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This program gives NPS and non-NPS interpreters the opportunity to apply the techniques and philosophy, curriculum and training, and certification review process of the NPS Interpretive Development Program (IDP) to graduate studies in interpretation.

Program requirements:

- 24 hrs coursework, 6 hrs thesis research/writing
- 400-hour field experience in interpretation
- Basic computer skills and access to the internet
- Thesis research project and written thesis



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