

GERMAN COURSES FALL 2022

GRMN 313: GERMAN CONVERSATION

Sarah Koellner TR 9:25AM-10:40AM or 10:50AM-12:05PM

GA course designed to expand oral communication skills. Emphasis is on the development of listening comprehension and oral discourse, but some essays and grammar are also included.

GRMN 331: GERMAN FOR BUSINESS

Stephen Della Lana TR 12:15PM-1:30PM

German 331: German for International Business prepares students with the communication skills they need to both enter and be successful in the German Business World. Topics include the economic geography of the German-speaking world, writing a German resume, a cover letter, how to speak on the telephone, cultural tips on job hunting. Students will have a mock interview at the end of the semester in German to which they bring their German application portfolio. Guest speakers from SC German industry and current reports from German industry will show real life applications of the concepts learned.

GRMN 390: "BEHIND CRUMBLING WALLS: TALES OF LOVE, VIOLENCE, AND THE STASI."

Sarah Koellner TR 1:40PM-2:55PM

This special topic German culture and language course focuses on the cultural history of the GDR and West-Germany through the lens of the TV-Show *Deutschland 83* (2015) & *Deutschland 86* (2018).

GRMN 468: JUSTICE MATTERS! GERECHTIGKEIT IN GERMAN LITERATURE, THEATER, AND CULTURE

Morgan Koerner MW 3:25PM-5:55PM

This theater-oriented German culture course explores questions of social, racial, and environmental justice in examples from German literature, theater, art, philosophy, and culture from the German Enlightenment to 21st century Germany. Participants will approach the material through creative writing, acting, and directing assignments and use their creative responses to devise, rehearse, and perform a final public revue-style theater performance at the end of the semester. Course meets from 3:25-4:40 for the first 9-10 weeks but then from 3:25-5:55 for rehearsals in the last 5 week of the semester.

GRST 122: UNDERSTANDING GERMAN BUSINESS CULTURE

Ramona Montjoy MW 6:05PM-7:20PM

German Business is a global phenomenon with tremendous local significance in South Carolina, with more than 160 German companies in the state. This course introduces students to the cultural context of German business as it developed in the 20th through the 21st century and explores the differences between American and German business culture. Through film, literature, and historical texts, participants will understand and analyze the emergence of the German economy out of the rubble of World War II, Germany's role in industrialization and globalization, and post-reunification Germany's position as the economic powerhouse of the European Union. Course in English. Counts towards GenEd Humanities Requirement and German Studies Major and Minor..

GRST 221: THE AFRICAN DIASPORA IN GERMAN SPEAKING EUROPE

Nancy Nenno MW 2:00PM-3:15PM

This course examines the lives and writings of the Black/African Diaspora in German-speaking European countries (specifically Germany and Austria) and their perspectives on ethnicity, nationality, and identity. Readings and films focus on autobiographical encounters of colonized Africans, African Americans, Black Germans, and African migrants within German and European culture. All texts in English or with English subtitles/translations. Counts towards GenEd Humanities Credit.

BEGINNER AND INTERMEDIATE LANGUAGE SEQUENCE

15050 GRMN 101 1 MWF 2:00 pm - 2:50 pm TBA
13854 GRMN 101 2 MWF 10:00 am - 10:50 am Della Lana
14174 GRMN 101 3 MWF 12:00 pm - 12:50 pm TBA
13994 GRMN 101 4 MWF 11:00 am - 11:50 am Della Lana
14835 GRMN 101 7 MWF 1:00 pm - 1:50 pm Della Lana
14452 GRMN 102 1 MWF 11:00 am - 11:50 am Robert Kohn

13137 GRMN 102 2 MWF 10:00 am - 10:50 am Robert Kohn
13139 GRMN 201 1 MWF 10:00 am - 10:50 am TBA
13139 GRMN 201 2 MWF 11:00 am - 11:50 am TBA
13140 GRMN 201 3 MWF 1:00 pm - 1:50 pm Morgan Koerner
13141 GRMN 202 1 MWF 11:00 am - 11:50 am Nancy Nenno
13142 GRMN 202 2 MWF 12:00 pm - 12:50 pm Nancy Nenno