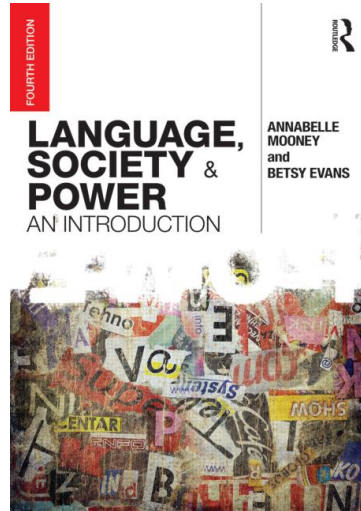
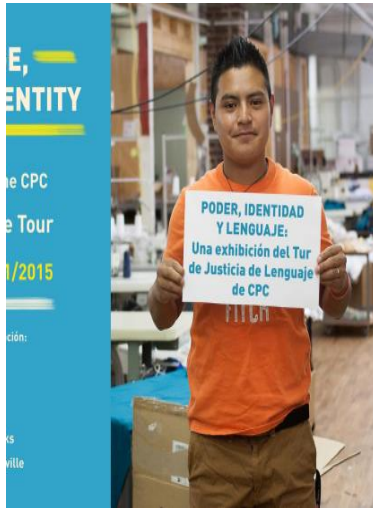


AL 1100 Language, Power, and Identity



Gen Ed Curriculum Area: Traditions & Movements That Shape the World

AL1100 develops an awareness of language as an important component of culture and communication. Students investigate the relationship between language, power, and identity by

- examining the political, historical, and social factors that have shaped or challenged language conventions and standards
- analyzing how language choices can express unspoken viewpoints and ideologies and influence thought, and
- studying how language is used to construct identities such as gender, ethnicity, Deaf, and national identity in domestic and global contexts.

Through readings, multimedia, field observations, discussions, and writing, students relate these topics to their own language use.

AL = Applied Linguistics, the study of language in use.

AL courses can lead to a minor, certificate, or degree in T.E.S.O.L*

*Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

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