



## **Language Courses for 2017-2018**

### **CLIC offers courses in 11 languages:**

- Arabic
- Chinese
- French
- German
- Hindi
- Italian
- Japanese
- Korean
- Portuguese
- Russian
- Spanish

### **Before studying a language with CLIC, you must take the Language Placement Test for that language.**

- The placement tests are given in Canvas and you may access them through our website, [clic.rice.edu/placement-test/](http://clic.rice.edu/placement-test/).
- The placement tests are open from August 7 - 25, 2017 for fall 2017 registration.
- The placement test will determine which course you should take in that language.
- Once your placement has been recorded, you will be able to register for that course. You will not be able to register without a placement.
- Students who have taken a language course with CLIC and plan to continue studying the same language may register for the next course in the sequence and will not need to re-take the placement test.

### **Rice in Country Summer Study Abroad**

- CLIC is planning nine six-week summer study abroad programs for summer 2018.
- Programs in Argentina, China, France, Germany, India, Japan, Korea, and Russia, will cover the 2nd year of study. The prerequisites are completion of 142 or placement at the 263 level.
- Rice in Spain has a medical focus. To qualify, students must have completed SPAN 321 or placed into 322 or 323.
- Rice in Country programs feature homestays, community engagement, language partners and cultural excursions.
- Students earn six Rice credits in six weeks and may be eligible for scholarships to help defray the cost of participation in these programs.

### **Certificate of Language and Intercultural Communication**

- The Certificate of Language and Intercultural Communication gives Rice undergraduates a method to demonstrate significant second-language abilities to potential employers and others.
- The Certificate will appear on the student's official Rice transcript.
- Students interested in pursuing the Certificate should review the requirements on our website and contact the Certificate advisor.