HONOURS BA FRENCH-ENGLISH TRANSLATION (TWO YEARS)

Please note that the Honours BA in French-English Translation (2yr program) is suspended until further notice.

Did you know that millions of words are translated in Ottawa every week? That is why the region's many employers are eager to host our trainees and hire our graduates. The School of Translation and Interpretation and its teaching staff are internationally recognized for excellence in both training and research. The curriculum includes practical and theoretical seminars and courses in writing, editing, terminology and computer-assisted translation, thus providing you with comprehensive professional training in general, specialized and technical translation. The Honours BA includes the co-operative education option, which combines academic studies with paid experience in the workplace. With a degree from the School, you readily qualify for many well-paid positions, because you easily fulfill the demands of the language industry and of associations of professional translators.

The School also offers an introductory course in interpretation, as well as translation courses into and out of Spanish, which aim to meet some of the needs generated by the globalization of business. In fact, you can graduate with a diploma as a trilingual translator. From 2017, the School will also include courses in Chinese-English translation. Honours students are encouraged to take advantage of the opportunity of studying abroad for a year.

The minor in translation (which must be combined with another program of study) introduces you to professional translation into your dominant language.

Finally, students who already hold a university degree have the option of taking a two-year accelerated Honours BA program, which provides them with an invaluable professional degree.

Courses in this program are taught in English and in French.

Program Requirements

Program intended for students who already hold a university degree.

Requirements for this program have been modified. Please consult the 2015-2016 calendars (http://www.uottawa.ca/academic/info/regist/1516/calendars/) for the previous requirement.

TRA 2110	General Translation from French into English (L1) I	3 Units
TRA 2112	General Translation from French Into English (L1) II	3 Units
TRA 2722	Traduction générale de l'anglais vers le français (L2) I	3 Units
TRA 3112	Specialized Translation from French into English (L1) I	3 Units
TRA 3114	General Translation from French into English (L1) III	3 Units
TRA 3133	Technical Translation from French into English (L1) I	3 Units
TRA 3155	Introduction to Terminology and Terminotics	3 Units

TRA 3190	Comparative Stylistics	3 Units
TRA 3313	Writing Techniques for Translators and Professional Writers I	3 Units
TRA 3956	Translation Technologies	3 Units
TRA 4110	Specialized Translation from French into English (L1) II	3 Units
TRA 4133	Technical Translation from French into English (L1) II	3 Units
TRA 4313	Writing Techniques for Translators and Professional Writers II	3 Units
TRA 4975	Introduction to the Theory of Translation	3 Units
3 course units from:		3 Units
TRA 4112	In-House Practicum	
TRA 4136	External Practicum	
15 optional course units from the list of optional courses		15 Units
Total:		60 Units

List of Optional Courses

LIN 1340	Language in Society	3 Units
LIN 2360	Bilingualism	3 Units
TRA 2313	Problems in English (L1) for Translators I	3 Units
TRA 2314	Problems in English (L1) for Translators II	3 Units
TRA 2788	Problèmes de français (L2) dans l'optique de la traduction l	3 Units
TRA 2789	Problèmes de français (L2) dans l'optique de la traduction II	3 Units
TRA 2988	Documentation and Lexicology	3 Units
TRA 3711	Traduction générale de l'anglais vers le français (L2) II	3 Units
TRA 4101	General Translation from Spanish into English I	3 Units
TRA 4102	Translation from English to Spanish	3 Units
TRA 4315	Post-Editing and Technical Writing for Translators	3 Units
TRA 4360	Special Topics	3 Units
TRA 4501	Traduction générale de l'espagnol vers le français l	3 Units
TRA 4502	Traduction du français vers l'espagnol	3 Units
TRA 4931	Translation and Literature	3 Units
TRA 4932	Introduction to Subtitling	3 Units
TRA 4936	Specialized Professional Training	3 Units
TRA 4937	Professional Aspects of Translation	3 Units
TRA 4950	Special Topics	3 Units
TRA 4957	Applied Translation Technologies	3 Units
TRA 4966	Introduction to Interpreting	3 Units