

# WRITING MINOR

The Writing minor promotes an interdisciplinary awareness of composing practices, histories, and theories. It encourages students to refine their writing abilities across diverse contexts and technologies.

## Requirements

The minor requires 15 credits at the 2000-level or above. Courses must be taken in at least two subject areas. No more than six credits may overlap with another major or minor. Please note that some classes are open only to majors in that subject area.

Course	Title	Credits
ENGL 2013W or ENGL 2049W	Introduction to Writing Studies Writing through Research	3
Select 12 credits from the following:		12
AFRA 4994W	Senior Seminar	
AH 4239	Research Methods in Allied Health	
AH 4240W	Writing for Allied Health Research	
ASLN 3306W	Advanced American Sign Language Level II	
BME 4910W	Biomedical Engineering Design II	
BUSN 3002W	Effective Business Writing	
BUSN 3003W	Business Communications	
BUSN 3004W	Business Writing and Communication	
CE 4900W	Civil Engineering Projects I	
CE 4910W		
CE 4920W	Civil Engineering Projects II	
CHEG 4143W	Chemical Engineering Capstone Design II	
CHEM 3170W	Technical Communications	
CHIN 3250W	Advanced Chinese	
COMM 2100	Professional Communication	
COMM 3120W	Small Group Communication	
COMM 4530W	Public Relations Writing	
COMM 4710		
COMM 4720		
CSE 4939W	Computer Science and Engineering Design Project I	
ECON 2500W	Writing in Economics	
EEB 2244WE	General Ecology	
EEB 2245W	Evolutionary Biology	
EEB 3244W	Writing in Ecology	
EEB 4230W	Methods of Ecology	
EDCI 3100W	Multicultural Education, Equity and Social Justice	
EDCI 4110W	Teaching Reading and Writing in the Elementary School	
EDCI 4205W	Teaching World Languages to the Secondary-Age Student (7-12)	
EDCI 4210W	Instruction and Curriculum in the Secondary School	
EPSY 4120W	Fundamentals of Assessment in Special Education	
ENGL 2001	Introduction to Grant Proposal Writing	
ENGL 2020W	Technical Writing and Design	

ENGL 2055WE	Writing, Rhetoric, and Environment
ENGL 2637WE	Environmental Justice Writing
ENGL 2614	Writing with Algorithms
ENGL 2701	Creative Writing I
ENGL 2730W	Travel Writing
ENGL 3003W	Topics in Writing Studies
ENGL 3010W	Advanced Composition for Prospective Teachers
ENGL 3012	Books and Book Publishing
ENGL 3013	
ENGL 3015W	Writing Across Cultures
ENGL 3082	Writing Center Practicum
ENGL 3091	Writing Internship
ENGL 3601	The English Language
ENGL 3633W	The Rhetoric of Political Discourse in Literature and Society
ENGL 3692	
ENGL 3701	Creative Writing II
ENGL 3703	Writing Workshop
ENGL 3705	
ENGL 3711	Creative Writing for Child and Young Adult Readers
ENGL 3713	Literary Magazine Editing
ENGL 3715E	Nature Writing Workshop
ENGL 4407W	Advanced Study: Prose
ENVE 4910W	Environmental Engineering Design I
ENVE 4920W	Environmental Engineering Design II
FREN 3268W	Grammar and Composition
ERTH 2050W	Communicating Earth and Environmental Science
ERTH 4050W	Geoscience and Society
HDFS 4007W	Professional Communication in HDFS
HIST 2100	The Historian's Craft
HIST 2103W	Biography as History: Individuals in their Times
HIST 2104W	History through Fiction
HIST 3556W	History Workshop: Topics in American Society and Culture
JOUR 2000W	Newsriting I
JOUR 2001W	Newsriting II
JOUR 3000W	Community News Reporting
JOUR 3005	Online Journalism
JOUR 3012W	Feature Writing
JOUR 3013W	
JOUR 3040	Newsriting for Broadcast and Digital Media
JOUR 3046E	Environmental Journalism
LLAS 2012	Latinos in Connecticut: Writing for the Community
MCB 3841W	Research Literature in Molecular and Cell Biology
MCB 3842W	Current Investigations in Cancer Cell Biology

MCB 3843W	Research Literature in Comparative Genomics
MCB 3845W	Microbial Diversity, Ecology and Evolution
ME 4973W	Senior Design Project II
MEM 4971W	Senior Design Project I
MEM 4972W	Senior Design Project II
MSE 4901W	Capstone Design Project I
MSE 4902W	Capstone Design Project II
PNB 3120W	Public Communication of Physiology and Neurobiology
PSYC 2100WQ	Principles of Research in Psychology
SPAN 3240W	Advanced Spanish Composition
TRST 3010	Translating Literature: Practice and Theory
TRST 3011	The Art of Literary Translation

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**Total Credits** **15**

Students may petition to include other courses whose focus is on the theory and practice of writing by applying to Howard Fisher at [howard.fisher@uconn.edu](mailto:howard.fisher@uconn.edu). Not every W course will count toward the Writing Minor.

The minor is offered by the College of Agriculture, Health and Natural Resources, the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, the School of Business and the College of Engineering.