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## Senior Seminar Across Languages and Cultures LAN 420

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**LIBRARY IMPACT STATEMENT (New Course Proposal)**  
**LIBRARIAN'S ASSESSMENT**

Subject selectors will complete this form as requested, assessing library materials and collections as detailed below. Send one copy of the assessment to the faculty member who requested it. Send one copy of the assessment to the Collection Management Officer.

Course: LAN 420 Senior Seminar Across Languages and Cultures\_\_\_\_\_

Department, College: Languages, Arts and Sciences\_\_\_\_\_

Faculty Member: Megan Echevarria\_\_\_\_\_

Date returned to Faculty: \_10/1/18\_\_\_\_\_

Librarian Completing Assessment: Joanna M. Burkhardt\_\_\_\_\_

Collection Management Officer: Joanna M. Burkhardt\_\_\_\_\_

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Assessment of:

- Suitability of existing library resources;
- New library resources required to support the program;
- Information skills education required by the students; and
- Funds needed for library materials and services.

Please include:

1. What library holdings already exist in relevant subject categories. How much money is now allocated in the subject area?

The University Libraries have substantial holdings in all relevant subject categories. We hold subscriptions to all the databases listed. The allocation for the purchase of monographs for non-English languages is approximately \$6,000 for 218-19. The cost of journal subscriptions is not broken out by department.

2. Does URI have the essential journals as noted in the Faculty Questionnaire?

URI subscribes to all the databases noted in the Faculty Questionnaire.

3. What new resources are required to support the course (including media, electronic, or other non-print materials)?

No new library resources are required to support this course.

4. What information mastery sessions will be required for the students?

Information mastery appears to be built in as part of this course. Instruction is to be given by the faculty teaching the course. Faculty may request assistance from the Instruction Unit of the Public Services Department at the library if needed, and classes can be scheduled with a librarian at the beginning of any semester.

5. What is the approximate cost to acquire the materials necessary? Which of these will be continuing costs?

There are no new costs for materials for the support of this course.

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