Introduction to ESL & Bilingual Education

Minor (24 credits)

Required Courses     (3-Credits Each)

310/510:      Survey of Education Linguistics
320/520:      Second Language Acquisition
330/530:      Pedagogical Grammar for English Learners
350/550:      Intro to ESL & Bilingual Education
354/554:      Critical Perspectives on ESL Leaners in Schools
403/603:      Methods & Curriculum
405/605:      Assessment in the ESL/Bilingual Classroom

Required Course    (1-12 Credits)

492/692:      Field Study

Unique Requirement:   Core License

1. Those pursuing the ESL license must take language study at the 251 level or above, or the equivalent in language experience to be determined in consultation with the program coordinator.
2. Licensure candidates must also pass ETS Praxis II Exam 036, English to Speakers of other Languages.
3. Licensure candidates must attend a professional development conference related to the teaching of emergent bilinguals.

ESL/BE License: In addition to completing the core course work for the ESL license, BE licensure candidates must complete the following:

1. Those pursuing the license must take (one) of the following courses, which can be completed within General Education or Diversity course requirements for graduation:
   
   RACEETH 380/580 OR CHICANO 310/510 OR CHICANO 320/520

2. Those pursuing the license must take CIGENRL 455/655 OR ESL 455/655.

3. Those pursuing the license must demonstrate linguistic competence at the low advanced level on the American Council of Teachers of Foreign Languages (ACTFL) Oral Proficiency interview scale and demonstrate cultural competence. Please see BE program coordinator for additional information.