

# B.A. LINGUISTICS/M.A., APPLIED LINGUISTICS

## Overview

### Accelerated B.A./M.A. Degrees

The accelerated M.A. in applied linguistics provides students with a thorough background in second-language acquisition, language teaching and assessment. Graduates from the program are well prepared to teach in language classrooms, both at home and abroad, or enter the Ph.D. program of their choice.

Minimum Requirements for Accelerated Linguistics B.A./Applied Linguistics M.A. Degrees: 138 credits

College of Liberal Arts  
Linguistics Program (<http://www.uaf.edu/linguist/>)  
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## Admission Requirements

Students entering the accelerated master's in applied linguistics must:

- be admitted into the B.A. in linguistics;
- have completed a minimum of 24 credits toward the B.A. in linguistics, including LING F101X, LING F318, LING F320, LING F315, LING F302; and ENGL F318;
- have a minimum 3.0 GPA overall and a 3.5 GPA in linguistics;
- obtain a letter of recommendation from a current linguistics faculty member who is willing to serve as chair of their graduate committee;
- have junior standing.

## Program Requirements

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Students must satisfy the General University Requirements for minimum grades for the respective B.A. or M.A. program (major) requirements.

Students must earn a C- grade or better in each course for the B.A.

Code	Title	Credits
<b>General University Requirements</b>		
Complete the general university requirements. ( <a href="http://catalog.uaf.edu/bachelors/">http://catalog.uaf.edu/bachelors/</a> )		
<b>General Education Requirements</b>		
Complete the general education requirements. ( <a href="http://catalog.uaf.edu/bachelors/general-education-requirements/">http://catalog.uaf.edu/bachelors/general-education-requirements/</a> )		
As part of the general education requirements, complete two semesters of a single foreign or Alaska Native language. <sup>1</sup>		
<b>B.A. Degree Requirements</b>		
Complete the B.A. degree requirements. ( <a href="http://catalog.uaf.edu/bachelors/summary-of-bachelors-degree-reqs/#bachelorofartstext">http://catalog.uaf.edu/bachelors/summary-of-bachelors-degree-reqs/#bachelorofartstext</a> ) <sup>2</sup>		
<b>Linguistics Program Requirements</b>		

Four semesters (or equivalent) of a foreign, Alaska Native or American Sign language. The language chosen must be different from that used to meet GER above. <sup>1</sup>		12-16
ENGL F318	Modern English Grammar	3
LING F101X	Nature of Language	3
LING F302	Introduction to Second Language Acquisition	3
LING F315	English Language for Second Language Teaching	3
LING F318	Introduction to Phonetics and Phonology	3
LING F320	Introduction to Morphosyntax	3
LING F451	English Second Language Teaching Practicum	3
or FL F451	Foreign Language Teaching Practicum	
LING F441	Topics in Linguistics	3
LING F481	Seminar in Applied Linguistic Research	1
<i>Elective</i>		3
Any course in LING or approved by faculty committee		

## Requirements for Applied Linguistics M.A. Degree

**CONCENTRATIONS: GENERAL (P. 2), LANGUAGE DOCUMENTATION (P. 2), SECOND LANGUAGE ACQUISITION TEACHER EDUCATION (P. 2)**

Code	Title	Credits
<b>General University Requirements</b>		
Complete the general university requirements. ( <a href="http://catalog.uaf.edu/graduate/mastersdegrees/#generaluniversityrequirementsstext">http://catalog.uaf.edu/graduate/mastersdegrees/#generaluniversityrequirementsstext</a> )		
<b>Master's Degree Requirements</b>		
Complete the master's degree requirements. ( <a href="http://catalog.uaf.edu/graduate/mastersdegrees/">http://catalog.uaf.edu/graduate/mastersdegrees/</a> )		
<b>Applied Linguistics Program Requirements</b>		
Complete the following:		
LING F410	Theory and Methods of Second Language Teaching	3
LING F450	Language Policy and Planning	3
LING F482	Seminar in Linguistics	3
LING F600	Research Methods for Applied Linguistics	3
LING F601	Principles of Linguistic Analysis	3
LING F602	Second Language Acquisition	3
LING F610	Theory and Methods of Second Language Teaching	3
LING F611	Second Language Materials and Assessment	3
LING F698 or LING F699	Non-thesis Research/Project Thesis	1-9

**CONCENTRATIONS:****General**

Code	Title	Credits
Complete the following:		
LING F602	Second Language Acquisition	3
LING F603	Phonetics and Phonology	3
LING F604	Morphology and Syntax	3

**Language Documentation**

Code	Title	Credits
Complete the following:		
LING F603	Phonetics and Phonology	3
LING F604	Morphology and Syntax	3
LING F631	Field Methods in Descriptive Linguistics I	3

**Second Language Acquisition Teacher Education**

Code	Title	Credits
Complete the following:		
LING F602	Second Language Acquisition	3
LING F610	Theory and Methods of Second Language Teaching	3
LING F611	Second Language Materials and Assessment	3
or ED F683	Instruction and Assessment in Literacy	

**ELECTIVE COURSES**

This is a non-exhaustive list of possible electives.

Code	Title	Credits
ED F601	Introduction to Applied Social Science Research <sup>3</sup>	3
ED F670	Developing Literacy: ECE-12 <sup>3</sup>	3
ED F673	Literacy in the Content Area <sup>3</sup>	3
ED F683	Instruction and Assessment in Literacy <sup>3</sup>	3
LING F441	Topics in Linguistics <sup>1</sup>	3
LING/FL F451	English Second Language Teaching Practicum <sup>1</sup>	3
LING F602	Second Language Acquisition	3
LING F603	Phonetics and Phonology	3
LING F604	Morphology and Syntax	3
LING F610	Theory and Methods of Second Language Teaching	3
LING F611	Second Language Materials and Assessment	3
LING F631	Field Methods in Descriptive Linguistics I	3
LING F650	Language Policy and Planning	3

<sup>1</sup> It is recommended that at least one of the languages be other than an Indo-European Language.

<sup>2</sup> Except for the minor complex. A minor complex is not required for an accelerated Master of Arts.

<sup>3</sup> Per Graduate School rules, up to 6 credits of committee-approved elective credit at the 400 level may be counted toward a graduate degree.