

THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY  
COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

TYPE 1B TRANSLATION AND INTERPRETATION CERTIFICATE (TRNSINT-CRT)

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Center for Languages, Literatures and Cultures  
Coordinating Advisor: Emily Carpenter

The 12 credit hour Translation and Interpretation Certificate enhances the skills of undergraduate majors and minors in the language departments at OSU.

**Required core courses (6 credits):**

Choose one of the following:

- **CLLC 5100:** Introduction to Community Interpreting (3)
- **CLLC 5101:** Introduction to Professional Translation (3)
- **CLLC 5102:** Introduction to Literary Translation (3)

Take the following:

- **CLLC 5103:** Translation and Interpretation Practicum (3)

**Elective courses (6 credits):**

In addition, students will select two more courses (6 credits) listed below.

- **Arabic 4603:** Translation: Theory and Practice (3)
- **Chinese 5490:** Chinese Translation Workshop (3)
- **French 5100:** From French to English and from English to French (3)
- **French 5103:** French Translation and Interpretation (3)
- **German 3603:** Translation I (3)
- **German 4603:** Translation II (3)
- **Italian 4331:** Italian Translating
- **Japanese 5194:** Introduction to Professional Japanese Translation (3)
- **Portuguese 4510:** Portuguese Translation (3)
- **Russian 5630:** Translation: Theory, Practice and the Profession (3)
- **Spanish 4610:** Contrastive Structures of Spanish and English (3)
- **Spanish 4689S:** Translation and Interpretation in the Latino Community (3)
- Any course at the 4000-level or above in the following language: Chinese, Italian, French, Arabic, Russian, Portuguese, Spanish, Japanese, Korean, ASL, Hebrew, Greek, Swahili
- **Comparative Studies 3302:** Translating Literatures and Cultures (3)\*
- **Linguistics 3401:** Words and Meanings (3)\*
- **Linguistics 3603:** Languages across cultures (3)\*

**Translation and Interpretation Certificate program guidelines**

Credit hours required: Minimum of 12 credits.

Overlap with courses in a degree: Max 50% overlap with courses in a degree program (i.e., major, minor, other certificate, or GE)

Grades required

- Minimum C- for a course to be listed on the certificate.
- Minimum 2.00 cumulative point-hour ratio required for the certificate.

X193 credits: Not permitted.

Classes taught in English (\*): Students electing to take courses taught in English to fulfill the certificate program must demonstrate proficiency at the Intermediate High level prior to enrollment in CLLC 5103. Proficiency may be established by taking two 4000-level courses taught in the working language or through approved proficiency testing in the working language (OPIc, Versant, STAMP).

Certificate Completion: If the certificate is not complete on the DAR, the student must consult with the College of Arts and Sciences Coordinating Advisor.

Filing the certificate program form: The certificate program form must be filed at least by the time the graduation application is submitted to a college/school advisor.

Changing the certificate: Once the certificate program is filed in the college office, any changes must be approved by the College of Arts and Sciences Coordinating Advisor.