**Recommended TESOL Methods course sequences for PCMI candidates with and without Intro Linguistics prior to Fall term of 1st year of the MA TESOL Program**

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**Peace Corps Placement possible around this time**

Upon return: Fall, 2nd year MA
• Ling 561 Research Methods, if 560 complete or Ling 560 Research Design if needed; other required courses or electives

Winter, 2nd year
• If needed: Ling 561 Research Methods, electives; start culminating experience

Spring, 2nd year
• Empirical Research Writing or Thesis work; finish any remaining coursework

Summer 2nd year/ Fall 3rd year
• Complete thesis if taking the thesis option. Theses usually take more than 2 quarters to complete.

Upon Return: Spring - Fall, 2nd-3rd year MA
• Complete Ling 560/561 if needed;

Following quarters: 3rd year MA
• Finish culminating experience; take Ling 560/561 Fall and Winter of 3rd year if needed

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Fall, 1st year
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Winter, 1st year
- Ling 577 TESOL Methods I, other electives or required courses (such as Ling 492 Structure of English)

Spring, 1st year
- Ling 578 TESOL Methods II, Ling 560 Research Design if desired, electives or other requirements

Fall, 2nd year
- Ling 561 Research Methods, if 560 complete or Ling 560 Research Design if needed; other required courses or electives

Winter, 2nd year
- If needed: Ling 561 Research Methods, electives; start culminating experience

Spring, 2nd year
- Empirical Research Writing or Thesis work; finish any remaining coursework
- Finish project if doing a project.

Summer 2nd year/ Fall 3rd year
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**If no Intro Ling prior to entry**

Fall, 1st year
- Ling 390, Ling 559 Intro to Grad Studies; either Ling 571 UIE and/or Ling 492 Structure of Eng

Winter, 1st year
- Other required courses or electives

Spring, 1st year
- **Prerequisites for TESOL Methods**: Ling 571 UIE (if not taken in fall), Ling 538 SLA (has a firm 390 prerequisite); elective if time/room.

Fall, 2nd year
- Ling 577, TESOL Methods I, Ling 560 Research Design (if able, many students need to wait until after Methods I); other required course or elective

Winter, 2nd year
- Ling 578 TESOL Methods II, Ling 561 Research Methods (if able); other required course or electives

If if 560/561 complete: Spring, 2nd year/Fall of 3rd year
- Empirical Research Writing or Thesis work; Complete project if working on a project

If 560/561 not complete: Fall, Winter and Spring of 3rd year
- Take Ling 560/561 Fall and Winter of 3rd year
- Complete culminating experience and ERW in Spring

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