

Minors and Certificate Programs Available Through the English Department

Minor in Creative Writing: This minor allows students to do intensive work in creative writing. To count toward the minor, all English courses must be completed with a grade of C or better. The minor requires 24 hours, distributed as follows:

- ENGL 1301 and 1302
- **Select two** sophomore-level literature classes, chosen from the following: ENGL 2303 Topics in Literature, ENGL 2309 World Literature, ENGL 2319 British Literature, or 2329 American Literature.
- ENGL 3375: This is our “introductory” creative writing class, where students will work with a variety of genres.
- **Select three** advanced creative writing courses from the following:
 - ART 3350 and 4345 Screenwriting I and II
 - THEA 3320 Playwriting
 - ENGL 4330 Advanced Creative Writing: Topics
 - ENGL 4347 Advanced Creative Writing: Fiction
 - ENGL 4348 Advanced Creative Writing: Poetry
 - ENGL 4349 Advanced Creative Writing: Creative Nonfiction

Minor in English: This minor focuses on literature and requires 18 hours in English with a grade of C or better. At least 6 of the hours must be upper-level (3000/4000) classes. Some of the literature courses we offer include the following

- ENGL 4365 Children’s Literature
- ENGL 4366 Young Adult Literature
- ENGL 3370 Women in Literature
- ENGL 3353 Gothic Literature

Minor/Certificate in Technical Writing and Professional Communication: This program provides students with training in technical and professional writing, document design, visual communication, and editing. To receive the certificate, all courses must be completed with a grade of C or higher. The certificate requires 18 hours, distributed as follows:

- ENGL 1301/1302 Rhetoric and Composition I and II
- ENGL 2338 Technical Writing
- **Select two** of the following departmental electives
 - ENGL 3373 Technical Communication
 - ENGL 3376 Business and Professional Writing
 - ENGL 3377 Technical Editing
 - ENGL 3378 Technical Procedures and Manuals
 - ENGL 3379 Grants and Proposals
- **Select either** an internship or an interdisciplinary elective
 - ENGL 4390 Internship
 - COMS 2302 Professional and Technical Communication for Science and Engineering
 - COMS 2305 Business and Professional Communication
 - MANA 2302 Communications in Organizations

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