

MINOR IN CREATIVE WRITING

The minor in Creative Writing provides students with a chance to pursue their passion for creative writing while engaging with a wide range of texts, ideas, and cultural works. In Creative Writing classes, students work with an active, publishing faculty. They learn by vigorous practice; by focused studies of craft; and by extensive reading, analysis and discussion of their work, as well as that of published authors.

C W 605	Writing and Performing Monologues	3
C W 606	Art of Revision: from Draft to Manuscript	3
C W 609	Directed Writing for B.A. Students	3
C W 640	Transfer Literary Magazine	3

Program Learning Outcomes

1. Creative Work: Students will produce a written creative work demonstrating growth as writers.
2. Literature: Students will read, discuss, and analyze the work of a broad range of writers from diverse racial and cultural backgrounds and explain how literature in general, and their own genre in particular, relates to the larger human experience.
3. Craft Elements: Students will write and revise creative nonfiction, fiction, plays, and/or poetry using the elements of craft to embody their individual and universal visions as well as analyze and discuss craft elements in their peers' work.

Minor in Creative Writing - 18 units

A minimum of 6 upper-division units are required to complete the minor.

All coursework used to satisfy the requirements of the minor must be completed with a minimum grade point average of 2.0.

Fundamentals (3 units)

Select One:

Code	Title	Units
C W 301	Fundamentals of Creative Writing	3
C W 302	Fundamentals of Creative Reading	3

Craft (3 units)

Select One:

Code	Title	Units
C W 511GW	Craft of Poetry - GVAR	3
C W 512GW	Craft of Fiction - GVAR	3
C W 513GW	Craft of Playwriting - GVAR	3

Minor Electives (12 units)

Select Four:

Code	Title	Units
C W 506	The Business of Creative Writing	3
C W 507	Writing on the Body	3
C W 508		3
C W 510	The Creative Process	3
C W 514	Contemporary World Poetry	3
C W 520	Writers on Writing	3
C W 550	Poetry Center Workshop	3
C W 600	Special Topics in Writing	3
C W 602	Playwriting	3
C W 603	Short Story Writing	3
C W 604	Poetry Writing	3