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To: Dr. Sarah Fishman, Associate Dean for Undergraduate Studies, CLASS

From: Manuel J. Gutiérrez, Professor of Spanish Linguistics, DHS

Subject: Course requirement for Spanish Majors

Date: 10/24/11

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We would like to inform you that we have decided to discontinue SPAN 3305 as a requirement for the major in Spanish. We have submitted a CBM Form proposing a new course, SPAN 3306: Introduction to the Study of Spanish Language; we will use this new course as a requirement for the major in Spanish.

If we need to complete any other form or if you need any other information, please let me know.

Thanks for your attention to this matter.

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Dr. Sarah Fishman

Date

Please delete SPAN 3305: Spanish Grammar Review (Current Catalogue, highlighted below) as one of the prerequisites for the Spanish major and replace it with SPAN 3306: Introduction to the Study of the Spanish Language (Revised Catalogue, highlighted below).

Current Catalogue

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Director: Dr. Manuel J. Gutiérrez

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- 1. SPAN 3301 (or 3307 for students on the heritage track)
- 2. SPAN 3302 (or 3308 for students on the heritage track)
- 3. SPAN 3305: Spanish Grammar Review
- 4. SPAN 3384: Introduction to Hispanic Literature
- Fifteen hours from one or more of the following areas, including six hours at the 4000 level: Literature, Linguistics, Culture, Applied Spanish (business, education, translation, etc.)
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