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(Brief Course Description)

English-Spanish Comparative Syntax: Verbal Constructions (Spring semester)

This course covers diverse aspects of Spanish syntax difficult for native English speakers. The main topics are: Morphological verb differences between Spanish and English; verbal periphrases with corresponding equivalents in English; English nominalization in relation to Spanish verb usage, prenominal verbs, passive voice, word order in Spanish and English; syntax and semantics of motion: mode and direction; useful structures and expressions and false cognates. *This course requires an advanced level of language preparation.*

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