INTRODUCTION TO SPANISH LINGUISTICS

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SPANISH 298
WHAT IS SPANISH 298 ABOUT?

• It’s a course taught in Spanish that covers the main areas of linguistic analysis, starting with:

1. Introduction to Language Acquisition
WHAT IS SPANISH 298 ABOUT?

• The main areas of linguistic analysis are:

• **Morphology**

![Diagram showing fusion of words in Spanish]

El hombre habló con la mujer.

Speak-INDIC.PAST.PERF.3rd.Sg

"The man spoke with the woman."
WHAT IS SPANISH 298 ABOUT?

- The main areas of linguistic analysis are:

2. Syntax

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[SNJuan] [SVplantaba [SNlos árboles] [SPrep en [SNel jardín]]].
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Diagram:
- [SN Juan]
- [SV plantaba]
- [SN los árboles]
- [SPrep en]
- [SN el jardín]
WHAT IS SPANISH 298 ABOUT?

- The main areas of linguistic analysis are:

3. Pragmatics
What is Spanish 298 about?

- The main areas of linguistic analysis are:

4. Phonology/Phonetics

1. [thakho]
2. [tako]
3. [phoder]
4. [poder]
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• The main areas of linguistic analysis are:

5. Historical Linguistics
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- The main areas of linguistic analysis are:

6. Second Language Acquisition
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• Main areas of linguistic analysis:

  1. Morphology
  2. Syntax
  3. Pragmatics
  4. Phonology/Phonetics
  5. Historical Linguistics
  6. Second Language Acquisition
HOW IS YOUR GRADE CALCULATED?

- Exams (2): 40%
- Homeworks/Quizzes: 32%
- Para Pensar: 9%
- Attendance/Participation: 10%
- Research Summary: 5%
- Piazza: 4%
WHO CAN BENEFIT FROM SP298 THIS SUMMER?
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• All of you!
SP298 IS ALSO A MAJOR GATEWAY TO WORK IN THE SPEECH PRODUCTION LAB (SPL)!
WHAT IS THE SCHEDULE FOR SPANISH 298 THIS SUMMER?

• **Tuesdays** and **Thursdays** 1 pm - 4 pm in person or via ZOOM (if you have any questions about this, please email me at lgarciaa@umich.edu)

• Starts **6/30/22** and ends **8/16/22**
QUESTIONS?

(if you have any questions, please email me at lgarciaa@umich.edu)
• My name is Lorenzo García-Amaya and I will be the instructor of Spanish 298 this summer.

• I am faculty member in the Department of Romance Languages & Literatures and also the co-director of the Speech Production Lab, here at the University of Michigan. 

• I look forward to seeing you in Spanish 298 this summer 2022! Thanks for your attention! :)
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