)

Modern Language Association  
[www.mla.org](http://www.mla.org)

Linguistic Society of America  
[www.lsadc.org](http://www.lsadc.org)

International Society for Language Studies  
[www.isls.co](http://www.isls.co)

Linguistic Association of the Southwest  
<http://clas.ucdenver.edu/lasso/>

American Translators Association  
[www.atanet.org](http://www.atanet.org)

### RELATED WEBSITES & ASSOCIATIONS

Linguistics Program, Tulane University  
[www.tulane.edu/~ling/](http://www.tulane.edu/~ling/)

Institute of Linguists  
[www.iol.org.uk](http://www.iol.org.uk)

ESL Jobs  
[www.esljobs.com](http://www.esljobs.com)

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and provide several services to assist.*