



**COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCES • BA • ENGLISH / PROFESSIONAL WRITING**

Program Code: ULASENGPW

Version Number: 2118-Fall 2011

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**GENERAL EDUCATION**

I. UNIVERSITY CORE (12 credits)	RC	CR	GR
A. Oral Communication: COM 010 or above			
COURSE:	3		
B. Written Communication: ENG 23, 24, or 25			
COURSE:	3		
C. Mathematics: MAT 17 or above			
COURSE:	3		
D. Wellness: Any 3-credit HEA course			
COURSE:	3		

II. UNIVERSITY DISTRIBUTION (15 credits)	RC	CR	GR	CAC
A. Natural Sciences: Any lab or non-lab course with prefix AST, BIO, CHM, ENV, GEL, MAR, NSE, or PHY; or certain GEG courses (see note at right)				
COURSE:	3			
B. Social Sciences: Any course with prefix ANT, CRJ, ECO, HIS, INT, MCS, PSY, POL, SOC, SSE, or SWK; or certain GEG courses (see note at right)				
COURSE:	3			
C. Humanities: Any course with prefix ENG, HUM, PAG, PHI, WRI, WGS, or Modern Language				
COURSE:	3			
D. Arts: Any course with prefix ARC, ARH, ART, CDE, CDH, CFT, DAN, FAR, FAS, MUP, MUS, or THE				
COURSE:	3			
E. Free Elective: Any course carrying university credit				
COURSE:	3			

III. COMPETENCIES ACROSS THE CURRICULUM	RC	CR	GR	CAC
A. Writing Intensive (WI) (9 credits)				
COURSE:	3			WI
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B. Quantitative Literacy (QL) (3 credits) <b>CTI</b> Computer-Intensive (CP) (3 credits)				
COURSE:	3			
C. Visual Literacy (VL) (3 credits) <b>CTI</b> Communication-Intensive (CM) (3 credits)				
COURSE:	3			
D. Cultural Diversity (CD) (3 credits)				
COURSE:	3			CD
E. Critical Thinking (CT) (3 credits)				
COURSE:	3			CT

A Competency Across the Curriculum (CAC) course is not a separate course, but rather an overlay that is "double counted" as fulfilling both the CAC requirement and another requirement in either General Education (except for the University Core), the major, or the minor.

RC = Minimum required number of credits  
 CR = Credits earned (fill in number of credits)  
 GR = Grade earned (fill in letter grade)  
 CAC = Competency Across the Curriculum (fill in designation)

**NOTE:** GEG courses with a lab and 40, 322, and 323 may be used in II.A. and GEG courses 40, 204, 274, 304, 322, 323, 324, 347, 380, and 394 may NOT be used in II.B.

IV. COLLEGE DISTRIBUTION (33 credits)	RC	CR	GR	CAC
A. Natural Science, Mathematics, and Computer Science# (6 credits): Choose one course in each subcategory.				
1. Natural Science with Lab: AST, BIO, CHM, ENV, GEL, PHY, or MAR; or GEG (see note at right)				
COURSE:	3			
2. Elective: MAT, CSC, AST, BIO, CHM, ENV, GEL, PHY, or MAR; or GEG (see note at right)				
COURSE:	3			
B. Social Science (9 credits): Choose one course in each subcategory.				
1. Elective: HIS, ANT, GEG (see note at right), or POL				
COURSE:	3			
2. Elective: PSY, SOC, CRJ, or SWK				
COURSE:	3			
3. Elective: ANT, HIS, ECO, GEG (see note at right), PSY, POL, SOC, CRJ, or SWK				
COURSE:	3			

	RC	CR	GR	CAC
C. Humanities (6 credits): Choose one course in each subcategory.				
1. Elective: PAG*, ENG, WRI, or HUM				
COURSE:	3			
2. Elective: (MLS, GER, SPA, FRE, CHI, or ARA)* or PHI				
COURSE:	3			
D. Modern Languages (6 credits): Two courses at the intermediate level or higher				
COURSE:	3			
COURSE:	3			
E. Free Electives (6 credits): Choose any university courses that count toward graduation.				
COURSE:	3			
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**NOTE:** GEG courses with a lab and 40, 322, and 323 may be used in IV.A. and GEG courses 40, 204, 274, 304, 322, 323, 324, 347, 380, and 394 may NOT be used in IV.B.

# Students in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences are required to take at least one course in Biological Science (BIO) and at least one course in Physical Science (AST, CHM, ENV, GEL, PHY, MAR, GEG with lab, or GEG 40, GEG 322, or GEG 323), and at least one of which must be a lab (each course may be counted in either sections II.A or IV.A).

\* Excludes courses in language instruction, conversation, composition, linguistics, syntax, stylistics, and internship courses; contact the Modern Language Studies Department for clarification.

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**MAJOR PROGRAM: 42 CREDITS**
**I. PREREQUISITES: (18 credits)**

	RC	CR	GR
A. WRI 100: Contemporary Issues	3		
B. WRI 207: Writing for the Workplace	3		
C. WRI 208: Creative Writing: Forms	3		
D. WRI 211: Journalism I	3		
E. WRI 212: Intro to Mass Communications	3		
F. WRI 213: Copy & Line Editing	3		

Students must have a "B" or better in ENG 023 English Composition or ENG 025 Honors Composition before taking any course in Professional Writing.

Students must consult the course catalog to determine whether they have met course prerequisites.

At least two Major Electives must be at the 300 level or above (300\*).

The total number of WRI semester hours in the Major Electives and Professional Semester must total 24. The number of credits earned through internship(s) will determine whether students can take additional WRI courses at part of the minimum 120 credits required for graduation.

No more than 44 credits of WRI courses may count toward graduation.

**II. MAJOR ELECTIVES: (12-18 credits)**

	RC	CR	GR
A. WRI 300*			
COURSE:	3		
B. WRI 300*			
COURSE:	3		
C. WRI			
COURSE:	3		
D. WRI			
COURSE:	3		
E. WRI (if needed)			
COURSE:	3		
F. WRI (if needed)			
COURSE:	3		

**III. PROFESSIONAL SEMESTER: (6-12 credits)**

	RC	CR	GR
A. WRI 380 Professional Seminar	3		
B. WRI 390 Internship (3-9 credits)	3		

Students must have a 3.0 or better in the 18-credit core, at least two WRI courses at the 300 level or above in the major Electives, and a "C" or better in the ENG 230 Advanced Composition. (Concomitant below), to register for their Professional Semester.

Students may take one or two internships; the internships may not total more than 9 credits, the first 3 credits of which must be taken concurrently with WRI 380, Professional Semester.

**IV. CONCOMITANTS : (6 credits)**

	RC	CR	GR
A. ENG 230: Advanced Composition	3		
B. ENG:			
COURSE:	3		
Courses must be at the 100 level or above.			

**V. LAS ELECTIVES/CONCOMITANTS: (12 credits)**

	RC	CR	GR
A.			
COURSE:	3		
B.			
COURSE:	3		
C.			
COURSE:	3		
D.			
COURSE:	3		

All courses at the 100 level or above in the College of LA&S and in the College of Business count. Students may use a course below the 100 level if it is required for a minor or they have received permission from the LAS Dean.

**ADVISEMENT NOTES:**

## Professional Writing Eight Semester Planner

First Year					
Course	Title	Credits	Course	Title	Credits
ENG 023	College Composition I.B	3	COM 10	Fundamentals of Oral Communication I.A	3
	Modern Language 3 IV.D or Free Elective (Modern Language 1 or 2 if needed) II.E	3		Humanities (Modern Lang 2 if needed)	3
	Social Science II.B	3		Mathematics: MAT 17 or above I.C	3
	Arts II.D (VL Competency recommended)	3	WRI 100	Contemporary Issues in Pro Writing I.A	3
	Natural Science II.A (Physical Science with QL recommended)	3		Modern Language 4 IV.D or Free Elective	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>15</b>			<b>15</b>

Second Year					
Course	Title	Credits	Course	Title	Credits
WRI 207	Writing for the Workplace I.B	3	WRI 211	Journalism I I.D	3
WRI 208	Creative Writing Forms I.C	3	WRI 212	Intro to Mass Communications I.E	3
	Natural Science with Lab IV.A.1 (BIO 10 or 12 recommended)	3		Humanities IV.C.1 (ENG course recommended)	3
HEA 102	Intro to Health and Wellness I.D	3		Humanities Elective C.2	3
	Free elective IV.E. (course toward a minor recommended) or Modern Language IV.D if needed	3		Social Science IV.B.1	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>15</b>			<b>15</b>

Third Year					
Course	Title	Credits	Course	Title	Credits
WRI 213	Copy and Line Editing I.F	3		WRI Elective	3
ENG 230	Advanced Composition IV.A	3		WRI Elective	3
	Social Science IV.B.2	3		WRI Elective 300 and above	3
	Social Science IV.B.3	3		Free elective IV.E. (course toward a minor recommended)	3
	Math/Science elective IV.A.2 (CSC course recommended or QL competency if needed)	3		Concomitant IV.B ENG course 100 and above	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>15</b>			<b>15</b>

Fourth Year					
Course	Title	Credits	Course	Title	Credits
	WRI Elective (If needed)	3	WRI 380	Professional Seminar	3
	WRI Elective 300 and above	3	WRI 390	Internship	3-9
	Concomitant V.A (course toward a minor recommended)	3		WRI Elective (If needed)	3
	Concomitant V.B (course toward a minor recommended)	3		Concomitant V.D (course toward a minor recommended)	3
	Concomitant V.C (course toward a minor recommended)	3		Free Elective if not used for Modern Language in first 2 years	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>15</b>			<b>15</b>