

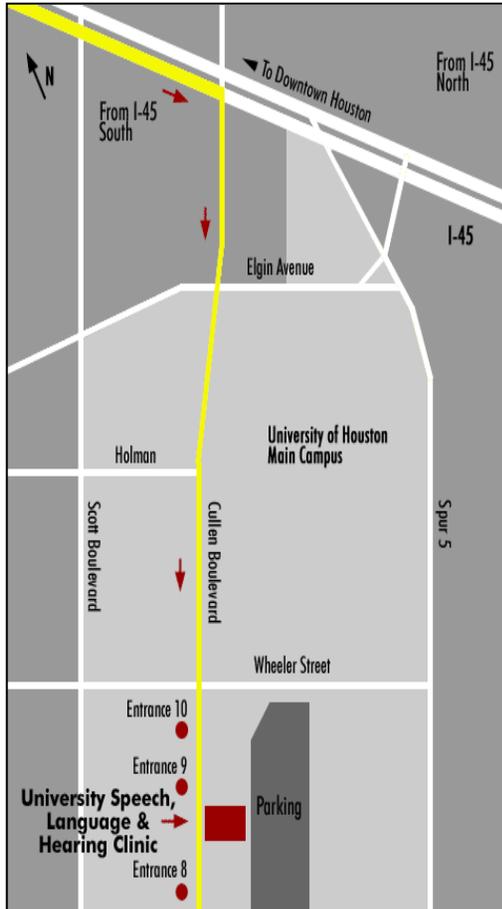


University of Houston
American Sign Language Interpreter Program
Department of Communication Science & Disorders
100 Clinic Research Services
Houston, Tx 77204-6018

Location

University Speech, Language and Hearing Clinic: A United Way Facility on the University of Houston Main Campus

*Physical Address:
4505 Cullen Blvd.*



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American Sign Language Interpreting Program

Program Information

What: New Bachelor of Arts Degree in American Sign Language Interpreting (ASLI): The first four-year degree in ASLI in Texas.

Where: The University of Houston Main Campus

When: The new ASLI program began in Fall, 2009, and is accepting applications now.

Why: The goals of the program for graduates must be to graduate with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in ASLI and to qualify for the Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf (RID) and/or the Board of Evaluation of Interpreters (TX) certification. Graduates will be able to work in a vast array of settings such as: schools, courtrooms, hospitals, and video relay stations.

More details:

- ◆ Courses are taught by both hearing and Deaf instructors.
- ◆ Students interact with professional interpreters and the Deaf community.
- ◆ Students will gain experiences in a variety of educational and community settings

How: Apply to ASLI Program:

1. Apply to UH for acceptance.
2. Meet with academic advisor to schedule degree plan.
3. Complete American Sign Language III with a grade of B- or better.
4. Apply to ASLI Program.
 - ◆ Complete a general petition to declare ASLI major.
 - ◆ Submit unofficial transcripts of all ASLI transfer courses.
 - ◆ Write a two-three page writing sample.
 - ◆ Three-five minute recording.
 - ◆ Three letters of recommendation.
 - ◆ Personal interview with a faculty member.

The application can be found at www.comd.uh.edu

Transfer credits will be evaluated on a case by case basis.

Freshman application deadlines:

Fall: April 1

Spring: December 1

Transfer application deadlines:

Fall: May 1 (priority), June 1

Spring: December 1

The Bachelor of Arts in American Sign Language Interpreting Degree Plan includes:

- ◆ American Sign Language I-IV
- ◆ Deaf Culture
- ◆ Fingerspelling
- ◆ Visual and Gestural Communication
- ◆ Education of the Deaf
- ◆ Introduction to Interpreting
- ◆ Interpreting I-III
- ◆ Transliteration and Educational Interpreting
- ◆ Court, Medical and Trilingual Interpreting
- ◆ Linguistics of ASL Internship

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