

Joint Major in Italian & Linguistics

2017-18

The joint major in Italian & Linguistics provides an opportunity for students to combine the study of Italian language, literature, and culture with the study of linguistics. The major consists of 13 courses: at least 6 in Italian, and at least 6 in Linguistics.

Faculty 2017-18*

Carol Neidle, program coordinator
Professor of French & Linguistics
& Director of the Linguistics Program

Linguistics

Jonathan Barnes, Associate Professor
Charles Chang, Assistant Professor
Elizabeth Coppock, Assistant Professor
Daniel Erker, Assistant Professor
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Paul Hagstrom, Associate Professor
Neil Myler, Assistant Professor

Italian

Dennis Costa, Associate Professor
Nancy Harrowitz, Associate Professor

* Profs. Barnes, Chang, Coppock, Hagstrom, Myler, and Neidle are located at 621 Commonwealth Avenue. Profs. Costa, Erker, and Harrowitz are at 718 Commonwealth Avenue.

Requirements in Italian

One advanced language course
CAS LI 303 - 310

One literature course, from

CAS LI 350 Italian Literature I:
Medieval

CAS LI 351 Italian Literature II:
Renaissance and Baroque

Four literature courses, from

CAS LI

350; 351; 352 Italian Literature III: Modern; 450 Novel in 19th & 20th Century Italy; 452 Humanism & the Renaissance; 453 Autobiography & the Confessional Novel; 459 Primo Levi within Holocaust Literature; 553 Petrarch and the Tradition of Love Poetry; 555 Dante's Hell; 556 Dante: The Divine Comedy II: Purgatorio & Paradiso; 590 Topics in Modern Italian Literature & Criticism

Requirements in Linguistics

Introduction to linguistics

CAS LX 250 Intro to Linguistics

Three courses in Linguistics:

- CAS LX 301 Phonetics & Phonology
- CAS LX 321 Syntax
- CAS LX 331 Semantics & Pragmatic

One additional Linguistics elective,

CAS LX:

311 Morphology	365 English Dialects
317 Having & Being	368 Lx African Lgs
327 Focus	390, 490 Lx Topics
328 Questions	391 Field Methods
341 Sociolinguistics	403 Phonology
345 Lgs in Contact	405 Prosody
349 Bilingualism	423 Adv Syntax
355 2 nd Lg Acquisition	432 Int Semantics
359 Lg Attrition	433 Int Pragmatics
360 Historical Ling	453 Acq Phonology
364 Ling of English	454 Acq. Syntax

One additional course in Italian or Linguistics

• in Italian

literature (see above listing) or **culture:**
CAS LI 349 Social Cultural &
Political Life of Today's Italy;
CAS LI 473 Masters of Italian Cinema

or

• in Linguistics

(courses above)

<http://ling.bu.edu/degrees/italian-and-linguistics>

see also: <https://www.facebook.com/BULinguistics>

Students may also take courses to fulfill some of these requirements (with advance approval of their advisor) in the Boston University Study Abroad program in Padua; see <http://www.bu.edu/abroad/language/italian-speaking/>



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