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SPAN 4350  Introduction to Spanish-English Translation.  Three semester hours.
Introduction to techniques for written and sight translation in a variety of text categories relating to nursing, advertising, commerce, education, and politics. Provides students with the tools to identify, analyze and resolve translation problems of short texts, while developing practical translation skills. Prerequisites: ENGL 1302 and SPAN 3300. (Crosslisted as TRAN 4350)

Justification:  This is not a new course, only a cross listing of a TRAN course as a SPAN course. The department wants the flexibility to allow Spanish majors to have this course count as an upper-division SPAN elective for Spanish BA majors.

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Learning outcomes:
After completing this course, students will be able to demonstrate:
- That they understand the difference between translating and interpreting
- A basic understanding of translation theory and some of concepts and terminology.
- A basic knowledge of the history of translation and the development of the profession.
- A basic ability to analyze simple Spanish source texts to ascertain problems and apply translation techniques.
- A basic knowledge of how research for terminology and content utilizing print and online resources and offer basic approaches to handle “untranslatable” expressions and concepts in Spanish.
- The ability to evaluate and critique simple translations and offer correction options.
- The ability to proofread short, basic target texts and edit for content, accuracy, style and format.
- The ability to fashion faithful Spanish –English translations from short, basic source texts in a variety of subject areas.