

# **Italian Minor**

The Italian minor program offers its students a strong foundation in Italian language, literature, cinema, and civilization. Students who concentrate on Italian studies may teach in secondary schools, be admitted to graduate school, work in translating and interpreting firms, or work at the national or international level for Italian firms or American firms dealing with Italy. Statistics show that Sacramento State graduates are in graduate programs, are teaching Italian, or are working in international programs, using their preparation from the Italian minor program.

### **Program Requirements**

Units required for Minor: 12 upper division units.

**Note:** Students are required to meet with an advisor for course selection.

### **Italian Studies Options**

- Placement in Italian Courses: Students should consult an advisor in Italian regarding the level at which to begin college Italian, as well as the choice and sequence of courses to take. Students who studied Italian in high school must take a placement test. Arrangement for the placement test should be made with an advisor in Italian.
- **Transfers:** Students from other colleges must have their pattern of courses assessed by a Department advisor and complete at least one upper division Italian course in residence before the Department can approve a program.
- Credit by Exam: A maximum of 16 units in foreign language studies may be challenged, only 12 of which may be in Italian.
- Junior Year in Italy: Students planning to apply for admission to the overseas program should consult the Italian advisor and the <u>International Programs & Global Engagement (IPGE)</u>, Lassen Hall 2304, (916) 278-6686, for information.

## Fall 2019 Schedule

Course	Section	<u>Units</u>	<u>Room</u>	Mtg. Days	Start & End Time	<u>Instructor</u>
ITAL 1A	01	4	MRP 2005	MTW	12-12:50PM	TBA
			WEB/ONLINE	R	N/A	
ITAL 1A	02	4	MRP 2030	MTW	1-1:50PM	TBA
			WEB/ONLINE	R	N/A	
ITAL 1B*	01	4	MRP 2005	MWF	10-10:50AM	TBA
			WEB/ONLINE	Т	N/A	
ITAL 2A	01	4	ALP 227	MTW	3-3:50PM	TBA
			WEB/ONLINE	R	N/A	
ITAL 104A	01	3	WEB/ONLINE	N/A	N/A	TBA
ITAL 199	01	1-3	N/A	N/A	N/A	TBA

<sup>\*</sup>Fulfills the Sacramento State Foreign Language Graduation Requirement



#### **Peer Language Practitioners Program (PLP)**

Room: MRP 2032T Website: <a href="www.csus.edu/plp">www.csus.edu/plp</a>
<a href="mailto:PLP Sign-Up Form">PLP Sign-Up Form</a>
Email: <a href="mailto:wllsa03@csus.edu">wllsa03@csus.edu</a>

#### Margaret E. Lavezzo Memorial Italy Travel Scholarship

Students minoring in Italian may to apply for this scholarship, which awards up to \$2500 for travel to Italy for educational purposes. For more information on requirements as well as the application process, students are required to apply through the Sac State Scholarship Portal.

#### **Special Events**

- Festival of the Arts Italian Poetry Night
- Interdisciplinary Conference in the Humanities
- World Language Day

#### **Faculty Bio**

#### Dr. Barbara Carle



Dr. Carle is the Area Program Head of the <u>Italian Minor Program</u> and has been instructing at Sac State since 2003. She holds a PhD in Italian Literature & Language from <u>Columbia University</u>, and has translated, and authored numerous volumes of Italian, French and American poetry. Dr. Carle's works have appeared in such publications as <u>Poetry</u>, <u>Chelsea</u>, and <u>American Poets</u> among many others. A complete list of works and essays can be found on Dr. Carle's personal <u>website</u>. Dr. Carle's interests include travel, poetry, wildlife photography and birdwatching. She will be on sabbatical during the Fall 2019 semester.