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Heritage Language Program

The term '**heritage language**' denotes a language learned at home that is different from the dominant language of the community, and a '**heritage speaker**' is someone who speaks that language.

The Heritage Language Program currently offers five languages, some with multiple levels. Placement tests determine the appropriate level.

- Filipino
- Hindi
- Korean
- Persian
- Vietnamese

Questions? Contact us!

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Vietnamese for Vietnamese Speakers



Department of Linguistics

UC San Diego

<http://ling.ucsd.edu/language/hlp-vietnamese.html>

Three levels:

- LIHL114 - Vietnamese for Vietnamese Speakers
 - LIHL124 - Intermediate Vietnamese for Vietnamese Speakers
 - LIHL134 - Advanced Vietnamese for Vietnamese Speakers
- LIHL114 and LIHL124 offered each quarter with a different focus. LIHL134 offered twice a year - please check schedules
- **FALL:** LIHL114F, LIHL124F
LIHL134F - family life and festivals
 - **WINTER:** LIHL114W, LIHL124W & LIHL134W - media and the arts
 - **SPRING:** LIHL114P, LIHL124P & LIHL134P- entertainment and culture
- Students can take all three quarters of a level in or out of sequence
 - Upper-division courses offered twice a week on Tues & Thurs

Meet the Instructor

Dr Kimloan Hill is a highly experienced Vietnamese instructor, who has been teaching Vietnamese for Vietnamese speakers for almost 20 years at UC San Diego. She has a PhD in Southeast Asian history with a focus on colonial Vietnam. She serves as a consultant in Vietnamese language to the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL) and the Defense Language Institute (DLI)



What is a Heritage Language Course?

A language course for students who speak and comprehend a language within their family and community but wish to improve their reading and writing, their communicative and sociocultural competence and their analytic understanding of the language.

Can LIHL Vietnamese courses count for majors, minors, GEs or language requirements?

- All LIHL Vietnamese courses are approved for a [Language Studies-Vietnamese Minor or Major](#) in the Linguistics Department
- All LHIL Vietnamese courses count towards the [Asian-American and Pacific Islander Studies minor](#)
- Any LIHL course will satisfy the **language requirement** for majors (e.g. Linguistics, International Studies) or colleges (ERC, Revelle)
- Language courses can fulfill GE requirements in Muir, Marshall, Sixth and Warren - check with colleges for details