

Master of Arts in Language Sciences Progressive Degree Interest Form

This form is intended to express interest and begin a conversation about the possibility of applying to the Progressive MA in Language Sciences. Responses to this form will not be considered part of your Application should you choose to apply, and submitting this form does not oblige you to apply to the program. It's a chance to discuss whether the MA in Language Sciences is appropriate for your career and academic goals.

Please submit the completed form to byram@usc.edu.

Student Name:

USC ID#:

Bachelor's Degree Major(s):

Bachelor's Degree Minor(s):

Semester of Entry to USC:

Expected Date of BA/BS completion:

Current overall GPA (Progressive MA applicants must have at least a 3.0):

How many units have you completed for each of your Bachelor's Degrees? (Please note, in the semester prior to beginning MA coursework, students need to have completed at least 64 total units of undergraduate college course work, excluding any AP, IB or transfer units earned prior to graduation from high school.)

Which of the following have you taken?

LING 401	completed	in progress
LING 402	completed	in progress
LING 403	completed	in progress
LING 415	completed	in progress

Please provide 2-3 sentences summarizing your current career goals.

Are there any specific questions/concerns regarding your course of study you'd like to address in an initial meeting?

Next steps:

- You will be contacted by a Linguistics Department faculty member within 1-2 weeks of submitting this form to begin a conversation about your career and academic goals as well as the MA requirements and application process.
- You should set up a meeting with your Undergraduate Advisor to discuss how the Progressive MA will impact your current studies.
- If you are receiving Financial Aid, you should set up a meeting with a **Financial Aid Officer** to discuss the impact of a progressive MA program on that funding.