Portuguese (PORTUG) Courses

PORTUG 24 Freshman Seminar 1 Unit
Offered through: Spanish and Portuguese
Terms offered: Spring 2019, Spring 2018, Fall 2017
The Freshman Seminar Program has been designed to provide new students with the opportunity to explore an intellectual topic with a faculty member in a small-seminar setting. Freshman Seminars are offered in all campus departments, and topics vary from department to department and semester to semester.
Freshman Seminar: Read More [+]

Rules & Requirements
Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format
Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 1 hour of seminar per week

Additional Details
Subject/Course Level: Portuguese/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: The grading option will be decided by the instructor when the class is offered. Final exam required.

Freshman Seminar: Read Less [-]

PORTUG 27 Introduction to Portugal, Brazil, and other Portuguese-Speaking Cultures (in English) 3 Units
Offered through: Spanish and Portuguese
Terms offered: Spring 2019, Fall 2018, Spring 2018
This course offers an overview of contemporary Portuguese-Speaking Cultures and Literatures. The time frame covered is from the sixties--years of rupture and experimentalism in artistic and cultural production—to the present. Students will study the concrete poetry of the Portuguese author Ana Hatherly, the visual (“Concrete”) poems of the Brazilian author Haroldo de Campos, and the drawings of the Swiss-Brazilian artist Maria Schendel. The course content will include the multi-layered music of the Angolan duet Ouro Negro and the political essays of Cape Verdean academic Amilcar Cabral. Themes such as colonization, decolonization, freedom, will be among the larger, decidedly compelling group of subjects on which the course will touch.
Introduction to Portugal, Brazil, and other Portuguese-Speaking Cultures (in English): Read More [+]

Rules & Requirements
Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format
Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details
Subject/Course Level: Portuguese/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: The grading option will be decided by the instructor when the class is offered. Final exam required.

Introduction to Portugal, Brazil, and other Portuguese-Speaking Cultures (in English): Read Less [-]

PORTUG 50 Intensive Portuguese for Spanish Speakers 4 Units
Offered through: Spanish and Portuguese
Terms offered: Spring 2019, Fall 2018, Spring 2018
An intensive course for students who have no previous study of Portuguese designed to introduce the basics of the language. This offering prepares the student for upper division course work in Portuguese.

Rules & Requirements
Prerequisites: Credit of 16-20 units or equivalent of Spanish language, or consent of instructor

Hours & Format
Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 4 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details
Subject/Course Level: Portuguese/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

Formerly known as: Portuguese 101

Intensive Portuguese for Spanish Speakers: Read Less [-]

PORTUG 102 Readings in Portuguese 4 Units
Offered through: Spanish and Portuguese
Terms offered: Spring 2019, Fall 2018, Spring 2018
The continuation of Portuguese 101A-101B, this course focuses on a variety of texts with special emphasis on 20th-century Brazil. Discussion in Portuguese; reinforcement and development of language skills.

Rules & Requirements
Prerequisites: Portuguese 101, 101A-101B, 12, or equivalent

Hours & Format
Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details
Subject/Course Level: Portuguese/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

Readings in Portuguese: Read Less [-]
PORTUG 103 Advanced Grammar and Composition 4 Units  
Offered through: Spanish and Portuguese  
Terms offered: Spring 2019, Fall 2018, Spring 2018  
Advanced work in Portuguese grammatical structures. Practice in writing.  
Advanced Grammar and Composition: Read More [+]
Rules & Requirements
Prerequisites: Portuguese 102 or consent of instructor

Hours & Format
Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details
Subject/Course Level: Portuguese/Undergraduate
Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam required.

PORTUG 104 Introduction to Brazilian Literature 4 Units  
Offered through: Spanish and Portuguese  
Terms offered: Spring 2019, Spring 2018, Spring 2017  
A survey of Brazilian literature from the beginnings through the 20th century, with attention to the relationships between literature and society.
Introduction to Brazilian Literature: Read More [+]

Hours & Format
Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details
Subject/Course Level: Portuguese/Undergraduate
Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Alternative to final exam.

PORTUG 113 Brazilian Civilization 4 Units  
Offered through: Spanish and Portuguese  
Terms offered: Spring 2019, Spring 2018, Spring 2017  
The course presents an overview of major themes in Brazilian cultural expression with emphasis on the 19th and 20th centuries.
Brazilian Civilization: Read More [+]

Hours & Format
Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details
Subject/Course Level: Portuguese/Undergraduate
Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Alternative to final exam.

PORTUG 128 Twentieth-Century Brazilian Literature 4 Units  
Offered through: Spanish and Portuguese  
Terms offered: Fall 2018, Fall 2017, Fall 2016  
An examination of the most important 20th-century writers from the 1920s through the present. Emphasis on the shifting definition of "brasileiridade" and on new directions in contemporary poetry and fiction.
Twentieth-Century Brazilian Literature: Read More [+]
Rules & Requirements
Prerequisites: Portuguese 103 is recommended, but not required

Hours & Format
Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details
Subject/Course Level: Portuguese/Undergraduate
Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Alternative to final exam.

PORTUG 135 Studies in Luso-Brazilian Literature 4 Units  
Offered through: Spanish and Portuguese  
Terms offered: Spring 2019, Fall 2018, Spring 2018  
Study of literature and cultural texts representative of classical literary genres: narrative prose, plays and poetry.
Studies in Luso-Brazilian Literature: Read More [+]
Rules & Requirements
Prerequisites: Portuguese 102 or permission of instructor
Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.

Hours & Format
Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details
Subject/Course Level: Portuguese/Undergraduate
Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Alternative to final exam.
PORTUG H195 Portuguese Honors Course 3 Units
Offered through: Spanish and Portuguese
Terms offered: Spring 2016, Fall 2015, Spring 2015
Directed study centering on the preparation/completion of an honors thesis (see Honors Program, Option B, above).
Portuguese Honors Course: Read More [+]
Rules & Requirements
Prerequisites: Twenty units or equivalent of Portuguese or another Romance language
Hours & Format
Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 0 hours of independent study per week
Additional Details
Subject/Course Level: Portuguese/Undergraduate
Grading/Final exam status: Letter grade. Final exam not required.
Portuguese Honors Course: Read Less [-]

PORTUG 199 Supervised Independent Study and Research 1 - 3 Units
Offered through: Spanish and Portuguese
Terms offered: Fall 2016, Spring 2016, Spring 2015
Supervised Independent Study and Research: Read More [+]
Rules & Requirements
Prerequisites: Senior honor status and 20 units or equivalent of Portuguese or another Romance language
Credit Restrictions: Enrollment is restricted; see the Introduction to Courses and Curricula section of this catalog.
Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit without restriction.
Hours & Format
Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 1-3 hours of independent study per week
Additional Details
Subject/Course Level: Portuguese/Undergraduate
Grading/Final exam status: Offered for pass/not pass grade only. Final exam not required.
Supervised Independent Study and Research: Read Less [-]

PORTUG 275 Critical and Stylistic Studies of a Single Author or Period 4 Units
Offered through: Spanish and Portuguese
Terms offered: Spring 2019, Spring 2018, Fall 2017
Critical and Stylistic Studies of a Single Author or Period: Read More [+]
Rules & Requirements
Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit when topic changes.
Hours & Format
Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of seminar per week
Additional Details
Subject/Course Level: Portuguese/Graduate
Grading:
Critical and Stylistic Studies of a Single Author or Period: Read Less [-]

PORTUG 298 Special Study for Graduate Students 3 - 8 Units
Offered through: Spanish and Portuguese
Terms offered: Spring 2019, Fall 2018, Spring 2018
Individual conferences on special programs of study or research in a restricted field not covered by available courses or seminars.
Special Study for Graduate Students: Read More [+]
Rules & Requirements
Prerequisites: Graduate standing
Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit without restriction.
Hours & Format
Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 0 hours of independent study per week
Summer: 8 weeks - 5.5-10 hours of independent study per week
Additional Details
Subject/Course Level: Portuguese/Graduate
Grading: Letter grade.
Special Study for Graduate Students: Read Less [-]
PORTUG 299 Special Advanced Study 3 - 8 Units
Offered through: Spanish and Portuguese
Terms offered: Spring 2019, Fall 2018, Spring 2018
Special Advanced Study: Read More [+]

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: Restricted to students writing doctoral dissertations
Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit without restriction.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 0 hours of independent study per week
Summer: 8 weeks - 5.5-10 hours of independent study per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: Portuguese/Graduate

Grading: The grading option will be decided by the instructor when the class is offered.

PORTUG 375 Teaching Portuguese at Berkeley 3 Units
Offered through: Spanish and Portuguese
Terms offered: Fall 2015
This course provides participants with an understanding of the teaching methods used in Portuguese 101A at UCB, a forum for discussing teaching-related questions and problems, practical experience in creating and adapting materials for instruction, and experience in analyzing one's own and other's teaching. It is a hands on practicum that links the theory of the Portuguese language program to its in-class practice. At the end of the course, students will be prepared with strategies for effective teaching and classroom management. Students will be able to create communicative and task based activities. They will be able to develop effective exams and assessments, and be familiar with the use of classroom technology for language teaching.

Teaching Portuguese at Berkeley: Read More [+]

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 3 hours of lecture per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: Portuguese/Professional course for teachers or prospective teachers

Grading: Offered for satisfactory/unsatisfactory grade only.

Instructor: Donovan

Teaching Portuguese at Berkeley: Read Less [-]