Linguistics Program

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Linguistics Program (http://www.wcupa.edu/linguistics)
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The minor in linguistics is an interdisciplinary program offered by the departments of Communication Sciences and Disorders (http://catalog.wcupa.edu/undergraduate/health-sciences/communication-sciences-disorders), Communication Studies (http://catalog.wcupa.edu/undergraduate/arts-humanities/communication-studies), Computer Science (http://catalog.wcupa.edu/undergraduate/sciences-mathematics/computer-science), English (http://catalog.wcupa.edu/undergraduate/arts-humanities/english), Languages and Cultures (http://catalog.wcupa.edu/undergraduate/arts-humanities/languages-cultures), and Philosophy (http://catalog.wcupa.edu/undergraduate/arts-humanities/philosophy). Its purpose is to provide the student with a foundation in the analysis of the various aspects of language. Students wishing to enter the program must consult the program coordinator. To receive credit for the minor in linguistics, a student must complete 18 credits of course work. The program coordinator must approve all courses.

Programs

Minor in Linguistics

- Linguistics (http://catalog.wcupa.edu/undergraduate/arts-humanities/linguistics-minor)

Policies

- See undergraduate admissions information. (http://catalog.wcupa.edu/general-information/admissions-enrollment/undergraduate-admissions)
- See academic policies. (http://catalog.wcupa.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures)

All undergraduate students are held to the academic policies and procedures outlined in the undergraduate catalog. Students are encouraged to review departmental handbooks for program tips, suggested course sequences, and explanations of procedures. When applicable, additional policies for specific department programs may be listed below.

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