**NATIONAL FRENCH WEEK**

**November**

**Virtual Museum Treasure Hunt all week long**
Students can access the link to a treasure hunt that explores several virtual museums. Prizes will go to students who complete the activity!

**Visages, Villages all week long until Thursday!**
Watch the film *Visages, Villages (Faces, Places - available on Kanopy)* by Thursday at 6pm to be able to participate in the Kahoot competition!

**Monday, November 2, 7pm Portrait Discussion**
French faculty will briefly present their favorite French or Francophone portrait. Students are invited to bring their favorite French or Francophone portrait. They should be ready to say the title of the work, the artist, and why they like it.

**Thursday, November 5, 6-6:20: Visages, Villages (Faces, Places)**
Note: You should watch the film *Visages, Villages (Faces, Places - available on Kanopy)* before attending this event. Students will participate in an interactive quiz (ex. Kahoot) about the film *Visages, Villages (Faces, Places)*. Prizes will go to the top contenders!

**Sunday, November 8: French Mass**
Students will have the opportunity to watch a French mass online (TBD: Notre Dame à Québec, Lourdes, Amiens...)

All events are free and open to the public.

**POETRY RECITATION CONTEST**

The Poetry Recitation Contest will be held on Wednesday, October 28, 2020 at 5.00 via Zoom. Eligible students are those currently enrolled in any foreign language levels 103 and up. Choose your favorite poem by a modern foreign language poet and then recite it in a comfortable setting for a chance to win a special prize. If you would like to participate, contact your language professor for more information or contact Dr. Paul Oorts for more information.

**CAREER NIGHT**

Thinking about going further with your foreign language? Curious about how foreign languages are useful in the work force? Learn about a variety of career options for foreign language learners from a panel of experts. The event will take place on Monday, October 12, 2020 at 7.00 via Zoom. For more information, contact Ms. Sarah Tyler or Ms. Catherine Savell.

**ITALIAN CLUB**

**Italian Rap Music and Diversity Forum: Race, Culture, and Immigration.** The event will be held on Thursday, October 29th at 6pm EST via Zoom. The link is here: [https://loyola.zoom.us/j/9500669354](https://loyola.zoom.us/j/9500669354). This Italian music event will be a presentation featuring several modern Italian rappers. We will watch their music videos and discuss the meaning behind the songs. The songs encompass various topics such as race, culture, and immigration.
HOW DOES IT WORK?

Make a video of yourself doing your talent in French, and then send it to us (under 2 minutes, please). Your French professors will put the video on display. Winners will receive prizes, and all are invited to a Zoom celebration to see your talented peers perform.

Suggestions for talents:
+ Play a French song on your guitar (e.g., écoutez-moi)
+ Sing
+ Make up your own French song or poem
+ Act out a scene, tell a French story, do a magic trick
+ Copy a French painting
+ Make a French dessert
+ Other creative ideas welcome

WHERE DO I SEND MY VIDEO?

Send your video by Thursday, October 15 @ 5PM to Andrea Thomas at andrea.mendel@ucdavis.edu

QUESTIONS?

Ask your French prof

FRENCH STUDENTS GOT TALENT!

CONCOURS DE TALENTS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22 @ 7PM

"Le talent, ça n'existe pas. Le talent, c'est d'avoir envie de faire quelque chose." – Jacques Brel
PO 204 – PORTUGUESE FOR SPEAKERS OF SPANISH

*Counts toward the Latin American and Latino Studies Minor*

M, W 3:00-4:15 pm
Spring Semester

Prerequisite: Spanish 104

Bolhão Market - Oporto

Covers the basics of Portuguese grammar and pronunciation as well as cultural aspects of Lusophone countries.

For Spanish majors and minors, as well as heritage and native speakers of Spanish who desire competency in Portuguese.

Cristo Redentor- Rio de Janeiro

For more information, contact Dr. Margarita Jácome at mjacome@loyola.edu
The Department of Modern Languages and Literatures at Loyola University Maryland invites you to compete in the POETRY RECITATION CONTEST of 2020 - 2021. A VIRTUAL GATHERING

DATE: Wednesday October 28
START TIME: 5:00 pm
PLACE: Join on Zoom via loyalty.zoom.us/my/douglasglynn

Do you study a FOREIGN LANGUAGE? Do you crave the ACCLAIM of your peers and your professors? Do you want to win a PRIZE? If so, this contest is for YOU!*

Interested? Participant CHECKLIST:

1. CHOOSE a poem with your professor’s input in a modern language taught at Loyola (Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Portuguese, Spanish).

2. MEMORIZE your poem. Work with your professor to master it!

3. SUBMIT this form (forms.gle/KBj7JfEpNvwuUadU9) by Friday, October 17

4. INTRODUCE your poem (why this work?) to your viewers.

5. RECITE or SING your poem in the contest – Feel free to get creative!

*Eligible participants include students currently enrolled in any foreign language, levels 103 and up.
**Chinese Minor**

Fun and rewarding! The Department of Modern Languages and Literatures is very pleased to announce the newly launched Chinese minor. This program provides extraordinary learning opportunities for members of the Loyola community who are interested in doing business, exchanging information, exploring history and economy, and/or building resumes in Chinese-speaking regions. We focus on improving proficiency in Chinese language and introducing Chinese literature and culture to prepare for leadership in today’s increasingly multilingual and globalizing world.

Currently, students taking the Chinese minor have the following options to complete the six course requirement (18 credits):

1. Two 200-level or 300-level CI courses;
2. Two 300-level CI courses;
3. One 200-level CI course, one 300-level CI course OR
   One 200/300/400-level ML course;
4. One China-related ML course

For help in planning your Chinese minor coursework and for more information, please consult with Dr. Yu Zhang (yzhang1@loyola.edu).

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**Chinese Club Fall 2020**

**Wednesday, September 16** – Studying Chinese at Loyola Introductions, 3.00
**Wednesday, September 30** – Mid-Autumn Festival Celebration, 3.00
**Wednesday, October 14** – American Pilot in Yunnan Mini-Documentary and Discussion, 3.00
**Wednesday, October 28** – Ukrainian Cook in Nanjing Mini-Documentary and Discussion, 3.00
**Wednesday, November 11** – Russian Skier in Xinjiang Mini-Documentary and Discussion, 3.00
**Wednesday, December 2** – Polish Fitness Coach in Qingdao Mini-Documentary and Discussion, 3.00

All events are virtual via Zoom. For more information, contact thevans@loyola.edu or Dr. Jinghua Wangling.

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**Italian Studies Minor**

**Six Courses:**
- **Three** Italian 201 or above
- **Three** other courses related to Italy and Italians from at least two different departments. For a listing of accepted courses and relevant details, see [Italian Minor website](www.loyola.edu/academics/modernlanguages/curriculum/minors/italian.html).

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**French Club:**

**Virtual tour of Musée d'Orsay:** Tuesday, September 29, 5:30-6:30pm.
**Jeu de Culture Français Générale (Trivia):** Saturday, October 10, 7-8pm.
**Petite Sauterie Virtuelle (Virtual Get-Together) with Cheese and Wine (for those 21+):** Wednesday, October 21, 5-6:30pm.
**Cours de Cuisine Virtuel (Virtual Cooking Class):** Saturday, November 14, 5-6:30 pm
COMPARATIVE CULTURES & LITERARY STUDIES

WHAT?
A Loyola major or minor

WHY?
To be able to meet and understand interesting people from around the world

NICELY COMPLEMENTS VARIOUS PROGRAMS:
- African and African-American Studies
- Asian Studies
- Chinese
- Italian Studies
- French
- German Studies
- Latin American and Latino Studies
- Spanish

OTHER COURSES AVAILABLE:
- Arabic
- English (ML courses)
- Portuguese

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Latin American and Latino Studies
Area Studies Minor

Course Offerings for
Spring 2021

Learn about the wonders of Latin America and the Caribbean next semester!!!!!

FR333 Caribbean Identities in Movement
HS108D Making of the Modern World: Latin America
HS485 Oral History and Philanthropy in the Americas
PO204 Portuguese for Speakers of Spanish
SN104 Intermediate Spanish II
SN201 Spanish Composition and Conversation
SN203D Introduction to Reading Literature
SN304D Contemporary Central America
SN329D Spanish in the United States
SN368 Travelers & Migrants in Colombian Literature
SN369 Novo-Hispanic Perspectives
TH250 World Christianity

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LALS
LOYOLA UNIVERSITY MARYLAND
Arabic Club (Arabyola) events Fall 20

Arabic club (Arabyola) Movie Screening
Monday, October 19 from 7:00pm-8:00pm

Arabic documentary “Peace by Chocolate سلام بالشوكولات

Peace by Chocolate is a real story of new beginnings. A Syrian family came as refugees to Canada in early 2016. With local support, they've started a chocolate company. They run their chocolate business into a symbol for international peace and hope.

Contact: Dr. Inas Hassan for more information and the Zoom link.

Islamic Geometric Pattern and Arabesque workshop!
Wednesday, November 11 from 3:00pm-4:00pm

Students will watch a short tutorial about Islamic Geometric and Arabesque Design, and then will proceed to make their own design! We will vote for the best design and mail a gift to the winners.

Students may use the following materials in order to complete this task:
-Coloring Materials (Colored Pencils, Markers, etc.)
-Ruler
-Protractor or compass.

Contact: Dr. Inas Hassan for more information and the Zoom link.

Virtual visit to Dr. Hassan home library!
Wednesday, December 2 from 4:00 pm -5:00 pm

What types of books does Dr. Hassan have in her home library? What are her favorite books? What are her tips to start building your home library?

Contact: Dr. Inas Hassan for more information and the Zoom link.

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**STUDY ABROAD INFORMATION**

**Chinese:** Study abroad program in **Beijing** to study language, culture and business for fall, spring, or year long. Call **Dr. Jinghua Wangling** at x2795 for information.

**French:** The program in **Montpellier** is for a semester or a year. Cost is Loyola’s tuition; scholarships and financial aid may apply. There is also a **short Immersion Program in Montpellier** from May to June which will count for 3 credits. The cost is approximately $4,100 (3 credits, tuition, family stay, two meals a day, excursions, three days in Paris) plus airfare. Contact **Ms. Catherine Savell** or at x2927 for information.

Loyola also has a study abroad program in **Lyon, France**, located near the Swiss border halfway between Paris and the French Riviera. This program will enable students to take business courses and some Humanities courses with French and international students in an international environment. Lectures taught almost exclusively in English by native speakers with strong academic backgrounds and industry experience. All Loyola students are required to take one French course. Students will live in dormitories near their school or downtown Lyon. For more information, contact **Dr. André Colombat** or at x2910.

**German:** Berlin is an affiliate program that sends students to the Freie Universität Berlin. Students will study at the Berlin European Studies Program at the University. Students can study for fall or spring. Prior knowledge of German not required, but students with prior German language must take two German language courses. For more information, contact International Programs at x2034.

**Italian:** Loyola has a semester program in **Rome** that offers language courses together with courses taught in English at John Cabot University; for introductory information, please see the Study Abroad webpage. There is also a one-month summer program in Rome for IT103 or IT104 or another core course that varies with the accompanying faculty member. Contact Dr. André Colombat at x2910, or in 2018-2019, Dr. Sara Scalenghe at x2017, for more information. Dr. Thomas McCreight at x2839 or Dr. André Colombat at x2910 for more information.

**Japanese:** Exchange program with Kansai Gaidai University in **Hirakata City**. Study for a year or a semester. Contact International Programs at x5050 for more information.

**Spanish:** The **Buenos Aires** program runs from February to July and then June to November for all majors. Scholarships are transferrable. Contact Dr. Margarita Jácome at x2364 for information. There is also a program for Spanish majors and minors in **Madrid (Alcalá), Spain** for the fall or spring semester. Contact Dr. Ramón Espejo-Saavedra at x2610 for more information. For information on programs in Chile and El Salvador, contact Dr. Margarita Jácome at x2364. Loyola also offers a summer program in **Granada, Spain.** Contact Maria Ruiz Rosique about this fun and exciting program.