Course requirements for students specializing in Second Language Acquisition entering with an approved Masters degree in French and/or Francophone Studies:

Students specializing in SLA entering the program with a Masters degree in French and/or Francophone Studies will normally be awarded 30 credit hours toward the minimum 80 needed for the Ph.D.

Courses (all are 3-credit hour courses):
7301: Teaching Fr and It at the College Level
8301: Introduction to SLA
8302: Issues in SLA
Research Methods
One Course in I
One Course in II
Four Courses in III
One Course in I, II, or IV

33 Hours

The remaining 17 hours needed to reach 50 will include the following course numbers:
8303 Teaching Apprenticeship 1-3
8998 Exam and Prospectus Prep 12-17
8999 Dissertation Writing 4-6

33+17=50

In order to finish the coursework needed for the SLA specialization, students entering with an approved MA will normally take their candidacy examination in autumn of their third year of the program and defend their prospectus that semester or the following spring.