UNDERSTANDING THE PROGRAM
Spanish is one of the three most widely spoken languages in the world and the second most widely used language in the United States. Knowledge of the Spanish language and culture offers you a competitive edge and makes you more marketable to employers in any field. Graduates have gone onto successful careers in fields such as business, social work, communications, diplomacy and international relations, health care, law, tourism, and counseling.

ABOUT YOU
Interested in obtaining an education that will allow you to develop skills required in today’s global marketplace? You will have the opportunity to interact and participate in research with a diverse faculty specializing in Hispanic linguistics, literatures, and cultures. You can also participate in summer study abroad programs in Argentina, Costa Rica, Spain, or one of the many semester-long programs offered in countries throughout the Spanish-speaking world. Many students combine Spanish with another major, such as international studies, history, English, or psychology.

COURSE OFFERINGS
In addition to Spanish language courses, a wide range of more specific courses are offered, such as Spanish for business/medical professions, film theater, Spanish phonetics, advanced oral conversations, history and art in Spain and Latin America, women writers in the Hispanic world, trans-Atlantic studies, and applied Spanish linguistics. We even offer a concentration in secondary education that includes specialized classes in language teaching and leads to certification.

Spanish is part of the HSS 3+3 Pre-Law Program, which allows LSU students to receive a bachelor’s degree and law degree in six years rather than taking the traditional route of seven years. For more information, visit www.lsu.edu/prelaw.

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