# Chinese Language, Minor

The Chinese Language minor is designed for majors in any field who wish to demonstrate in-depth knowledge of Chinese language, culture and society. The minor in Chinese Language is to equip students with a foundation in Chinese language and culture necessary to successfully interact with Chinese people. A minor in Chinese language should open doors to a variety of career options, for example, working in a position where Chinese language skills and cultural/business knowledge are desirable, teaching at a school or working for a multinational company, or pursuing advanced studies in Chinese, Asian studies, international relations, or related disciplines. Study abroad is strongly encouraged both for language acquisition and the attainment of cultural competency.

#### **Matriculation Requirements**

Complete lower division Chinese courses [CHIN 1010 Beginning Chinese I LH, CHIN 1020 Beginning Chinese II LH, CHIN 2010 Intermediate Chinese I LH, and CHIN 202G Intermediate Chinese II HH GI] or attain a similar level of language mastery through other means. Native speakers begin at the upper division level.

### **Program Requirements**

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Total Credit Hours		18
Discipline Core Requirements		9
		Credits
CHIN 3050	Advanced Chinese	3
CHIN 4050	Chinese Language and Culture	3
CHIN 351G	Chinese Culture and Civilization GI	3
Elective Requirements		9 Credits
In addition to the 9 core requ	uirements, students must complete 9 hours of upper division electives from the following:	9
CHIN 3200	Business Chinese I (3)	
CHIN 4200	Business Chinese II (3)	
CHIN 4100	Translation and Interpretation (3)	
CHST 362G	Traditional Chinese History GI (3)	
CHST 363G	Modern Chinese History GI (3)	
CHST 373G	Classical Chinese Literature GI (3)	
CHST 375G	Modern Chinese Literature GI (3)	
CHST 416G	Chinese Culture and Film GI (3)	
CHIN 3100	Introduction to Classical Chinese (undefined)	
CHIN 3650	Modern Chinese Literature from 1900 (undefined)	
CHIN 3690	Modern China Through Film (undefined)	
CHIN 4060	Topics in Grammar Usage and Style (undefined)	
CHIN 412R	Chinese for the Professions (undefined)	
CHIN 4250	Newspaper Readings (undefined)	
CHIN 4300	Selected Readings in Classical Chinese (undefined)	
CHIN 4500	Advanced Writing in Chinese (3)	
CHIN 490R	Special Topics in Chinese Language and Literacy (3)	
CHST 3739	Selected Readings from Pre-Qin Writings (undefined)	
CHST 3650	China Transformations from 1949 (undefined)	

# **Graduation Requirements**

18 (9 credits for corses and 9 credits for elective courses).

#### **Graduation Plan**

This graduation plan is a sample plan and is intended to be a guide. Your specific plan may differ based on your Math and English placement and/ or transfer credits applied. You are encouraged to meet with an advisor and set up an individualized graduation plan in Wolverine Track (http://www.uvu.edu/wolverinetrack/).

First Year		
Semester 1		Credit Hours
CHIN 3050	Advanced Chinese	3
	Credit Hours	3
Semester 2		
CHIN 351G	Chinese Culture and Civilization GI	3
	Credit Hours	3
Second Year		
Semester 3		
CHIN 4050	Chinese Language and Culture	3
	Credit Hours	3
Semester 4		
CHIN Elective		3
	Credit Hours	3
Third Year		
Semester 5		
CHIN Elective		3
	Credit Hours	3
Semester 6		
CHIN Elective		3
	Credit Hours	3
	Total Credit Hours	18

## **Program Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Have a working knowledge of Chinese grammar, morphology, and vocabulary.
- 2. Attain a general knowledge and understanding of Chinese culture, society and history.
- 3. Understand major aspects of Chinese culture and civilization from pre-historic times to the present.
- 4. Have a basic familiarity with China's position in and influence on world politics and economy.
- 5. Demonstrate the ability to transcend the boundaries between national languages and disciplines by use of comparative and collaborative approaches to scholarship.
- 6. Have a good understanding of methods and strategies for maintaining and extending their abilities in Chinese after graduation.