

# WORLD LANGUAGES AND CULTURES

In an increasingly globalized world, language skills and cultural understanding are critical. Studying world languages and cultures enhances career opportunities by offering an edge in competitive job markets.

## DEGREE OPTIONS

Bachelor of Arts — Languages and Literatures:  
International Studies emphasis —  
able to combine with a language major or minor

Bachelor of Arts — Languages and Literatures:  
Classical Languages and Cultures

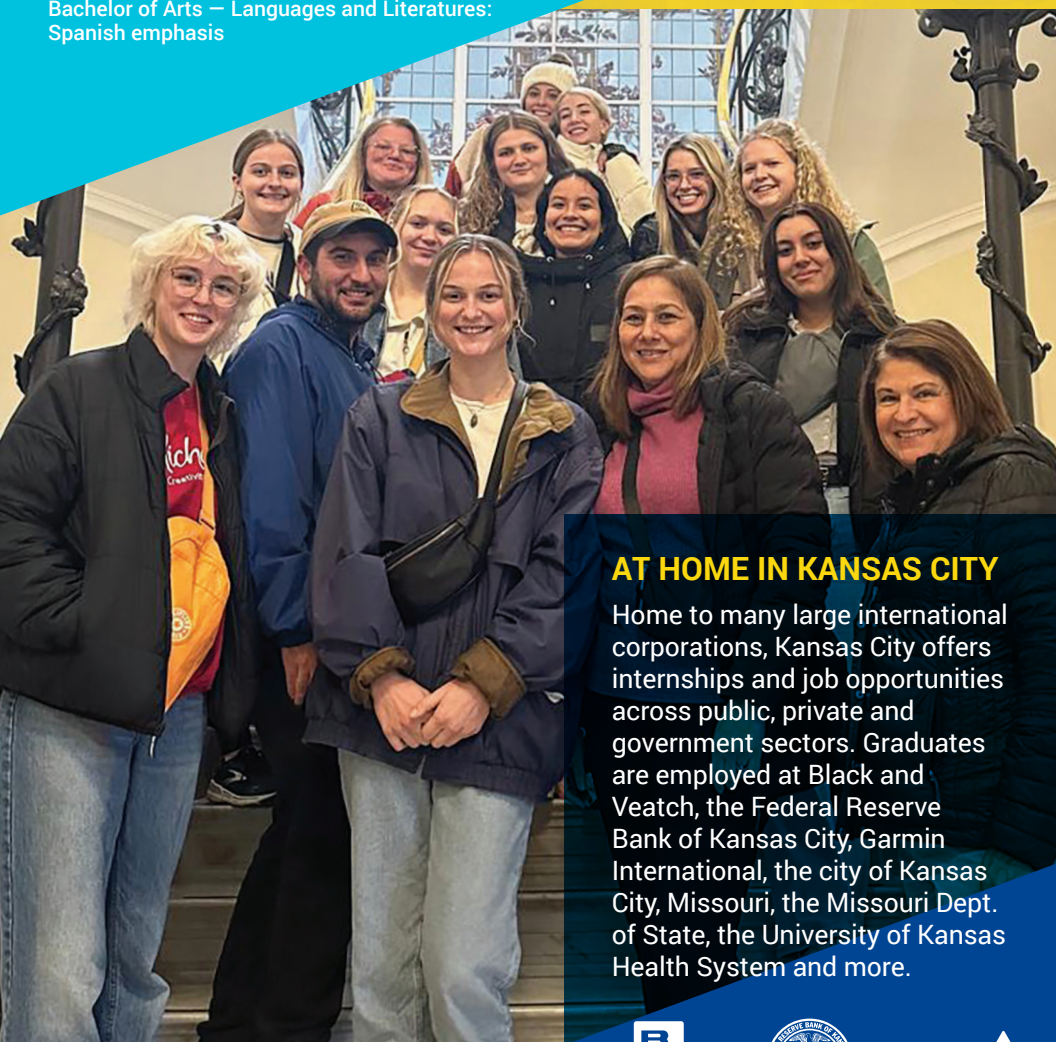
Bachelor of Arts — Language and Literatures:  
French emphasis

Bachelor of Arts — Languages and Literatures:  
Spanish emphasis

Spanish Minor

French Minor

German Studies Minor



## AT HOME IN KANSAS CITY

Home to many large international corporations, Kansas City offers internships and job opportunities across public, private and government sectors. Graduates are employed at Black and Veatch, the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, Garmin International, the city of Kansas City, Missouri, the Missouri Dept. of State, the University of Kansas Health System and more.



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## ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT

The UMKC World Languages and Cultures Department offers academic and career advising tailored to individual needs with small classes, innovative teaching and nationally and internationally known faculty.

Our faculty are recognized experts on the cultures of Latin America, Spain, France and Francophonie member nations. Their research ranges from gender and Holocaust studies to science fiction and graphic novels.

## GET INVOLVED

Students in this department are involved in many student and professional organizations, including the UMKC Global Languages Club. Each year, students work with the Office of Multicultural Student Affairs and others to organize lectures, music, poetry readings and cultural events on campus. In addition, students can work with local organizations through the Mellon Internship program!

## STUDY ABROAD

Explore the world, practice your foreign language skills and earn college credit through faculty-led summer study abroad programs in Lyon, France; Malaga, Spain and Buenos Aires, Argentina.

UMKC's Study Abroad and Global Engagement Office also offers hundreds of programs in more than 60 countries to spend the semester, or even a year abroad. Worried about cost? The World Languages and Cultures Department has several scholarship opportunities to help make your study abroad dreams a reality!



**APPLY TODAY!**

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