

Program of Study 2017-2018: M.S. in SLP

Master of Science Degree in Speech-Language Pathology

Two-Year Program of Study

Sequence of Courses for Full-time Students with Regular Admission Status

(Effective for students entering Fall 2017 or any prior term by choice)

YEAR ONE

First Fall Semester

SECD 558 Neurogenic Dis. of Sp./Lang. (3)
SECD 528 Clinical/Diag. Methods (3)
SECD 566 Lang. Disorder/Assess. (3)
SECD 500 Research Methods (3)

First Spring Semester

SECD 530 Phonological Disorders (3)
SECD 559 Aphasia (3) Preq SECD 558
SECD 610 Seminar in Lang. Dis. (3) Preq 566
SECD 560 Stuttering-Diag./Mgmt. (3)
SECD 567, 568, 569, 571 Adv. Clin. Prac. (3)
Preq SECD 528

First Summer Term

SECD 555 Funct/Org Voice Dis.(3) Preq 558
SECD 599-03 Special Populations (3) Preq 558
SECD 567, 568, 569, 571 Adv. Clin. Prac. (3) Preq SECD 528

YEAR TWO

Second Fall Semester

SECD 584 Aug./Alt. Comm. (3)
SECD 583 Adv. Aural Rehabilitation (3)
SECD 667 Dysphagia (3) Preq 558, 559
SECD 567, 568, 569, 571 Adv. Clin. Prac. (3)
Preq SECD 528

Second Spring Semester

SECD 504 Sociolinguistics (3)
SECD 599-01 PRAXIS Prep (3)
SECD 567, 568, 569, 571 Adv. Clin. Prac. (3)
Preq SECD 528
SECD 601 Departmental Comprehensive
Examination (0)

Second Summer Term (if needed)

SECD 567, 568, 569, 571 Adv. Clin. Prac. (3) Preq SECD 528
SECD 601 Departmental Comprehensive Examination (0)

Prior to enrolling in any Advanced Clinical Practicum, students must complete a minimum of twenty-five documented clinical observation hours. In addition, a grade of "B" or better must be achieved in a disorder area and verification of standards having been met in each of the following courses: SECD 528, 530, 555, 559, 566, 560, 583, 584, 599-03, and 667 prior to enrolling in a related clinic. Only students with Regular Admission Status may enroll in clinic.

SECD 558, as a prerequisite to SECD 555, 559, 599-03, and 667, must be completed with a grade of "B" or better.

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Additional Undergraduate Pre-requisites for all Programs (above)

In addition to the graduate level pre-requisites cited next to courses above, the following graduate courses have undergraduate pre-requisites:

1. SECD 566 (Pre-req: Graduate or Undergraduate course in Language Development with a grade of "B" or better; Graduate or Undergraduate course in Language Disorders)
2. SECD 530 (Pre-req: Graduate or Undergraduate course in Phonetics with grade of "B" or better)
3. SECD 504 (Pre-req: Graduate or Undergraduate course in Language Development with a grade of "B" or better)
4. SECD 558, 559-03, 555 and 667 (Pre-req: Graduate or Undergraduate course in anatomy and physiology of the speech/hearing mechanism with a grade of "B" or better)
5. SECD 559-03 and 555 (Pre-req: Graduate or Undergraduate course in voice science with a grade of "B" or better)

The above curriculum presumes that students have had courses in the areas listed below at the undergraduate level, with a grade of **B** or better. If not, the courses must be taken prior to graduation.

Anat./Phys. Speech/Hearing Mech.*

Voice Science (Preq to Voice Disorders)

Phonetics

Speech and Language Development

Aural Rehabilitation

Articulation Disorders*

Introduction to Audiology*

***Note: Needed for ASHA Certification.**

In addition to the above requirements, students are expected to complete the courses listed below (minimum of 3 credits each) to meet **ASHA Certification Standard IV-A**. These courses are normally taken at the undergraduate level and may be completed with a grade of "C" or better.

Biological Sciences

Physical Sciences (Physics or Chemistry)

Statistics

Social/Behavioral Sciences