

# Creative Writing- Master of Fine Arts

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The MFA in Creative Writing prepares students to launch a career in fiction writing, screenwriting, poetry, or creative nonfiction. Students produce a high-quality, publishable portfolio of creative writing, receive practical advice about the literary marketplace, and develop a sophisticated understanding of the literary field. The program has an additional focus on pedagogy, and students enroll in creative writing and literature classes on campus while learning and practicing the craft of teaching creative writing.

## Program Requirements

Code	Title	Credit Hours
ENG 605	Issues in the Profession	2
ENG 631	Writing in the Genres: Residential Workshop <sup>1</sup>	4,4,4,4
ENG 635	Reading for Writing: Literary Forms	4
ENG 700	Research for Master's Thesis	6
2 English Literature Seminars at the 600 level or above. Select 2 of the following. <sup>2</sup>		8
ENG 603	Literary Theories and Their Histories	
ENG 610	Topics in Literary and Cultural Studies	
ENG 620	Studies in Renaissance Literature	
ENG 650	Studies in 19th-Century English Literature	
ENG 660	Studies in 20th and 21st Century British and Irish Literature	
ENG 670	Studies in American Literature, 1800-1865	
ENG 680	Studies in American Literature, 1865-1919	
ENG 690	Studies in Modern American Literature, 1919 to Present	
ENG 750	Histories and Methodologies in Literary and Cultural Studies	
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>36</b>

<sup>1</sup> Repeated 4 times.

<sup>2</sup> May include up to 4 credit hours of ENG 710, ENG 751 or ENG 780 with department approval.