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Middlebury Institute
of International Studies
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Master of Arts in
Teaching English to Speakers
of Other Languages
and
Master of Arts in
Teaching Foreign Language



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— Student

Why did you choose the Middlebury Institute?

While stationed in Romania with the Navy, I started a nonprofit organization to help local orphans increase their educational and professional opportunities. I wanted to focus on improving their English so they could qualify for more jobs and educational programs. I came to the Institute because I wanted to study both practical and theoretical applications of teaching and linguistics in the foreign language classroom.

What makes the Institute a special experience for you?

I've developed effective teaching practices for my future classrooms, grounded in solid pedagogical theory. Everything we do relates back to the language classroom and how we can become better teachers. And I love the small class sizes that foster a family-like atmosphere.

What is next for you?

I'd like to return to Romania and expand my nonprofit organization, so we can provide both English instruction and funding for postsecondary educational opportunities.

Master of Arts in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) and Master of Arts in Teaching Foreign Language (TFL)

The three-semester, 40-credit TESOL curriculum and the three-semester, 42-credit TFL curriculum provide a solid foundation in language teaching pedagogy, how languages are learned, and how languages work, and equip language teachers with the skills and expertise to facilitate language learning in the U.S. and abroad.

Our Faculty

The faculty are leaders in organizations such as TESOL, the American Association for Applied Linguistics, and ACTFL. They are dedicated to modeling effective pedagogy in their own teaching. They bring a genuine commitment to your success and become mentors and colleagues.

The Institute Advantage

- The two degree programs share faculty and courses, so students take a majority of their classes together and benefit directly from collaboration across languages.
- You will significantly increase your understanding of methodology, theory, and research and expand your career opportunities.
- You have multiple and varied opportunities to put theory into practice through internships and professional experiences.

Language teachers are essential in a world that is becoming increasingly connected.

The world needs people like you.

Additional Program Options

Advanced Entry

Students with relevant course work may be eligible for advanced entry. This requires fewer credits to graduate, giving you greater flexibility to take more electives or complete a specialization in three semesters instead of four.

Specializations

You can add career-oriented specializations in a fourth semester:

- **Intercultural Competence**
Learn to expertly lead and train multicultural teams.
- **Language Program Administration**
Prepare to direct language education programs and train language teachers.
- **International Education Management**
Open up career opportunities in study abroad and international education programs.
- **TESOL**
For TFL students.
- **Teaching Foreign Language**
For TESOL students.

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Peace Corps Fellows Program

This scholarship and internship opportunity is for Returned Peace Corps Volunteers.

Options for Peace Corps Service

Interested students can integrate Peace Corps service into their degree.

WorldTeach

Interested TESOL students can integrate WorldTeach service into their degree.

Career Outcomes

Our graduates find rewarding careers in the United States and abroad in a range of roles, including as language teachers in K-12, college, and community settings; teacher trainers; curriculum specialists; language program directors; language assessment specialists; and PhD candidates in applied linguistics and language education.

Next Steps

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