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welcome to the UP Department of

Linguistics



The **UP Department of Linguistics** is part of the University of the Philippines Diliman College of Social Sciences and Philosophy. It was established on August 28, 1922, with Trinidad H. Pardo de Tavera as its first chair. He was immediately succeeded by Otto Johns Scheerer, the first Professor Emeritus of Philippine linguistics, who also founded *The Archive*, the official publication of the Department. The primary aim of the Department since its founding has been the scientific study, preservation, and promotion of Philippine languages & dialects through teaching, research, and publication.

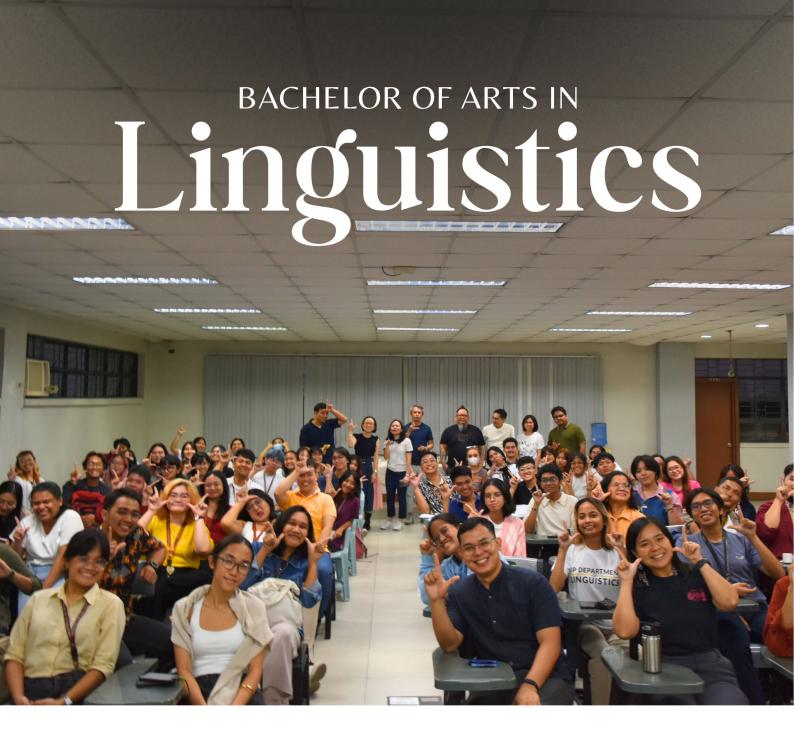
As a **CHED Center of Excellence in Foreign Languages**, it is also dedicated to improving the teaching of national languages in Asia according to the needs of the Filipino people.

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TO READ MORE ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT, ITS PROGRAMS, AND ITS EVENTS, PLEASE VISIT OUR



Official Website linguistics.upd.edu.ph



The BA in Linguistics program provides students with training in contemporary linguistic theories and methodologies for linguistic analysis, which will enable them to study languages scientifically for research, translation work, teaching, and other various purposes.

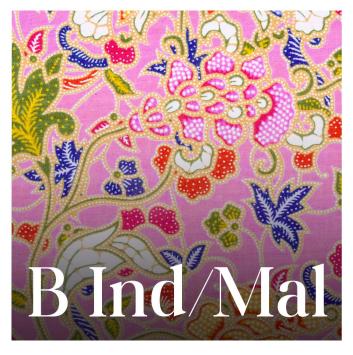
The undergraduate program in linguistics also encourages students to explore interdisciplinary connections between linguistics and other fields, particularly in the social sciences, humanities, and education.

Students can choose from among three plans of study where, along with developing their specialization in linguistics, they can also specialize in an East Asian language, a foreign Southeast Asian language, or select cognate courses in a related discipline.

The BA Linguistics program provides the student with the fundamentals of contemporary linguistic theories and methodologies which will enable them to study language scientifically for translation work, teaching, and research.

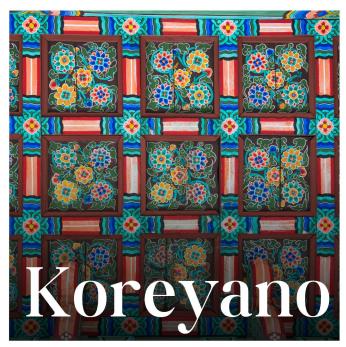
- PLAN A: Linguistics
- PLAN B: Linguistics x Southeast Asian Languages [BIM]
- PLAN C: Linguistics x East Asian Languages [JPN / KOR]

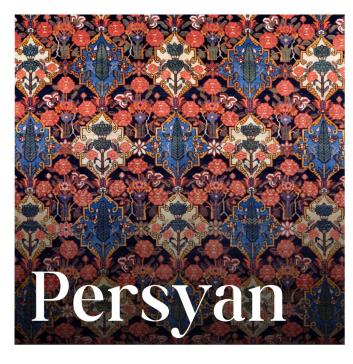














Plan A LINGUISTICS

Linguistics: 45 units

Foreign Language 1: 12 units

Foreign Language 2: 6 units

Social Sciences: 12 units

GE: 45 units

Cognate: 12 units

PI 100: 3 units

Four PE courses

Two NSTP courses



Plan B

LINGUISTICS X SOUTHEAST ASIAN LANGUAGES

Linguistics: 45 units

B Ind/Mal: 24 units

Social Sciences: 12 units

GE: 45 units

Cognate: 6 units

PI 100: 3 units

Four PE courses

Two NSTP courses



Plan C-K

LINGUISTICS X EAST ASIAN LANGUAGES

Linguistics: 45 units

Korean: 36 units

Social Sciences: 12 units

GE: 45 units

PI 100: 3 units

Four PE courses

Two NSTP courses



Plan C-J

LINGUISTICS X EAST ASIAN LANGUAGES

Linguistics: 45 units

Japanese: 39 units

Social Sciences: 12 units

GE: 45 units

PI 100: 3 units

Four PE courses

Two NSTP courses





general education

CORE (21 units)
PROGRAM-PRESCRIBED (9 units)
GE ELECTIVE (15 units)

Core: Speech 30, Arts 1, Fil 40, Kas 1, Philo 1, Soc Sci 2, STS 1

Program-prescribed: Eng 13, Math 2, Math 10

other required courses

SOCIAL SCIENCES (12 units)

Anthro 100, Psych 101, Socio 101 Kas 114 (Plans A & B) Kas 114 or Kas 151 (Plan C)

PHILIPPINE INSTITUTIONS (3 units)

PI 100

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cognate courses

COURSES FROM THE SAME FIELD/DISCIPLINE SUBJECT TO ADVISER'S APPROVAL



Plan A

four (4) courses

Plan B

two (2) courses

nonacademic courses

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

four (4) courses

NATIONAL SERVICE TRAINING PROGRAM

taken starting 2nd year
CWTS, LTS, or MIL SCI
same college, same component

curriculum checklists

PLAN A



PLAN B



PLAN C



Program Advisers

SN 2025



BARAN



CRUZ

SN 2024



ENDRIGA



SANTIAGO

SN 2023



ROSARIO



RAFAEL

SN 2022



IGNO



DE PANO

Program Advisers

SN 2021



CRUZ

SN 2020



ENDRIGA



SANTIAGO

SN 2019



ROSARIO



RAFAEL

SN 2018 & Earlier



CRUZ

Undergraduate Program Coordinators



Noah Cruz

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

UP DEPARTMENT OF LINGUISTICS



Divine Angeli Endriga

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR
UP DEPARTMENT OF LINGUISTICS

linguistic fieldwork

LINGUISTICS 125: INTRODUCTION TO FIELD METHODS

MIDYEAR TERM

June to July 3rd year standing two-week fieldwork

previous field sites:

Nueva Vizcaya, Metro Manila, Pangasinan, Benguet, Romblon, Camarines Sur, Bulacan, Quezon, La Union

retention policies

PLAN A

- Enroll in at least 15 units each semester
- Enroll in at least 3 units of major courses each semester
- Pass at least a total of 24 units each academic year
- Maintain a departmental cumulative GWA of:
 - 1.75 or better in Lingg 110 and 115 on their first year in the program
 - 2.0 or better in other Lingg courses

PLAN B

- Enroll in at least 15 units each semester
- Enroll in at least 6 units of major courses each semester (Linguistics and Bahasa Indonesia/Malaysia)
- Pass at least a total of 24 units each academic year
- Maintain a departmental cumulative GWA of:
- 1.75 or better in Lingg 110 and 115 on their first year in the program
- 2.0 or better in other Lingg courses and B Ind/Mal courses

retention policies

PLAN C

- Enroll in at least 15 units each semester
- Enroll in at least 6 units of major courses each semester (Linguistics and Japanese/Korean language)
- Pass at least a total of 24 units each academic year
- Maintain a departmental cumulative GWA of:
- 1.75 or better in Lingg 110 and 115 on their first year in the program
- 2.0 or better in other Lingg courses and Hapon/Koreyano courses

probationary status

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- Students who fail to meet the academic rules set by the Department
- A student, who, at the end of the semester, obtains a final grade below 3.0 in more than 60% of the total academic units they are registered
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Probationary status shall take effect for a maximum of one year only. The following conditions shall govern probationary students in order to remain in the BA Linguistics program. Probationary students must meet the following conditions:

- Enroll in at least 15 units in the semester immediately following the semester when they are tagged as on probation
- Enroll in at least 3 units of major courses for the duration of the probationary status
- Pass all academic units registered in the semester
- Maintain a departmental average of 1.75 for Linguistics
 110 and 115 and a cumulative average of 2.0 or better for other Linguistics courses
- For Plans B and C, maintain a cumulative average of 2.0 or better for all Linguistics and foreign language specialization courses
- Must not get INC, DRP, LOA, 4.0, or 5.0 for the duration of the probationary status
- Other conditions stipulated by the College and the University otherwise not specified.

Those who fail to meet the above conditions will be automatically dismissed from the Department. Students may also be dismissed from the Department upon the recommendation of the College.

dates to remember

First Semester

20 Aug - Deadline for ChangeMat

26 Aug - Deadline for filing for graduation

06 Nov - Deadline for dropping

19 Nov - Deadline for LOA

05 Dec - End of classes

Second Semester

19 Jan - Start of classes

27 Jan - Deadline for ChangeMat

23 Apr - Deadline for dropping

07 May - Deadline for LOA

22 May - End of classes

events

Consuelo Paz Lectures



Linguistics Special Lecture Series

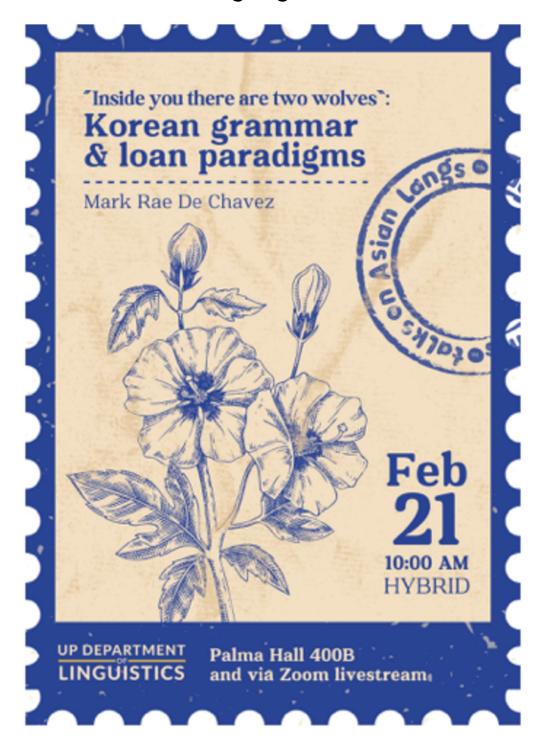


Philippine Indigenous Languages Lecture Series



events

Talks in Asian Languages



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Lexicon Unpacked



Guide to Palma Hall CSSP Office of Student Affairs



Guide to Jeep Routes UP Diliman University Freshie Council



Guide to the Campus UPCAT Assistance Program



Pagpupugay, mga bagong iskolar ng bayan!

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