Modern Languages and Literatures (MLL)

MLL 101 Special Topics in Foreign Language (1–4)
MLL 102 Special Topics in Foreign Language (1–4)
MLL 160A Humanities Learning Community (4)
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MLL 160B Humanities Learning Community (4)
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MLL 161A Critical & Creative: Global Culture Remix (2)
MLL 161A/B is a year long course, which, combined with FR 101, GER 101, or SPAN 201, features weekly lectures and small seminars. It constitutes a Humanities Learning Community (HLC) for any first-year student. The learning objectives of the HLC will satisfy A3 (Critical Thinking) and C3 (Comparative Perspectives and/or Foreign Languages) GE Areas.
MLL 161B Critical & Creative: Global Culture Remix (2)
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MLL 195 Elementary Special Studies (1–4)
Directed, individual, lower-division study in a modern language.
MLL 214 World Literatures in English (4)
Introduction to selected works of world literature from Asia, Africa, Europe, North America, Latin America and Mexico, and from the classic literatures of Greece and Rome. Background lectures on literature, literary genres, and the different cultural histories will be given. Basic techniques of reading, analysis, and composition will be emphasized. Satisfies GE Area C2 (Literatures, Philosophies, and Values). Prerequisite: ENGL 101. May be repeated for credit.
MLL 273 World Literatures: Critical and Creative Readings (4)
This course explores world literature and its relationship to the history, culture, and society from which it originates. Topics may include western and non-western cultural and religious values, colonialism versus emerging nationalisms, and the quest for personal, cultural, and national identities. Techniques of reading, analysis, research and creativity will be emphasized. Satisfies GE Area C2. Only one course numbered 273 in the Arts & Humanities will be considered for credit. Prerequisite: ENGL 101.
MLL 314 World Literatures in English Translation (4)
Studies in world literatures in English translation. Topics may include non-western cultural and religious values, colonialism versus emerging nationalisms, and the quest for identity, personal, cultural, and national. Satisfies GE Area C2 (Literatures, Philosophies, and Values). Prerequisite: ENGL 101. May be repeated for credit.

MLL 450 Foreign Language Teaching Seminar (2–4)
This course is designed as a seminar and Practicum to teach students to facilitate intensive language learning in a small-group setting. Students study the theory and practice of language learning and teaching while serving as a Peer Language Facilitator (PLF) for language learners enrolled in lower division classes. Prerequisite: instructor consent.
MLL 495 Special Studies (1–4)
Directed and individual study on subject(s) of special interest. Students must prepare a proposal which is subject to the approval of the department chair. May be repeated once for credit for a total of 4 units.