GERMAN COURSES (GRMN)

GRMN 101-102 ELEMENTARY GERMAN (3, 3) Study of the fundamentals of German grammar. Emphasis on oral expression. Work in the Modern Language Resource Center (MLRC) constitutes part of the course.

GRMN 201 INTERMEDIATE GERMAN (3) *Prerequisites: GRMN 101-102 or equivalent.* (Each student's level is determined by a placement test administered at the beginning of the course.) This course is a review of grammar and intensive reading and conversational practice with emphasis on speaking German. This course should bring students to the novice high/intermediate low oral proficiency level (ACTFL Guidelines). Work in the Modern Language Resource Center (MLRC) is required.

GRMN 202 INTERMEDIATE GERMAN (3) *Prerequisite: GRMN 201.* This review of grammar and intensive reading and conversational practice is based on selected literary and civilization texts. Work in the Modern Language Resource Center (MLRC) is required.

GRMN 208 GERMAN LITERATURE IN TRANSLATION (3) With readings and lectures entirely in English, this course covers German writers from the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. Writers include Heine, Hauptmann, Kafka, Grass, Mann, Brecht, etc.

GRMN 241 CONVERSATION AND COMPOSITION (3) *Prerequisite: GRMN 202 or consent of instructor.* This course provides intensive practice in oral and written German to develop fluency and correctness of expression. Special emphasis is on vocabulary building and development of style. The course will use a political and historical approach to German cultural topics and include an introduction to German literature and literary criticism.

GRMN 313 SURVEY OF GERMAN LITERATURE (3) *Prerequisite: GRMN 241.* This course focuses on readings of original texts in German literature from the nineteenth and twentieth century.

GRMN 397 INDEPENDENT STUDY IN GERMAN (1-3) *Prerequisites: Approval of faculty sponsor and school dean; junior or senior standing.* This course provides students the opportunity to pursue individual study of topics not covered in other available courses. The area for investigation is developed in consultation with a faculty sponsor and credit is dependent on the nature of the work. May be repeated for no more than six credits.

GRMN 398 SPECIAL TOPICS IN GERMAN (1-3) [credit depends on topic] *Prerequisites: A background of work in the discipline or prior consent of instructor.* This course will focus on an aspect of the discipline not otherwise covered by the regularly offered courses. The topic will vary according to professor and term; consequently, more than one may be taken by a student during his/her matriculation.

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