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GENERAL ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Minimum Graduation Requirements

1. 120 credit hours
2. 45 upper-division credit hours (3000-4999 level)
3. 2.0 CU cumulative GPA
4. Residency: Last 30 credit hours of degree must be completed while registered in the College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences at UCCS

Student Responsibilities

Students are required to know and follow:

1. All academic policies set forth by the University, College, and academic department in the UCCS Catalog: catalog.uccs.edu
2. All course prerequisites designated by the University. Failure to meet course prerequisites may result in an administrative drop of the course from a student's schedule. See degree audit for course prerequisites within the academic major.

MAJOR INFORMATION

Literature refers to the study of texts from around the world. Generally, "literature" refers to genres of imaginative writing including fiction, non-fiction, poetry, plays, and more. However, the study of literature also responds to the ways genres are rapidly expanding as new mediums of communication provide new types of texts. By studying literature in the English department, you will discuss, analyze, and write about a wide variety of styles and genres as well as the histories and cultures to which they respond. You will engage in dynamic cultural debates over the multiple facets of literary works and their interpreters. Alumni of the literature emphasis work in law, education, research, non-profit organizations, libraries, government, journalism, business, and both creative and professional writing, among other professions.

Major Requirements			
English Major Literature Option (45 hours)	Course/Area	Course Title	Credit Hours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requires a minimum of 45 credit hours of ENGL course work • Requires a minimum of 18 credit hours of upper-division (3000-4999 level) ENGL course work. • All ENGL courses must have a grade of "C-" or better. <p>NOTE: All new, incoming and transferring English majors should contact the English department to be assigned a faculty advisor and to attend a mandatory English Department Workshop within their first year at UCCS. Please see the English Department website for more information.</p>	ENGL 2010	Introduction to Literary Studies	3
	ENGL 3000	Critical Theory: Foundations and Practice	3
	ENGL 3010	Advanced Rhetoric and Writing	3
	Early British Literature	Complete one of the following: ENGL 2510, 2520, 3530	3
	Late British Literature	Complete one of the following: ENGL 2530, 2540	3
	Early American Literature	Complete one of the following: ENGL 2360, 3330, 3340, 3350	3
	Late American Literature	Complete one of the following: ENGL 2370, 3360, 3370	3
	Diversity	Complete one of the following: ENGL 2610, 3200, 3300, 3400, 3410, 3550, 3600, 3610, 3650, 3900, 4310, 4860, 4880, 4890	3
	Senior Literature Seminar	Complete one of the following: ENGL 4200, 4210, 4230, 4240, 4250, 4300, 4310, 4400, 4410, 4500, 4700, 4950, 4970, 4973, 4980	3
	Designated Electives*	Complete two courses from the lists below. One must be on a topic Pre-1800. Major Authors: ENGL 2970, 3950, 3970, 3980, 4970, 4973, 4980 Theory: ENGL 3650, 4700 Genre/Movement: ENGL 2800, 3410, 3610, 4200, 4210, 4230, 4240, 4250, 4310, 4400, 4500 Global: ENGL 2600, 2610 NOTE: Additional courses may apply to this requirement. See the department each semester for details.	6
	Non-Designated Electives*	Complete an additional 12 hours of ENGL electives to fulfill total and upper-division credit hour requirements.	12
Senior Assessment - Literature	Complete the Senior Assessment - Literature.	0	

General Education and Elective Requirements

Composition (6 hours)	1. ENGL 1310 2. ENGL 1410																				
Reasoning Skills (3 hours)	See the degree audit for course options.																				
Area Requirements (27 hours) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maximum 2 courses from any one discipline may be applied to the area requirements Courses may not be taken pass/fail 	1. Humanities – 9 credit hours of which 3 credits must be HUM3990. 2. Social Sciences – 9 credit hours 3. Natural Sciences – 9 credits hours, of which at least 1 credit must be from a lab course NOTE: Cannot select courses from primary major courses for area requirements.																				
Oral Communication, Cultural Diversity, and Global Awareness Requirements	One course from each list (see degree audit). <i>All courses that fulfill these requirements may also count towards other general education or major requirements.</i>																				
Compass Curriculum (12 hours) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore and Navigate courses must be outside major and area requirements Writing Intensive, Inclusiveness, and Sustainability courses can count towards other requirements within degree 	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Component</th> <th>Course</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Gateway</td> <td>GPS 1010</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Explore – Arts, Humanities and Cultures</td> <td>See Degree Audit</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Explore – Society, Behavior and Health</td> <td>See Degree Audit</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Explore – Physical and Natural World</td> <td>See Degree Audit</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Navigate</td> <td>HUM 3990 (included in LAS area requirements)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Summit</td> <td>Senior Literature Seminar (included in Major requirements)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Writing Intensive Courses (WIC) <i>Two courses with one upper-division (3000+ level)</i></td> <td>1. HUM 3990 (included in LAS area requirements) 2. ENGL 3010 (included in Major requirements)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Inclusiveness</td> <td>See Degree Audit</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Sustainability</td> <td>See Degree Audit</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Component	Course	Gateway	GPS 1010	Explore – Arts, Humanities and Cultures	See Degree Audit	Explore – Society, Behavior and Health	See Degree Audit	Explore – Physical and Natural World	See Degree Audit	Navigate	HUM 3990 (included in LAS area requirements)	Summit	Senior Literature Seminar (included in Major requirements)	Writing Intensive Courses (WIC) <i>Two courses with one upper-division (3000+ level)</i>	1. HUM 3990 (included in LAS area requirements) 2. ENGL 3010 (included in Major requirements)	Inclusiveness	See Degree Audit	Sustainability	See Degree Audit
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General Electives (21-27 hours)	Complete additional courses to meet total and upper-division requirements for your degree program.																				

Four-Year Degree Plan

Please note that this is an *example* degree program and your program may vary. **Students are responsible for completing all course prerequisites.**

Year One	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			ENGL 1310	3		ENGL 1410
		GPS 1010	3		ENGL 2010	3
		Explore – Society, Behavior & Health Course	3		INDS 1050	3
		Explore – Arts, Humanities & Cultures Course	3		Humanities Elective	3
		General Elective	3		Social Science Elective	3
		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	15

Year Two	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			British Literature Course	3		British Literature Course
		Designated English Elective	3		ENGL Elective	3
		Explore – Physical & Natural World Course	3		ENGL 3000	3
		Oral Communication	3		Natural Science Elective (w/ lab)	4
		Social Science Elective	3		Designated English Elective	3
		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	16

Year Three	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			ENGL 3010	3		American Literature Course
		American Literature Course	3		ENGL Elective	3
		ENGL Elective	3		Social Science Elective	3
		Humanities Elective	3		Upper Division (UD) General Elective	3
		Natural Science Elective	3		UD General Elective	3
		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	15

Year Four	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			ENGL Senior Seminar	3		ENGL Elective
		ENGL Diversity Course	3		Natural Science Elective	2
		HUM 3990	3		UD General Elective	3
		ENGL Elective	3		UD General Elective	3
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		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	14