

CERTIFICATE CREATIVE WRITING

Overview

Do you have a way with words? A powerful imagination? The Certificate in Creative Writing is designed for individuals not currently enrolled in a full-time university program. It provides an excellent opportunity for you to develop and hone your writing while trying out new genres and styles. Guided by accomplished experts, you will learn to create, edit, and revise their creative writing in 3 of the following genres: poetry, fiction, creative-non-fiction, writing for stage and screen, and graphic fiction and comics.

This program is offered in English only.

Program requirements

Requirements for this program have been modified. Please consult the 2023-2024 calendars (<http://catalogue.uottawa.ca/en/archives/>) for the previous requirements.

ENG 2301	Introduction to Creative Writing	3 Units
6 course units from:		6 Units
ENG 2303	Introduction to Writing Prose Fiction	
ENG 2304	Introduction to Writing Poetry	
ENG 2305	Introduction to Writing Creative Non-fiction	
ENG 2306	Introduction to Writing for Stage and Screen	
ENG 2307	Writing with Visuals: An Introduction	
3 course units from:		3 Units
ENG 1320	English Grammar for Professional Writers and Editors	
ENG 2303	Introduction to Writing Prose Fiction	
ENG 2304	Introduction to Writing Poetry	
ENG 2305	Introduction to Writing Creative Non-fiction	
ENG 2306	Introduction to Writing for Stage and Screen	
ENG 2307	Writing with Visuals: An Introduction	
ENG 2370	Writing for Digital Media I: Fundamentals of Digital Literacy	
ENG 2380	Introduction to Technical Writing	
ENG 2381	Writing about the Arts	
6 course units from:		6 Units
ENG 3303	Advanced Workshop in Prose Fiction	
ENG 3304	Advanced Workshop in Poetry	
ENG 3305	Advanced Workshop in Creative Non-fiction	
ENG 3306	Advanced Workshop in Scriptwriting	
ENG 3307	Advanced Writing with Visuals	
3 course units from:		3 Units
ENG 4397	Creative Writing Seminar: Selected Genres	
ENG 4398	Creative Writing Seminar: Special Topics in Poetry	
ENG 4399	Creative Writing Seminar: Special Topics in Fiction	
3 optional course units in english (ENG) at the 2000 level ¹		3 Units

6 optional course units in english (ENG) at the 3000 or 4000 level ² 6 Units

Total: 30 Units

Note(s)

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ENG 2105, ENG 2106, ENG 2124, ENG 2301, ENG 2303, ENG 2304, ENG 2305, ENG 2306, and ENG 2307 cannot count towards this requirement.

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ENG 3170, ENG 3171, ENG 3180, ENG 3181, ENG 3182, ENG 3303, ENG 3304, ENG 3305, ENG 3306, ENG 3307, ENG 4397, ENG 4398, and ENG 4399 cannot count towards this requirement.