

FACULTY AGENDA ITEM

Date: 2/19/2023

Submitted by: Melanie Burdick, x. 1409

SUBJECT: Significant Program Edits – Creative Writing, BA

Description / Rationale: Due to the new general education requirements, students will now be required to complete a minor, certificate, or additional major. This will replace the general education credit hours that are no longer required, and it will allow students to choose a complementary area of study.

Financial Implications: None indicated.

Proposed Effective Date: Fall 2024

Request for Action: *Approval by AAC/.FAC/FS/ Gen Fac, etc*

Approved by: *AAC on 2/12/2024*

FAC on date

Faculty Senate on date

Attachments Yes ☒ No ☐

Program Change Request

Date Submitted: 09/05/23 9:59 am

Viewing: **EN-CW : Creative Writing**

Last approved: 10/07/22 10:30 am

Last edit: 02/13/24 9:49 am

Changes proposed by: Melanie Burdick (melanie.burdick)

Catalog Pages Using this Program [Creative Writing, BA](#)

Change Type	Significant
Summarize Changes and Include Rationale	Due to the new general education requirements, students will now be required to complete a minor, certificate, or additional major. This will replace the general education credit hours that are no longer required, and it will allow students to choose a complementary area of study. ((Holly 9/8/23: Completed revisions according to new standardization approved by Deans and Provost Office))

General Information

Effective Catalog Edition	2024-2025
Department	English
College	College of Arts and Sciences
Division	Humanities
Degree Level	Undergraduate
Program Title	Creative Writing
Degree to be Offered	Bachelor of Arts (BA)
Is this program offered completely online?	No
Does this program lead to a teaching certification?	No
Program Code	EN-CW
Is this program an interdisciplinary program?	No
CIP Code	231302 - Creative Writing
Modality	Hybrid

Admission and Curriculum

Admission Criteria	
Total Number of Semester Credit Hours for the Degree	
Curriculum	

In Workflow

1. Acad Ops
2. EN Chair
3. Library
4. HUM Chair
5. CA Dean
6. CFCCC Chair
7. Assoc Dean CFC
8. CA Assoc Dean
9. Governance Check
10. AA Committee
11. Faculty Senate
12. General Faculty
13. WUBOR
14. Final Acad Ops
15. Registrar

Approval Path

1. 09/05/23 10:49 am
Holly Broxterman (holly.broxterman): Approved for Acad Ops
2. 09/05/23 11:06 am
Melanie Burdick (melanie.burdick): Approved for EN Chair
3. 09/05/23 11:26 am
Sean Bird (sean.bird): Approved for Library
4. 09/21/23 4:47 pm
Ian Smith1 (ian.smith1): Approved for HUM Chair
5. 09/25/23 9:00 pm
Kelly Erby (kelly.erby): Approved for CA Dean
6. 10/03/23 9:41 am
Bruce Mactavish (bruce.mactavish): Approved for CFCCC Chair
7. 10/04/23 9:44 pm
Maria Stover (maria.stover): Approved for Assoc Dean CFC
8. 10/05/23 7:38 am
Maria Stover (maria.stover): Approved for CA Assoc Dean
9. 10/05/23 12:18 pm
Beth O'Neill

(beth.oneill):
Rollback to Assoc
Dean CFC for
Governance Check
10. 11/21/23 11:15 am
Kelly Erby
(kelly.erby):
Approved for Assoc
Dean CFC
11. 02/07/24 5:41 pm
Kelly Erby
(kelly.erby):
Approved for CA
Assoc Dean
12. 02/07/24 6:00 pm
Holly Broxterman
(holly.broxterman):
Approved for
Governance Check
13. 02/13/24 9:49 am
Holly Broxterman
(holly.broxterman):
Approved for AA
Committee

- History
- 1. Oct 7, 2022 by Holly Broxterman (holly.broxterman)
 - 2. Oct 7, 2022 by Holly Broxterman (holly.broxterman)

Degree Requirements

In addition to the requirements stated below, students must complete 34-35 hours of General Education, all requirements for a Bachelor of Arts degree, and any additional hours needed to reach the 120 credit hours required for graduation.
In addition, all English (BA) majors must complete a complementary minor, certificate, or additional major; students must declare this with the department that grants it.

Required Courses Inside Department

EN 105	Introduction to English Studies	3
EN 206	Beginning Poetry Writing	3
EN 207	Beginning Nonfiction Writing	3
EN 209	Beginning Fiction Writing	3
EN 301	Literary Criticism &Theory	3
EN 310	English Grammar/Linguistics	3
EN 315	Reading as Writers	3
EN 384	Publishing Lab (the capstone for writing majors)	3

Additional Courses

Select two of the following:		6
EN 305	Advanced Fiction Writing	
EN 306	Advanced Poetry Writing	
EN 307	Advanced Nonfiction Writing	

Select three of the following (at least one from each area):	9
British Literature	
EN 325	British Lit through 1785

EN 326	British Literature since 1785	
American Literature		
EN 330	American Literature through 1865	
EN 331	American Literature since 1865	
World Literature		
EN 360	World Literature through 1650	
EN 361	World Literature since 1650	
One writing or literature correlate course from outside the major ¹		3
Total Hours		42

¹
Chose in consultation with advisor and department chair

~~Degree Requirements Thirty-nine total English hours required, including core requirements, but excluding EN 101 First Year Writing and EN 300 Advanced College Writing. The Creative Writing emphasis major's field program should look as follows:~~

Pathway

Faculty Workload Analysis (describe how the course offering schedule and anticipated enrollments correlate to faculty lines)
They do not. The requirement is for additional coursework mainly outside the department.

Supplemental Files

Reviewer

Comments

Beth O'Neill (beth.oneill) (10/05/23 12:18 pm): Rollback: Approval completed in error.
Holly Broxterman (holly.broxterman) (02/13/24 9:49 am): Approved by Academic Affairs Committee in 2/12/2024 meeting.