Department of Slavic and Baltic Languages and Literatures

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The Department of Slavic and Baltic Languages and Literatures is home to two endowed chairs: the Hejna Family Chair in Polish Language and Literature; and the Endowed Chair in Lithuanian Studies, established by the Lithuanian World Community Foundation.

The department offers courses in Polish, Russian, and Lithuanian at the elementary, intermediate, and advanced levels. The undergraduate program develops language literacy skills and cultural competency in the regions of study.

A major or minor in Russian or Polish prepares students for informed global citizenship and for a variety of careers, including teaching, translation, international business, journalism, diplomacy, the armed forces, national security agencies, publishing, tourism, and work in cultural centers such as libraries and museums.

Distinction
Departmental Distinction requires a 3.50/4.00 GPA in all department lower-division courses and a 3.75/4.00 GPA in all department upper-division courses taken.

Degree Programs
- BA with a Major in Russian (http://catalog.uic.edu/ucat/colleges-depts/liberal-arts-sciences/slav/ba-russ)
- BA with a Major Polish (http://catalog.uic.edu/ucat/colleges-depts/liberal-arts-sciences/slav/ba-pol)

Minors
- Minor in Russian (http://catalog.uic.edu/ucat/colleges-depts/liberal-arts-sciences/slav/minor-russ)
- Minor in Polish (http://catalog.uic.edu/ucat/colleges-depts/liberal-arts-sciences/slav/minor-pol)