

# PORTUGUESE (PG)

## PG 1010 - Communicating in Portuguese I

3 Credits

Acquisition of basic communication skills through extensive study of Portuguese grammar and vocabulary, and practice in a variety of everyday situations. Emphasis on listening comprehension, reading strategies, and oral and written expression.

**Attributes:** MLIC Language

## PG 1020 - Communicating in Portuguese II

3 Credits

Continuation of PG 1010. Consolidation of essential grammar: use of past and future tenses, and hypothetical conditions; further development of listening and reading strategies; and extensive practice of verbal and writing skills. Students that complete this course should have the equivalent of an A2 level according to the English in the Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR).

**Prerequisite(s):** PG 1010

**Attributes:** Foreign Language BS Req (CAS), MLIC Language

## PG 1930 - Special Topics

1-4 Credits (Repeatable for credit)

## PG 2010 - Intermediate Portuguese: Language & Culture

3 Credits

Continued practice in and development of all language skills, enabling the student to function in an increased number of areas. Materials and discussion relating to Portuguese culture.

**Prerequisite(s):** PG 1020

**Attributes:** Foreign Language BA Req (CAS), Foreign Language BS Req (CAS), MLIC Language

## PG 2020 - Conversation and Culture

3 Credits

Students discover varied aspects of the Portuguese-speaking world, while raising their proficiency in Portuguese to reach a B2 level according to the Common European Framework, a level at which they can communicate with increasing ease and accuracy. There is an emphasis on oral expression and listening comprehension, reinforced by reading and writing skills. The linguistic differences between Portuguese and Spanish will be highlighted.

**Prerequisite(s):** PG 2010

**Attributes:** Foreign Language BA Req (CAS), Foreign Language BS Req (CAS), MLIC Language

## PG 2930 - Special Topics

3 Credits (Repeatable for credit)

## PG 2980 - Independent Study

1 or 3 Credits (Repeatable for credit)

## PG 3010 - Discovering the Portuguese-Speaking World

3 Credits

Students continue to build on their knowledge of the Portuguese language and Lusophone culture while raising their proficiency in Portuguese to a B2.1 or Advanced Low level, according to the CEFR and ACTFL framework references. The course is organized into thematic units that integrate speaking, listening, writing and reading skills and explore cultural topics and specific vocabulary that serve as a basis for communication in real-life situations.

**Prerequisite(s):** PG 2010

**Attributes:** Foreign Language BS Req (CAS), IAS - Iberian Studies, IAS- Latin Am Lit & Portuguese, MLIC Language

## PG 3020 - Eloquent Communication in Portuguese

3 Credits

Students continue to develop their fluent oral and written expression through communicative activities that focus on listening comprehension, structural accuracy, and a systematic approach to vocabulary expansion. Students raise their proficiency in Portuguese to a B2.2, Advanced Mid or even an Advanced High level, according to the CEFR and ACTFL framework references. The course structure is organized into thematic units, each of which covers specific vocabulary essential for communication in real-life situations, corresponding to the high intermediate and pre-advanced level. Both written and oral production plays a central role in the course, promoting the development of discursive quality through structured exercises and the drafting of more complex texts, with a view to initial preparation for the Portuguese language proficiency exam.

**Prerequisite(s):** PG 2010

**Attributes:** MLIC Language

## PG 3910 - Internship

1-6 Credits (Repeatable for credit)

**Prerequisite(s):** CORE 1000; CORE 1500\*

\* Concurrent enrollment allowed.

**Attributes:** UUC:Reflection-in-Action

## PG 3930 - Special Topics

3 Credits (Repeatable for credit)

## PG 3980 - Independent Study

1 or 3 Credits (Repeatable for credit)

**Attributes:** MS in Finance - Required, Urban Poverty - General

## PG 4910 - Internship

1-6 Credits (Repeatable for credit)

**Prerequisite(s):** CORE 1000; CORE 1500\*

\* Concurrent enrollment allowed.

**Attributes:** UUC:Reflection-in-Action

## PG 4930 - Special Topics

1-4 Credits (Repeatable for credit)

## PG 4980 - Advanced Independent Study in Portuguese

1 or 3 Credits (Repeatable for credit)