

Creative Writing Minor

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The Creative Writing Program offers an interdisciplinary Minor in Creative Writing to students across the university. The goal of the program is to support students in their creative writing endeavors. The Creative Writing Program seeks to offer students the opportunity to augment their degree by taking courses that will awaken their imagination, develop their skills as creative writers and thinkers, and foster greater empathy towards the experiences of others.

The Creative Writing Program also seeks to create a "space of creativity" within the university. Through courses and workshops, students will interact with and learn from their peers as well as published novelists, poets, playwrights and screenwriters.

Interested freshmen may wish to take part in our [Creative Writing Community](#).

Program: [English](#)

Type: Minor

MINOR: Creative Writing (15 credits)

Program Notes:

- Courses that fulfill minor requirements may be used to fulfill other requirements (i.e., primary major, core curriculum, minors, concentrations, or free electives).
- Students must take ENG 2003: Introduction to Creative Writing as a prerequisite to the minor (this course counts for one of the three elective courses under the 'Creative Writing Electives' group below).
- Students may also complete an Independent Study (Completion of a collection of stories or poems, or a novel) upon approval.

Course	Title	Credits
ENG 4702	Authors On & Off the Page	3
	Creative Writing Electives	9
	Creative Writing Additional Elective	3

Category Descriptions

Creative Writing Electives

Credits: 9

Choose three courses from the following list:

Course	Title	Credits
ENG 1842	Perspectives in Literature	3
ENG 2003	Intro to Creative Writing	3
ENG 2004	Writing Creative Nonfiction	3
ENG 2005	Writing of Short Story	3
ENG 2006	The Writing of Poetry	3
ENG 2007	The Writing of Screenplays	3
ENG 2009	Writing the Traditional Novel	3
ENG 2012	Advanced Creative Writing	3
ENG 2013	Writing of Memoir	3
ENG 2016	Writing Speculative Fiction	3
ENG 2017	Writing Detective Fiction	3
ENG 2018	Nature Writing Workshop	3
ENG 2019	Writing for Social Change	3
ENG 2022	Writing Through Conflict	3
ENG 2045	Sp Top in Writing & Rhetoric	3
ENG 2061	Editing & Publishing	3

Creative Writing Additional Elective

Credits: 3

Choose one courses from the following list:

Course	Title	Credits
COM 3303	Screenwriting	3
HON 5440	Literary Arts:Poetry	1
THE 3007	Playwriting	3