

The Ohio State University
College of Arts and Sciences

Portuguese Minor

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Did you know that Brazil is one of Ohio's top international trading partners? Portuguese is not only spoken in Brazil and Portugal, but also Mozambique, Angola, Cape Verde, East Timor, Guinea Bissau, and São Tomé and Príncipe. Knowledge of Portuguese can complement courses of study in a number of disciplines, such as Spanish, Political Science, International Studies, International Business, African American and African Studies, Latin American Studies, and Comparative Studies. Ohio State's innovative major and minor program in this vital language will set you apart now and in the future.

The Portuguese minor consists of a minimum of 12 credit hours. The language of instruction in all Portuguese classes leading to the minor will be in Portuguese. Students choosing to minor in Portuguese are encouraged to take advantage of study abroad opportunities offered in cooperation with The Office of International Affairs (OIA).

Prerequisite courses

Portuguese 1101, 1102, 1103 12 cr hrs
or
Portuguese for Spanish Speakers 5501, 5502 6 cr hrs

Required courses (6 credit hours)

Portuguese 3401 or 3402 or 3403
Portuguese 3450

Choose one course from each of the following categories:

Advanced Language and Linguistics (3 hours)

Portuguese 3401, 3402, 3403, 4510, 4595, 4999(H), 5611

Literatures and Cultures (3 hours)

Portuguese 4550, 4560, 4561, 4595, 4999(H), 5510, 5520, 5530, 5650

With approval of the Department, the following courses may also count toward Minor requirements:

Portuguese 3570, 4193, 4194, 5797

Portuguese minor program guidelines

The following guidelines govern this minor:

Required for graduation No

Credit hours required A minimum of 12 credit hours. 1000-level courses shall not count in the minor.

Transfer and EM credit hours allowed

A student is permitted to count up to 6 total hours of transfer credit and/or credit by examination toward the minor.

Overlap with the GE A student is permitted to overlap up to 6 credit hours between the GE and the minor.

Overlap with the major and additional minor(s)

- The minor must be in a different subject than the major.
- The minor must contain a minimum of 12 hours distinct from the major and/or additional minor(s).

Grades required

- Minimum C- for a course to be counted on the minor.
- Minimum 2.00 cumulative point-hour ratio required for the minor.
- Course work graded Pass/Non-Pass cannot count on the minor.
- No more than 3 credit hours of course work graded Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory may count toward the minor.

X193 credits No more than 3 credit hours.

Minor approval The minor course work must be approved by the academic unit offering the minor.

Filing the minor program form The minor program form must be filed at the time the graduation application is submitted to a college/school counselor if the student's degree audit report is not showing complete (green).

Changing the minor Once the minor program is filed in the college office, any changes must be approved by the Spanish Minor Advisor.

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