

MICROPROGRAM PROFESSIONAL WRITING

Overview

The Professional Writing microprogram is an interdisciplinary program in writing and editing for business, science and the arts. Housed within the Department of English, the professional writing microprogram provides students with knowledge and skills much in demand by employers in government, business, social service, and community organizations. Take courses in Technical Writing and Editing, Policy Writing, Advanced Grammar, and Organizational Communication, among others. 15-unit microprograms are also available in Professional Editing and in Creative Writing.

This program is offered in English only.

Program Requirements

The table below includes only the discipline-specific courses. Please refer to the Academic Regulations (<https://www.uottawa.ca/about-us/policies-regulations/academic-regulations/b-2-program-studies/>) for information on the possible combinations available within the Faculty Arts.

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

Compulsory Courses

ENG 1320	English Grammar for Professional Writers and Editors	3 Units
ENG 2380	Introduction to Technical Writing	3 Units

Optional Courses

9 course units from:	9 Units
ENG 2370	Writing for Digital Media I: Fundamentals of Digital Literacy
ENG 2381	Writing about the Arts
ENG 2382	Techniques of Composition
ENG 3170	Writing for Digital Media II
ENG 3182	Policy Writing and Writing for Government
ENG 3183	Stylistics
ENG 4396	Professional Re-Writing

Total: 15 Units