

FOREIGN LANGUAGE COMPETENCY FORM

LATIN AMERICAN CARIBBEAN & IBERIAN STUDIES

SHORT-TERM FIELD RESEARCH GRANTS

Name _____

Language _____

The purpose of this form is for you to provide evidence that you possess sufficient ability in Spanish or Portuguese (or another language) to carry out your research. You may demonstrate this by the methods below. Circle your choice:

1. Provide a letter from your major professor attesting to your language ability (this information can be incorporated in one of your letters of reference).
2. Provide a listing of prior coursework and grades earned at an advanced level in this language.
3. If you do not have formal college level training, describe other experience using the language; for example, travel and/or living experiences. If you chose this option you may be asked for additional information to support your self-evaluation.
4. Have a professional language teacher complete the evaluation.

Give the information requested in option 2 or 3 in the space below: