This course plan is a recommended sequence for this major. Courses designated as critical (!) may have a deadline for completion and/or affect time to graduation. Please see the Program Notes section for details regarding “critical courses” for this particular Program of Study.

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Graduation Requirements Summary

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1. Regardless of individual course grades, students must maintain a minimum 2.000 cumulative GPA.
2. Some colleges require a minimum GPA for major courses. Courses indicated in this column are included in the major GPA for this program of study.
3. Students in the Comparative Literature major are required to demonstrate proficiency in two foreign languages. Students must reach proficiency equivalent to the 300-level literature course prerequisites in the first foreign language, and equivalent to the 122 course in the second foreign language, through course credit. Students who begin at the 109/110/121 level in the first foreign language may be required to complete courses in addition to those in this map in order to reach the 300-level language proficiency needed in preparation for the Literature courses in the first foreign language. Students who test out of the 122-level of a second foreign language will be required to take a higher-level course in the language.
4. The Carolina Core provides the common core of knowledge, skill and academic experience for all Carolina undergraduate students.
5. The College of Arts and Sciences requires one U.S. History and one non-U.S. History course, both of which must be chosen from the approved Carolina Core GHS courses. Whichever is not fulfilled through the Carolina Core GHS requirement must be fulfilled through this college requirement.
6. The cognate is intended to support the course work in the major. The cognate must consist of twelve hours of courses at the advanced level, outside of, but related to the major. In place of a cognate, a student may choose a minor consisting of at least 18 credit hours of courses concentrated in one area that follow a structured sequence. A second major eliminates the minor/cognate requirement.
7. Examples of foreign language literature courses include, but are not limited to: FREN 450, 451, 452, and 453 (if taught in French); GERM 420, 430, 440, 450, and 460 (if taught in German); ITAL 404 and 405 (if taught in Italian); PORT 312, 325, and 375 (if taught in Portuguese); RUSS 319L and 320L (if taught in Russian); SPAN 375, 404, and 405 (if taught in Spanish). Foreign language literature courses must be approved by an advisor.
8. No courses of a remedial, developmental, skill-acquiring, or vocational nature may apply as credit toward degrees in the College of Arts and Sciences. The College of Arts and Sciences allows the use of the Pass-Fail option on elective courses. Further clarification on inapplicable courses can be obtained from the College of Arts and Sciences.
9. CPLT 499 can be combined with another research project (such as Honor’s Thesis or Magellan Scholar project), if approved by the CPLT Undergraduate Advisor. While CPLT 499 is optional, students should be aware that CPLT 499 also counts towards Graduation with Leadership Distinction in Research.

Program Notes:
- ENGL 101 and ENGL 102 must be completed in the student’s first 60 semester hours of work in order for these courses to be credited toward graduation. Students must complete first foreign language courses in a timely manner in order to meet language proficiency requirements for the foreign language literature courses.
- All undergraduate students must take a 3-credit course or its equivalent with a passing grade that covers the founding documents. This course may fulfill any requirement in the program of study. Courses that meet this requirement are listed in the academic bulletin.
- The last 30 credit hours toward your degree must be earned in residence at the University of South Carolina-Columbia.

University Requirements: Bachelor’s degree-seeking students must meet Carolina Core (general education) requirements. For more information regarding these requirements, please visit the Carolina Core page on the University website.

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