

# PHD in English Linguistics

## ADMISSION: general information

<b>Candidates</b>	<p>The PhD-EngLin-UCM Programme targets postgraduate candidates interested in English Linguistics research and innovation. It is specially designed for English Language Degree graduates, as well as experts or professionals with a previous knowledge in English Linguistics, aiming to achieve the highest possible levels of research or complete his or her academic training through a Doctoral Programme.</p>			
	<p>The PhD-EngLin-UCM Programme is also intended for professionals and graduates in Linguistics, Humanities, the Social Sciences and other language-related areas, who wish to deepen their understanding of cross-disciplinary or interdisciplinary issues involving English.</p>			
	<p>More specifically, the PhD-EngLin-UCM Programme is particularly designed to meet the needs of specific groups of students and professionals, as follows:</p>			
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<p>Admitted candidates who have not completed 60 (Master's Degree) ECTS credits directly linked to English Linguistics theoretical and methodological issues will be required to take bridging modules.</p>				
<b>Language Requirements</b>	<p>ENGLISH: Candidates for the PhD-EngLin-UCM Programme are required a C1 level of English, as defined by the Common European Framework of Reference for Language. Except for applicants coming from English-driven Master's Degrees in English Linguistics, candidates will prove their language level through the submission of standard certificates –as provided by ACLES (Asociación de Centros de Lenguas en la Enseñanza Superior) and approved by CRUE (Conferencia de Rectores de las Universidades Españolas)-.</p>			
	<p>SPANISH: Students whose first language is not Spanish are required to prove a B2 level of Spanish, as defined in the Common European Framework of Reference for Language.</p>			
	<p>The Admission Committee is in charge of the admission process and the selection of candidates. The Committee might organize personal interviews to assess the candidate's linguistic competence.</p>			
<b>Part Time</b>	<p>Aware of its social responsibility, the PhD-EngLin-UCM Programme accepts part-time students. However, such condition will not affect the candidate's level of achievement in the tasks and activities set out in the training Plan.</p>			