

School	School of Education
Major	Translation and Interpretation

Major Requirements			
Code	Title	Credits	Description
TRNS445	Literary Translation	3	Trains students in translating literary texts from English into Arabic and vice versa. Prerequisite: (TRNS 355).
TRNS485	Translation of Various Domains FR-AR/ AR-FR	3	Now that students are well acquainted with the French languages, they will get exposed to more specified texts (targeting most domains of translation) and will work on the translation from and into French.
TRNS415	Translation of Legal & Official Documents	3	Develops higher level of understanding and translating legal texts from Arabic and French into English. Prerequisite: (TRNS 355).
TRNS385	Translation of UN Documents	3	Translation of UN Documents
TRNS355	Scientific and Technical Translation	3	Trains students in translating scientific & technical texts from various fields from English & French into Arabic (legal, economic, medical, etc) and enriches the students knowledge of scientific terminologies and concepts. Prerequisite: (TRNS 305).
TRNS380	On-Sight Interpretation	3	On-Sight Interpretation
TRNS305	Introduction to Translation AR-EN	3	Introduction to Translation AR-EN
TRNS300	Introduction to Translation EN-AR	3	Introduction to Translation EN-AR
TRNS431	Simultaneous Interpretation	3	Simultaneous Interpretation
TRNS420	Consecutive Interpretation	3	Consecutive Interpretation
TRNS410	Medical Translation	3	Techniques for translating medical texts in three linguistic combinations: B-A/A-B/C-A: Students are trained in the protocols of translating medical texts of the type that is usually communicated to the general reader through mass media (new inventions, modern research, diseases, etc). This course acquaints students with basic medical terminology and various kinds of texts that they might deal with on the translation market (prescriptions, pharmaceutical reports, awareness-raising brochures, hospitalization reports, etc).
TRNS350	Media Translation	3	Media Translation

TRNS400	Economic Translation	3	Techniques for translating economic texts in three linguistic combinations: B-A/A-B/C-A: This course acquaints students with basic economic principles and terminology. It covers a variety of topics including: stock markets, Islamic finance, financial instruments, GDP and GNP, financial crises, VAT, corporate governance, loans, SMEs, bank reports, etc.
TRNS375	General Translation III: Introduction to Translation FR-AR	3	Basic techniques for translating non-specialized texts from French into Arabic: This course focuses on the different approaches used for understanding the source text and formulating the target text while paying special attention to mistakes commonly made by translators.
TRNS470	Translation Senior Project	3	A series of translation tests in three linguistic combinations (B-A/A-B/C-A) to determine whether a senior student is eligible to graduate or not: In this course students are tested in all technical domains and in all combinations to assess their readiness for the job market.
TRNS480	Introduction to Translation Studies	3	Major theories and approaches in translation: this course introduces students to the theoretical aspect of their major, giving them a taste of some groundbreaking theoretical researches in the domains of applied Linguistics and Translation Studies or Translatology.

Core Requirements			
Code	Title	Credits	Description
FREN415	Upper French: B1-3 + DELF B1	3	45 hours of revision for DELF B1: Les apprenants devenus prêts pour passer les épreuves du DELF B1, ils seront sujets à l'examen DELF B1, dont la note sera retenue pour le prochain cours du FREN485.
LANG223	Introduction To Spanish	3	-
ARAB255	Technical Writing: Arabic	3	Technical Writing: Arabic
ARAB265	Editing & Proofreading: Arabic	3	Editing & Proofreading: Arabic
ENGL305	Technical Writing: English	3	Technical Writing: English
ENGL415	Editing & Proofreading: English	3	Editing & Proofreading: English
ENGL360	Introduction to Linguistics	3	This course is a general introduction to the scientific study of language, particularly its theoretical debates, methodology, and relationship to other disciplines. With this aim in mind, we will examine the analytic methods and major findings of various subfields of linguistics, including phonetics, phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics, and language change. Additional topics may include pragmatics, the acquisition of language, language varieties, and sign language. By the end of the course, you should be acquainted with systematic methods of studying language, be aware of the fundamental similarities and diversity of human languages, and have an informed perspective on how issues of language have an impact on our society
FREN301	Intermediate French: A2-2	3	45 hours of French DELF A2. Les étudiants apprennent à mieux développer les compétences acquises en FREN151 pour devenir des locuteurs indépendants, autonomes, capables à interagir dans un milieu francophone.
FREN315	Intermediate French: A2-3	3	45 hours of French introduction to DELF B1. Les apprenants cloturent le dernier niveau du A2 et s'appêtent à passer au B1. Les activités proposées offrent aux étudiants de nombreuses opportunités d'interagir d'une manière authentique avec leur milieu et de devenir des locuteurs autonomes.
FREN365	Upper French: B1-1	3	45 hours of French DELF B1. L'apprentissage du B1.1 s'approfondit, que ce soit au niveau de la syntaxe, grammaire ou vocabulaire.
FREN485	Upper French: B2-FLE	3	45 hours of DELFB2: Les apprenants ayant acquis un niveau B1, ce cours vise l'acquisition des compétences orales et écrites afin de se préparer ultérieurement aux épreuves de D.E.LF.B2.

SPAN300	Spanish level 3	3	Consists of different acquisitions, organized as per the following: reading comprehension, written expression and interaction.
SPAN250	Spanish level 2	3	Helps students to access the Spanish-speaking world, improves their academic training, and gives confidence to move forward to other levels.
FREN375	Upper French: B1-2	3	45 hours of French DELF B1. A ce niveau, l'apprenant devient indépendant. Il est maintenant capable de poursuivre une interaction: il peut comprendre et poursuivre une discussion, donner son avis et son opinion. Il est capable de se débrouiller dans des situations imprévues de la vie quotidienne.

General Education Requirements			
Code	Title	Credits	Description
ENGL251	Communication Skills	3	The objectives of this course are to improve students' writing skills for academic purposes by developing effective use of grammatical structures; analytical and critical reading skills; a sensitivity to rhetorical situation, style, and level of diction in academic reading and writing; and competence in using various methods of organization used in formal writing.
ENGL201	Composition and Research Skills	3	This course focuses on the development of writing skills appropriate to specific academic and professional purposes; the analysis and practice of various methods of organization and rhetorical patterns used in formal expository and persuasive writing; the refinement of critical reading strategies and library research techniques; and the completion of an academically acceptable library research paper. Prerequisites: ENGL150, ENGL151.
CULT200	Introduction to Arab - Islamic Civilization	3	The purpose of this course is to acquaint students with the history and achievements of the Islamic civilization. Themes will include patterns of the political and spiritual leadership; cultural, artistic, and intellectual accomplishments Prerequisites: ENGL051, ENGL101, ENGL151.
CSCI200	Introduction to Computers	3	The course aims at making students competent in computer-related skills. It is supposed to develop basic computer knowledge by providing an overview of the computer hardware and basic components as well as hands-on practice on common software applications such as Word, Excel, Power Point, Internet and Email. The student will learn how to use the new features of Microsoft Office 2010 mainly Word documents, Excel spreadsheets and PowerPoint presentations. On the surface, MS Office 2010 looks a lot different than previous versions (no more menus or toolbars!), but by learning to understand the dramatically changed, Ribbon-based interface, you'll quickly get back on the road to productivity.
ARAB200	Arabic Language and Literature	3	This course is a comprehensive review of Arabic Grammar, Syntax, major literature and poetry styles, formal and business letters.