The signature of our department is its ability to put into play the singularity of literary and linguistic experiences in relation to politics and philosophy. By rethinking conventional historical, cultural and language boundaries across disciplines, our undergraduate and graduate programs critically engage different archives across the Americas, the Latina/o United States, the Luso-Brazilian world, and Spain in its Iberian and transatlantic contexts. Our intellectual agenda involves diverse forms of community and civic engagement. With a hemispheric and international perspective, our program fosters both critical and creative work. Our graduates are prepared for diverse career tracks in education, business, government, law, medicine, the arts, and social work.

**Programs**

**Major**
- Spanish Language, Literatures, and Culture Major (https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/undergraduate/colleges-schools/arts-humanities/languages-literatures-cultures/spanish-language-literatures-culture/spanish-language-literatures-culture-major/)

**Minors**
- Spanish Minor 1: Literature, Linguistics, and Culture (https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/undergraduate/colleges-schools/arts-humanities/languages-literatures-cultures/spanish-language-literatures-culture/spanish-literature-linguistics-culture-minor/)
- Spanish Minor 2: Language, Culture, and Professional Contexts (https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/undergraduate/colleges-schools/arts-humanities/languages-literatures-cultures/spanish-language-literatures-culture/spanish-language-culture-professional-minor/)
- Spanish Minor 3: Heritage Language and Latina/o Culture (https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/undergraduate/colleges-schools/arts-humanities/languages-literatures-cultures/spanish-language-literatures-culture/spanish-heritage-language-latino-culture-minor/)

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**Opportunities**

**Undergraduate Research Experiences**

The School of Languages, Literatures, and Cultures has implemented an Annual SLLC Undergraduate Research Forum which allows its outstanding juniors and/or seniors to display their research projects. The forum takes place in late April in the Language House (St. Mary’s).