

## Intermediate Spanish Sequence TCSU SPAN SEQ B

### A. Description

Any combination of a course or courses that cover the material of Intermediate Spanish I & II combined.

### B. Prerequisites

2<sup>nd</sup> semester Elementary Spanish or equivalent

### C. Minimum Unit Requirement

8 semester units

### D. Course Topics

1. Spanish language in context
2. Communication strategies and techniques appropriate for casual conversation and discussion of abstractions
3. Cultural norms, values, and culturally relevant appropriate customs and events
4. Speaking, listening, reading, and writing skills
5. Analysis of linguistic structures, including cross-cultural comparisons
6. Advancing linguistic skills: vocabulary, grammar, culturally appropriate language
7. Culture in Spanish-speaking societies: cross-cultural perspectives
8. Politics in the Spanish-speaking world
9. Past, present, future, subjunctive tenses
10. Listening, speaking, and writing practice:
  - a. Written communication skills: literary analysis, expository writing, narrative forms
  - b. Oral communication skills: self-expression, in-class oral participation
  - c. Listening skills: understanding others

### E. CAN Equivalent

CAN SPAN SEQ B (Equivalency ends Fall 2009)