Bachelor of Arts in Spanish-English Translation

Speech Communication Courses
- Technical Communications
- English Grammar II
- The English Language: History & Linguistics
- Intercultural Communication

Mass Communication Courses
(choose 2)
- Teaching English as a Second Language
- Academic Writing
- Magazine Writing
- Newswriting

Spanish Courses
- Intro to Cultural & Communication Studies
- Intermediate Spanish I
- Intermediate Spanish II
- Composition & Conversation
- Commercial Spanish
- Intensive Composition & Conversation
- Upper Division SPAN Elective

Translation Studies Courses
- Fundamentals of Translation
- Spanish into English Translation
- English into Spanish Translation
- Other Translation Courses

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At Southern Nazarene University, we want that for you too. That is why we work hard to make sure our degrees are supported by some of the top curriculum available.

We hire highly-qualified faculty who not only know the ins and outs of the profession you seek, but who truly wish to see you succeed individually. And we make sure you leave SNU prepared for a great job in translation opportunities. That's why we can encourage you to not just dream, but to dream with confidence.

WITH INNOVATIVE LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES FROM HIGHLY QUALIFIED FACULTY

While studying at SNU, you will develop close relationships with professors who have an extensive list of real-world language experience. Not only do we have professors certified in multiple languages, they have years of language experience. Translation. Broadcasting. Voice overs. Experiences that have allowed them to travel worldwide. Puerto Rico. Costa Rica. Guatemala. One professor currently works as a language service provider while teaching at SNU. All this experience adds up to one thing—being able to provide you with more preparation for your post-college career goals.

And at SNU, we know learning happens outside the classroom too. That's why we offer many opportunities to expand your education and build your resume while earning college credit. Consider an internship in translation with Kansas City area school system or translating Bible study materials for local churches in Kansas. Enjoy an opportunity for service by working with organizations that assist Spanish-speaking populations
Abigail Carr is a SNU alumni with her BA in Spanish-English Translation. For Carr, the flexibility of her career is one of its greatest perks. “I’m currently a stay-at-home mom and freelance translator,” says Carr. “I translate documents from English to Spanish (and vice versa) for various law firms, schools, and churches. I’ve also interpreted between Spanish and English in different situations, mainly for client consultations at law firms. This type of work is so flexible and I love it! You can do as much or as little as you want! My husband and I even lived in Haiti for a year and with limited internet access, I was still able to do several translations during that time.”

For Carr, her career started small. Her father, who is an immigration attorney, passed her name along to several friends for document translations. “This is where I started and my clientele has grown from there,” she says.

Carr attributes her success today to the practice she received in her translation-specific classes. “We were constantly given seemingly random documents to translate and these greatly increased my vocabulary. I was constantly learning something. We translated documents in every category: medical, technical, legal, theological, among other things. My classes also stressed the importance of English grammar; both languages needed to be top-notch!”

While at SNU Carr took advantage of the opportunity to study abroad in Quito, Ecuador, a trip she claims as an incredible season of personal and spiritual growth. After getting married, Carr and her husband spent a year in Haiti where they worked with orphans, “which was an amazing opportunity to grow in my faith in the Lord,” reflects Carr. “Even more recently, I feel that one of my greatest achievements has been the start of my family. We have a beautiful baby boy who we are raising to serve the Lord, and I am so grateful to SNU for the foundational faith teaching I received while there.”

If a dream is a blueprint of a goal not yet achieved, at SNU we partner with you to focus your efforts to attain whatever it is you hope to accomplish. Thus, we say DREAM WITH CONFIDENCE.