CREATIVE WRITING - MINOR

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Description
The Creative Writing minor encourages the development of creative work in a variety of literary modes and genres. Students gain practice in editing, peer critique, and revision within small workshop classes and seminars.

FULLY OFFERED AT:
• Kent Campus

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ENG 20021 INTRODUCTION TO CREATIVE WRITING 3
ENG 30067 FICTION WRITING I 1 3
or ENG 30069 POETRY WRITING I

Writing Electives, choose from the following: 9
ENG 30067 FICTION WRITING I
ENG 30068 FICTION WRITING II
ENG 30069 POETRY WRITING I
ENG 30070 POETRY WRITING II
ENG 30071 CREATIVE NONFICTION
ENG 30072 EDITING AND PUBLISHING: FICTION AND NONFICTION
ENG 38895 SPECIAL TOPICS IN WRITING
ENG 43092 TEACHING POETRY IN THE SCHOOLS (ELR)
JMC 20004 ADVERTISING WRITING AND STORYTELLING
PAS 22000 CREATIVE WRITING IN THE BLACK WORLD
THEA 41026 PLAYWRITING (WIC)

Cognate Electives, choose from the following: 6
ENG 22073 MAJOR MODERN WRITERS: BRITISH AND UNITED STATES (KHUM)
ENG 30074 GRAMMAR FOR EDITING
ENG 32001 CHILDREN'S LITERATURE
ENG 32002 LITERATURE FOR YOUNG ADULTS
ENG 34031 SHORT STORY
ENG 34041 FAIRY TALES
ENG 42092 WRITING INTERNSHIP (ELR) 2
JMC 20001 MEDIA, POWER AND CULTURE (DIVD) (KSS)
PHIL 31060 PHILOSOPHY OF ART AND BEAUTY
PHIL 41080 PHILOSOPHY AND ART IN THE MODERN AGE

Minimum Total Credit Hours: 21

1 The course not used may still be taken as an option in the Writing Electives.

2 Though offered for variable credit, students pursuing the minor should take 3 credit hours of ENG 42092.

Graduation Requirements

Minimum Minor GPA
2.000

• Students must complete at least two upper-division courses in the minor at Kent State on a graded basis (A-F).
• Students may apply to the English Department chair for permission to use special topics courses and other appropriate courses not listed in the curriculum to satisfy the cognate requirements.
• Students in the College of the Arts may request that specific courses in art, art history, music and theater be accepted as meeting the cognate area requirements.
• Students in the College of Communication and Information may request that specific courses in communication studies and journalism and mass communication be accepted as meeting the cognate area requirements.
• Students who wish to complete a longer project or prepare a portfolio for graduate school or for a job application, may request to be enrolled in ENG 40099 for two additional credit hours of individualized work.