

"A particular strength of the program is the diversity of approaches to linguistics offered by the faculty, allowing for a fuller appreciation of the various ways language can be studied, whether formally, functionally, typologically, or historically. This has proven invaluable to ensuring an open-mindedness in my doctoral studies that continually enriches my work."

—Sean Gleason, MA UVA 2011, ABD Yale U

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...fascinated by how people speak?

...an anthropologist looking to understand language factors in your field area?

...hoping to deepen your knowledge of a particular language?

...interested in teaching English as a second language?

...thinking about pursuing a PhD in Linguistics or a related field but need more general background?

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