

School of Modern Languages and Applied Linguistics

WHAT SUBJECTS DO YOU OFFER?

The School of Modern Languages and Applied Linguistics (MLAL) at the University of Limerick brings together the core subjects of:

FRENCH	GERMAN	JAPANESE		
LINGUISTICS & TESOL*	DIGITAL CULTURE & COMMUNICATIONS	SPANISH		

^{*} Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

WHICH COURSES DO YOU RUN?

The School of Modern Languages and Applied Linguistics flagship course is **LM044 BA in Applied Languages**

Our subjects can be found on a variety of other undergraduate courses in UL, including **LM040 European Studies**; **LM002 Bachelor of Arts**, LM056 International Business, LM029 Law Plus, LM050 Business Studies, LM091 Education in Languages. Our subjects can often be taken in conjunction with Irish.

✓ Can I get any additional help with language learning?

The Language Learning Hub is a free service for UL students. It offers support for language learning and access to language learning material in many languages.

✓ Can I take an extra language on top of my own course?

Of course! You can take any of our language modules extra to your own modules; you will just need to apply during week 1 of semester.

✓ Will I get the opportunity to go abroad during my studies?

All of our courses include a semester abroad, and a semester doing work experience.

Why study languages in UL?

- Excellent facilities and support services:
- Great opportunities to study and work abroad during your undergraduate studies;
- Vibrant and welcoming place to study languages with enthusiastic teaching staff;
- Fantastic job prospects for language graduates.

What our students say:

- My favourite things about studying languages in UL? The Language Learning Hub facilities, opportunities to meet and get to know native speakers and the Erasmus options!"
- **&** "Why UL? The quality of education in languages is very high, lecturers are very friendly and the campus is amazing."

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WHICH COURSES CAN I STUDY YOUR SUBJECTS IN?*

Programme	No. of languages studied:	French (Adv.)	German (Beg.)	German (Adv.)	Spanish (Beg.)	Spanish (Adv.)	Japanese (Beg.)	TESOL	Linguistics	Digital Culture & Comm
LM040 BA in European Studies	1 or 2	V	✓	✓	>	✓	>	√	No	European Literature & Film
LM044 EA in Applied Languages	2 or 3 (one at advanced level)	√	√	√	✓	√	✓	√	√	✓
LM002 Bachelor of Arts	0 to 3	V	✓	✓	√	√	No	√	√	✓
LM039 BA in Journalism & New Media	0 to 2	V	√	√	√	√	√	No	No	✓
LM029	0 to 2	V	No	✓	√	√	✓	√	✓	✓
LM050 Business Studies	1	V	No	√	√	√	✓	No	No	No
LM056 International Business	0 to 1	V	No	√	√	√	✓	No	No	No
LM091 Bachelor of Education in Languages	2 (one at advanced level)	V	√	✓	√	✓	√	No	No	No

^{*}These options are subject to change by the University of Limerick

WHAT CAREERS WILL BE AVAILABLE TO ME IF I STUDY LANGUAGES?

Language graduates get good jobs as, by studying a language, you acquire a whole range of skills that can be applied to a great variety of professions.

In particular, you will have very good communication skills, which are highly valued by employers. Learning a language gives you another way of looking at, analysing and interpreting the world, so you are automatically more attractive to potential employers.

As a result, language graduates can choose from a variety of careers and professions, for example (non-exhaustive list):

- Teaching (not just second-level, but also professional language training);
- Tourism;
- International Business (Marketing, Finance, Personnel);
- Translating, Localising and Interpreting; #the media and information industry;
- Public service;
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