Course: PTG 101 Course Title: Elementary Portuguese I Credit Hours: 3 Department: World Languages & Cultures

**Prerequisite:** None

CORE-42 Category: HUMANITIES & FINE ARTS - Foreign Language: Foreign Language I

**MOTR** LANG 105 **MOTR Hours:** 3

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**Typically Offered During:** 

Fall Full Semester: YES Fall 1<sup>st</sup> Block: NO Fall 2<sup>nd</sup> Block: NO Spring Full Semester: YES Spring 1<sup>st</sup> Block: NO Spring 2<sup>nd</sup> Block: NO

Summer: YES

**Typical Instructional Modality:** 

Traditional (seated): YES Blended: NO Internet: YES

Online Video: NO Web Conference: NO

**May Also Count Toward Department Offering:** 

Major: NO Minor: NO Certificate: YES

Please see online published semester class schedule and undergraduate catalog for detailed course offering information.

How do you describe the course to students when they ask, "What is this class about?" (Without using the catalog description)?

This courses teaches students to be able to communicate at a basic level as well as some important cultural concepts.

Beyond meeting a CORE-42 requirement, what benefits can students realize from choosing this course?

Students will acquire novice-level proficiency in the language and will gain a number of important cultural insights. They will be able to talk about themselves and others and to navigate everyday situations in the target language with intercultural competence.

Other than your major/minor/certificate students, what groups of students could find this course relevant to their degree program or career path?

Students interested in business, health care, psychology, social work, hospitality -- any field that requires interaction with the public in any way.

## Catalog Description (Fall 2022 Undergraduate Catalog)

This course is the first part of the introductory sequence in Portuguese. Students acquire Novice Mid-level proficiency in the interpersonal, interpretive, and presentational communicative modes and begin to explore the cultural perspectives, products, and practices of Portuguese-speaking peoples.