Portuguese
Minor Worksheet

Name: ___________________________ UM ID: ___________________________

MINOR REQUIREMENTS

A minimum of 18 credits beyond Portuguese pre-requisite

Required Course:

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Taken concurrently or before 300/400-level courses.

An additional 15 credits:

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Optional Cognates

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PREREQUISITE COURSE

☐ Portuguese 232, 280, 415; or the equivalent

Cognates
- Cognate courses must be approved in advance by a Portuguese advisor in RLL.
- Students may petition to have up to three cognate courses from other units, taught in English, which have a Brazilian, Lusophone African, and/or Portuguese focus, to count for the minor.

Study Abroad Courses
- A pre-evaluation and final evaluation of study abroad courses are required. Make an appointment with a Portuguese faculty advisor on the RLL website.

Independent Studies
- An independent study course is designed by the student to investigate an area or field of specialization not normally covered in a regularly scheduled course offering by the department.
- Please review further information about pursuing a Portuguese independent study, including the proposal form, on the RLL website.

Residence Requirement
- At least nine of the eighteen credits for the minor must be considered “in-residence”: taken on UM campus or with a study abroad program affiliated with UM (CGIS).

Portuguese in the Romance Languages major:
- A Romance Languages major allows students to include more than one Romance language in a program of study.
- Students may pair Portuguese with French, Italian, or Spanish.
- For more information about the Romance Languages major, please visit the RLL website.

Credit Total
Portuguese Minor

Prerequisites for the Minor
- PORTUG 232, 280, or 415; or the equivalent.

Minor Requirements
- A minimum of 18 credits beyond PORTUG 232 (neither PORTUG 280 nor PORTUG 415 may be counted toward the 18 credits), including the following courses:
  - **Required Course**: PORTUG 287 Advanced Portuguese Conversation and Composition (this can be taken concurrently or before 300/400-level courses).
  - **Electives**: For the remaining part of the coursework, students must choose courses beyond Portuguese 287.

- **Cognate Courses**
  - Students pursuing the academic minor in Portuguese may petition to have up to 3 cognate courses (no more than 9 credits) from other units (for example, History, Afro-American and African Studies, as well as Latin American and Caribbean Studies), taught in English, which have a Brazilian, Lusophone African, and/or Portuguese focus to count for the academic minor. Cognate courses must be approved in advance by a Portuguese advisor in the department of Romance Languages & Literatures.

Residence Requirement
- At least nine of the eighteen credits for the minor must be considered “in-residence”: taken on UM campus or with a study abroad program affiliated with UM (CGIS).

Students who wish to pursue an academic minor are strongly encouraged to make a general advising appointment to discuss degree requirements/options and to develop a plan for degree completion. Appointments may be scheduled on the RLL website or by calling (734) 764-5344.

Information about Portuguese programs in the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, as well as additional copies of the worksheet are available on the RLL website: [http://www.lsa.umich.edu/rll/](http://www.lsa.umich.edu/rll/).