



Portuguese

BA

Portuguese Major

(33 credits)

(2.5 GPA required in major classes)

Minimum Departmental Requirements

Portuguese Major	33
Portuguese Minor	12

Grade Point Average to Declare a Major or Minor 2.5 Career GPA

Grade Point Average to Graduate with Major or Minor 2.5 GPA within Major/Minor Classes

A Minimum of 50 Percent of Major or Minor Credits Must Be Earned at USU. 50 Percent

Credits obtained in lower-division Portuguese courses cannot be applied toward the Portuguese Major or Minor.
Courses for Portuguese Majors and Minors require a minimum of C- or better.
Courses for Portuguese Majors and Minors *may not be taken on a Pass/Fail Basis.*

Notes

¹ Students with foreign experience may be advised to enroll in PORT 3040 or PORT 3000 with the help of the LPCS department in Main 204.

² Only two credits of PORT 4920 may count toward the Portuguese Major and one credit towards the Portuguese Minor.

³ This course may be repeated one time for credit with different content.

⁴ Students desiring to apply study abroad credits toward these degrees must obtain approval from the LPSC office prior to participating.

⁵ This course may be repeated for additional credit.

A. Required Course (6 credits)

- PORT 3040 – Adv Portuguese Grammar & Composition (CI) 3¹
- LING 4100 – Study of Language 3 OR
- PORT 3000 – Intern. Portuguese Grammar & Composition 3¹

B. Elective Courses (27 credits minimum)

Students must complete at least 27 credits of upper-division coursework selected from the following list.

- PORT 3400 – Music in the Portuguese-Speaking World 3
 - PORT 3510 – Business Portuguese 3
 - PORT 3540 – Intro to Translation Studies in Portuguese 3
 - PORT 3570 – Brazilian Culture & Civilization (DHA) 3
 - PORT 3630 – Survey of Brazilian Literature (DHA) 3
 - PORT 3700 – Film Studies in Portuguese 3
 - PORT 4000 – Contemporary Brazil 3
 - PORT 4100 – Trends in Lusophone Cultures 3
 - PORT 4200 – The Role of Brazilian Media in a Global Society 3
 - PORT 3800 – Study Abroad 1-4⁴
 - PORT 4880 – Independent Readings 1-4⁵
 - PORT 4920 – Portuguese Language Tutoring 1²
 - LING 2100 – Languages in Society (BSS) 3
 - LING 3100 – Language in Context 3
 - LING 4900 - Analysis of Cross-Cultural Difference 3
- OR CMST 3330 - Intercultural Communication (DSS) 3**

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Bachelor of Arts Degree Language Requirement

A Bachelor of Arts (BA) degree signifies proficiency in one or more foreign languages. Specifically, the BA requirement may be completed in one of the following ways:

Demonstration of proficiency in *one* foreign language by successful completion of one course at the 2020-level or higher (or its equivalent).

Or

Demonstration of proficiency in American Sign Language by successful completion of COMD 4920 and COMD 4780, and by passing an ASL Proficiency exam and an interview.

Or

Demonstration of proficiency in *two* foreign languages by successful completion of the 1020 course level in one language **and** the 2010 course level in the second language (or its equivalent).

Or

Completion of an upper-division (3000-level or higher) foreign language grammar or literature course requiring the 2020 course level (or its equivalent) as a prerequisite. Conversation courses *cannot* be considered for satisfying this requirement.

For nonnative English-speaking students *only*, the following options are available:

Successful completion of the Intensive English Language Institute (IELI) program for international students.

Or TOEFL, Michigan, or IELI placement scores high enough to meet the University admission criteria.

Minimum University Requirements

Total Credits	120
Grade Point Average (most majors require higher GPA)	2.00 GPA
Credits of C- or better	100
Credits of upper-division courses (#3000 or above)	40
USU Credits (10 of last 40 must be USU credits)	30
Completion of approved major program of study	See college advisor
Credits in minor (if required)	12
Credits in American Institutions (ECN 1500 ;HIST 1700 , HIST 2700 or HIST 2710 ; HONR 1300 ; POLS 1100 ; or USU 1300	3
General Education Requirements and University Studies Depth Requirements	

College of Humanities and Social Sciences

Department of Languages, Philosophy and Communication Studies

University Requirement Information as a Portuguese major:

Students must complete the General Education Requirements .

Students must also complete the University Studies Depth Requirements:

PORT 3040 will fulfill a Communications Intensive (CI) requirement.

Complete at least 2 credits in approved 3000-level or above courses from each of the following two categories: Life and Physical Sciences (DSC) and Social Sciences (DSS)

UNIVERSITY GENERAL REQUIREMENTS AND MAJOR/MINOR REQUIREMENTS

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