# **TESOL MINOR (NON-LICENSURE)**

## TEACHING ENGLISH TO SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES

This TESOL program provides students with the professional knowledge and skills necessary to teach English to speakers of other languages in the United States or abroad. The program offers three tracks to accommodate students with differing educational needs:

- 1. a TESOL licensure minor;
- 2. a TESOL minor (non-licensure), and
- 3. a TESOL certificate (non-licensure).

## **PREREQUISITES**

#### World Languages Requirement:

Completion of a minimum of a one-semester college-level world language course or its equivalent.

#### **English Language Requirement:**

A grade of "C" or higher in ENGLISH 1230.

## TESOL MINOR (NON-LICENSURE)

The TESOL minor is designed for students who are interested in teaching English as a second or world language or pursuing a higher degree in TESOL, linguistics, applied linguistics or a related field.

| Course  | Title  | Credits |
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| Required Courses  |  |         |
| ENGLISH 2210  | Introduction to Linguistics                        | 3       |
| ENGLISH 3250  | Sociolinguistics                                   | 3       |
| or ENGLISH 3260   | Language and Culture                               |         |
| ENGLISH 3610  | Second Language Acquisition                        | 3       |
| ENGLISH 4670  | Methods of Teaching English as a Second Language   | 3       |
| ENGLISH 4740  | Practicum in Teaching English as a Second Language | 3       |
| Elective Course   |  |         |
| Select one course from one area be                                      | low:   | 3       |
| Humanities:   |  |         |
| ENGLISH/ETHNSTDY 2950   | Intro to Multi-Ethnic American Literature          |         |
| ENGLISH 3250  | Sociolinguistics                                   |         |
| ENGLISH 3260  | Language and Culture                               |         |
| Upper-division literature or civilization courses in any world language |  |         |
| Ethnic Studies:   |  |         |
| ETHNSTDY/ENGLISH 2950   | Intro to Multi-Ethnic American Literature          |         |
| ETHNSTDY/ENGLISH 3730   | African-American Literature                        |         |
| ETHNSTDY/HISTORY 3010   | Race, Gender, and United States Labor History      |         |
| Global Studies:   |  |         |
| POLISCI 2360  | International Relations                            |         |
| POLISCI 3720  | Politics of the Global Economy                     |         |
| Total Credits   |  | 18      |

<sup>1</sup> Completion of this minor does not lead to licensure. Please contact the School of Education (https://catalog.uwplatt.edu/undergraduate/liberal-arts-education/) with further questions.