

American Sign Language/English Interpreting, BA

BA American Sign Language/English Interpreting Program Learning Outcomes

At the successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

1. Demonstrate the ability to communicate in American Sign Language at an advanced level on a variety of subjects with other users of ASL.
2. Compare and Contrast Personal Culture with Deaf Culture in terms of cultural artifacts, behaviors and traditions.
3. Use American Sign Language to connect with other disciplines and acquire information.
4. Develop insight into the nature of language and culture specifically what processes and parameters define what constitutes a language and its accompanying cultural aspects.
5. Use American Sign Language to generate participation in communities at home and around the world.
6. Combine knowledge of spoken English and American Sign Language to create an effective interpretation between ASL/ENG by preserving the communicative intent and negotiating cultural and linguistic nuances.
7. Illustrate an understanding of the interpreting profession's laws and regulations and certification processes.