The University of Alabama at Birmingham
College of Arts and Sciences
Department of World Languages and Literatures

SSPC
UAB Spanish for Specific Purposes Certificate

CHECKLIST

Name: ____________________________  Date: ____________________________

I. SSP Certificate Requirements

A) Regular (degree-seeking) UAB students must:
   1. Have the Spanish pre-requisites specific to each SSPC class.
   2. Enter with and maintain a minimum of 2.8 GPA in Spanish courses.
   3. Submit an electronic application (http://www.uab.edu/cas/languages/ssp) and receive formal acceptance to the SSPC program.
   4. Obtain a B grade or above in all SSPC courses.
   5. Complete a minimum of six classes (18 credit hours) of SSPC classes in the UAB Department of World Languages and Literatures, of which a minimum of 12 credits must be at the 300 level (3 SPA classes from the SSPC course list and a foreign language internship / service-learning).
   6. Complete a successful SSP Internship / service-learning (3 credit hours) as part of the 18-credit hour requirements.
   7. Complete a successful exit proficiency exam in Spanish (Intermediate-Mid or above by ACTFL guidelines).

B) In addition to all the requirements specified above, non-traditional (non-degree seeking) students will:
   Have a minimum of 12 credit hours of successful college level work (grade C or above in all courses), with the following distribution (minimum): at least 6 credit hours in Area 1 (English Composition), at least 3 credit hours in Area 2 (Arts and Humanities), and at least 3 credit hours in Area 4 (Social Sciences).

II. Course Offerings
   ___ SPA 206-Intermediate Spanish for the Professions
   ___ SPA 214- Intro to Translation for the Professions
   ___ SPA 280/NUR 380-Intermediate Spanish for Health Professionals
   ___ SPA 304-Phonetics and Phonology *(required)*
   ___ SPA 313-Advanced Business Spanish
   ___ SPA 314-Advanced Spanish Translation and Interpretation
   ___ SPA 320- Hispanic Cultures through Culinary Art
   ___ SPA 380/NUR 481-Advanced Spanish for Health Professionals
   ___ FLL 333-World Language Internship/Service-Learning (3 credits) *(required)*
   ___ SPA 390/490-Study Abroad (valid only if directly related to SSP)
   ___ SPA 404-Medicine and Literature in the Spanish-speaking World
   ___ SPA 450-Pop Culture in Translation
   ___ SPA 460-Globalization in the Hispanic World
   ___ SPA 580 SL: Applied Spanish and Medical Interpreting
   ___ SPA 485-Spanish for Leadership in the Workplace

Total number of SSPC credits completed: _______  All other requirements met? _______