# Full-time 4-year Undergraduate Degrees - Minor Programmes

| 1. | Title of Minor Programme & Programme Code | Minor in Spanish (71428-YSP) |
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| 2. | Offering Department(s) in Full & in Abbreviation | Department of English and Communication (ENGL) |
| 3. | Requirement for Claiming the Minor Award | Attained 18 credits from the subjects listed under section 7, of which at least 9 credits are at level 3 or above. |
| 4. | Exclusive Programme(s) & Programme Code(s) | N/A |
| 5. | Effective Year | For students admitted from 2018-19 onwards |
| 6. | Professional Recognition | N/A |

| 7. | Subject Code | Subject Title | Subject Offering Department/ Faculty | Level | Credit Value | Subject Nature (Compulsory /Elective) |
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| | ENGL2008 | Elementary Spanish I | ENGL | 2 / 3 / 4 | 12 | Compulsory* |
| | ENGL2009 | Elementary Spanish II | | | | |
| | ENGL3016 | Intermediate Spanish I | | | | |
| | ENGL3017 OR ENGL3040# | Intermediate Spanish II OR Language Matters: Navigating Social Issues through Linguistics Inquiry# | | | | |
| | ENGL4023 | Advanced Spanish I | | | | |
| | ENGL1B04/ ENGL1BN04 | Language and Society in Europe | ENGL | 1 | 3 | Elective |
| | ENGL1C06/ ENGL1CN06 | Languages in a Globalizing World | ENGL | 1 | 3 | Elective |
| | ENGL3020 | Aspects of European Public Discourse | ENGL | 3 | 3 | Elective |
| | ENGL3023 | Introduction to European Visual Art | ENGL | 3 | 3 | Elective |
| | ENGL3030 | Introduction to the History of Europe: a Trade Perspective (old subject code & title: ENGL3021 Understanding European Trade and Cultural Expansionism) | ENGL | 3 | 3 | Elective |
| | ENGL3040 | Language Matters: Navigating Social Issues through Linguistic Inquiry | ENGL | 3 | 3 | Elective |
| | | Work Integrated Education (WIE) ^ | ENGL/other departments | 2 / 3 / 4 | 3 | Elective |
| | ENGL4023 | Advanced Spanish I | ENGL | 4 | 3 | Elective |

*The four compulsory subjects will be selected from the above Spanish language proficiency subjects, from Elementary to Advanced level.

^Students can apply to count the WIE as an elective for fulfilling the credit requirements, if carried out in a Spanish-speaking country or context. Completed application form AR147(a) should be submitted to the Minor-offering department (Minor Department) for approval no later than your applying for graduation. In addition:
- Only credit-bearing WIE (with a subject code) will be accepted.
- The WIE duration should be a minimum of 60 working hours.
- Only students who have already passed the WIE and meet all the specified criteria can apply to count the WIE as an elective.
- A maximum of one WIE can be counted towards the Minor.
- A maximum of 3 WIE credits will be counted towards the Minor.
- The Minor will follow the WIE level indicated by the Major department.

#Students can take either ENGL3017 or ENGL3040, with additional requirements, to fulfil the compulsory requirements of the programme. Students who take ENGL3040 in lieu of ENGL3017 as a compulsory subject for the Spanish minor must also fulfil the following requirements:
i. The project they develop for ENGL3040 should focus on a Spanish linguistic issue; and
ii. Successfully pass a proficiency test designed for ENGL3017 which covers the contents of a A2.2 level, unless the student can present a certificate from one of the accredited centers recognised by ENGL confirming they have attained the required level.
The application should be submitted to the Minor-offering department (Minor Department) for approval no later than students' applying for graduation.

For detailed syllabus and subject pre-requisite/co-requisite/exclusion requirement, please visit the following AR subject registration website:

Location: http://www.polyu.edu.hk/student > Subject Registration > Subject Information

For details of the programme, please visit the Department website at https://www.polyu.edu.hk/engl/.

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