#### THE UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT

# TEACHER CERTIFICATION PROGRAM FOR COLLEGE GRADUATES WORLD LANGUAGE EDUCATION (LATIN) GUIDELINES

Neag School of Education's Teacher Certification Program for College Graduates (TCPCG) in World Language Education is designed to prepare college graduates for certification as teachers of world language (grades 4-12). College graduates who have completed or anticipate completing an accredited bachelor degree program at this or another college or university may apply for admission to the TCPCG when their academic background includes completion of the following general education and subject area major requirements. Applicants must also apply to and be accepted by the Graduate School of the University of Connecticut to pursue a Master of Arts degree in Curriculum and Instruction. To earn the University of Connecticut's institutional recommendation to serve as a teacher, students must successfully complete the requirements for the Master of Arts degree in Curriculum and Instruction and Connecticut's subject knowledge testing requirements.

#### Plan of Study Requirements for World Language (Latin) Education Certification

- 1. A bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited institution.
- 2. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS:

General academic courses: Applicants must have 39 semester hours of coursework that meets five of six of the following areas: (1) English; (2) Natural Sciences; (3) Mathematics; (4) Social Studies; (5) Foreign Language; or (6) Fine Arts. Applicants must have a three semester hour U.S. History survey course.

### 3. SUBJECT AREA MAJOR REQUIREMENTS:

Complete a SUBJECT AREA MAJOR in LATIN (typically this consists of a minimum of thirty-six (36) credits in courses). A minimum of twenty-four (24) credits must be taken in Latin, with up to twelve (12) in related areas. Coursework must include: 1) culture and its practices and products; 2) literary and cultural texts and traditions; 3) cross-disciplinary concepts; and, 4) language proficiency.

It is strongly recommended that students complete a maximum number of courses in their major language, seize all opportunities to develop control of the spoken language, and pursue meaningful study abroad prior to admission. Candidates may be required to participate in remediation activities that may include communicating with native and nonnative target language speakers, additional study abroad, proficiency-based courses, and collaborating with instructors specifically on proficiency goals, and participation in target language club activities in the department of Modern and Classical Languages. There are no licensure examinations required for Latin.

## 4. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION AND SUBJECT AREA REQUIREMENTS:

### MASTER OF ARTS IN CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION

| Summer Session | EDCI 5060<br>EDCI 5065<br>EDCI 5070<br>EPSY 5108<br>EDCI 5085 | Social and Multicultural Foundations of Education (3)<br>Learning Theories (3)<br>Methods of Instruction and Evaluation (3)<br>Instruction for Students with Special Needs (3)<br>Subject Area Methods (3) |
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| Fall           | EDCI 5080<br>EDCI 5092<br>EDCI 5830<br>EDCI 5875<br>EPSY 5221 | Reading and Literacy in the Content Area (3) Internship/Practicum (3) Curriculum Laboratory: Advanced Clinical Practices (3) Multicultural Education (3) Wise Integration of Technology (1)                |
| Spring         | EDCI 5050<br>EDCI 5090  | Seminar I: Student Teaching Seminar (3)<br>Directed Student Teaching (9)   |

Total: 40 credits