Linguistics MA- Applied Program of Study  
*Effective August 2012*

39 total credit hours

This degree has a thesis and a non-thesis option.

*LING 1200 or equivalent is a prerequisite for courses on this list.*

**Required Courses:**  
LING 6011: Phonology I  
LING 6021: Syntax I  
LING 6810: L2 Methodology

**Language Acquisition- Select one of the following:**  
LING 6024 Child Language Acquisition  
LING 6025 Second Language Acquisition

**Methodology- Select two of the following:**  
LING 6812 Content-based Instruction  
LING 6816 Instructional Design & Curriculum Development  
LING 6818 L2 Test Design

**Specialization:**  
15 hrs of any specialization, must be LING courses above 6001

**Thesis/Non-Thesis Options:**  
Thesis: 6 hrs of LING 6970 Thesis Research  
Non-Thesis: Up to 6 hrs of Comprehensive Exam Preparation

*A grade of B or better is required of all courses.

**Language Requirement:**

**Recent Classroom Experience:** Student must take a beginning level (first or second year) classroom-based course with at least 30 classroom hours in a foreign language. This course must be taken no more than three years prior to admission to the MA program. The course need not be taken for credit.  

**Advanced Proficiency:** Advanced proficiency is defined as the equivalent of two full years or completion of a fourth-semester (or fifth-quarter) course in one foreign language or completion of a 3000-level (advanced) language course. Native speakers of languages other than English may count their native languages for this second foreign language requirement.

For more information, please see the Department of Linguistics Graduate Student Handbook.