

Program Completion Plan (Eight Semester Plan)

Department: Writing Degree: BA
 Program/Major: Writing
 Track/Emphasis: General Writing
 Does this program require a minor? (Yes/No) Yes

Important program information in the online *Undergraduate Bulletin*:

UCA Core Requirements: <http://uca.edu/ubulletin2014/general-policies-information/uca-core/>
 Degree Requirements: <http://uca.edu/ubulletin2014/general-policies-information/degree-requirements/>
 Program Description: <http://uca.edu/ubulletin2014/colleges-departments-programs/college-of-fine-arts-and-communication/department-of-writing/>
 Course Descriptions: <http://uca.edu/ubulletin2014/courses/>

This degree program requires a total of **120** semester credit hours, including at least **40** upper-division credit hours.

Comparable courses in the Arkansas Course Transfer System (ACTS) are cross-referenced in the ACTS column of each semester block below; a [core link](http://uca.edu/go/ubulletin2014-ldcore/) (<http://uca.edu/go/ubulletin2014-ldcore/>) takes the user to the *Undergraduate Bulletin's* UCA Core page, where UCA Core options and ACTS course numbers are listed in full; an [acts link](http://uca.edu/go/acts/) takes the user to the *Undergraduate Bulletin's* ACTS page (<http://uca.edu/go/acts/>) for additional information and a full UCA-ACTS crosswalk.

Year 1

Fall – Semester 1 (credit hours: 15)

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
WRTG	1310	Introduction to College Writing	3	ENGL1013
		UCA Core ¹	3	core link
		UCA Core1-First Year Seminar	3	core link
		UCA Core1	3	core link
		Foreign Language (2000-level) ²	3	acts link

Spring – Semester 2 (credit hours: 16)

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
WRTG ENGL	1320 1320	Academic Writing and Research or Interdisciplinary Writing and Research or Other approved alternative	3	ENGL1023 ENGL1023
		UCA Core1	3	core link
		UCA Core1	3	core link
		UCA Core (Natural Sciences)1	4	core link
		UCA Core1	3	core link

Year 2**Fall – Semester 3 (credit hours: 14)**

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
WRTG	2325	Introduction to Rhetoric	3	
LING	2320	Introduction to Linguistics	3	
		UCA Core (Natural Sciences)1	4	core link
		UCA Core1	3	core link
		General Elective	1	

Spring – Semester 4 (credit hours: 15)

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
WRTG	3305	Writing for Digital Media I	3	
WRTG	2310	Introduction to Creative Writing ³	3	
		UCA Core1	3	core link
		General Elective	3	
		Minor ⁴	3	

Year 3**Fall – Semester 5 (credit hours: 15)**

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
WRTG	3310	Technical Writing	3	
WRTG		Creative Writing Forms Required Upper Division	3	
		General Elective	3	
		Minor Upper Division4	3	
		Minor4	3	

Spring – Semester 6 (credit hours: 15)

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
WRTG	3390	Discourse Analysis	3	
		General Elective	3	
		General Elective	3	
		Minor Upper Division4	3	
		Minor4	3	

Year 4**Fall – Semester 7 (Credit hours: 15)**

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
LING		LING Required Upper Division	3	
		General Elective	3	
		WRTG or LING Upper Division Elective	3	
		Minor Upper Division4	3	
		Minor4	3	

Spring – Semester 8 (Credit hours: 15)

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
		Upper Division Rhetoric	3	
		WRTG or LING Upper Division Elective	3	
		Minor Upper Division4	3	
		WRTG or LING Upper Division Elective	3	
		General Elective	3	

 SIGNED – DEPARTMENT CHAIR

 DATE

 SIGNED – COLLEGE DEAN

 DATE

To be completed by the advisor when an Eight-Semester Plan is accepted by the student:

If applicable, has student selected a minor? Type “x” as appropriate. _____ No _____ Yes

If “yes,” specify: _____

Notes

¹ See appropriate choices, alternatives, or substitutions under "UCA Core" in the *Undergraduate Bulletin*. During the first year, a student must complete a UCA Core course designated as a First-Year Seminar (FYS) in Critical Inquiry, Diversity, or Responsible Living. The student will also need to complete major, minor, or general elective courses designated as fulfilling the upper-division and capstone requirements of the UCA Core.

² Students with no previous experience with a foreign language may need to enroll in up to six hours of lower-level instruction to prepare for this requirement. These courses are not included in this plan of study. Please note that such need voids the guaranteed Eight-Semester Plan.

The Academic Advising Center and the Department of World Languages, Literatures, and Cultures recommend that students complete the foreign language requirement as early as possible in their program in order not to lose fluency gained in high school.

³ Introduction to Creative Writing (WRTG 2310) is a prerequisite for all other Creative Writing courses.

⁴ This Program Completion Plan includes 24 credit hours in the Minor field of study. Minor requirements range from 15 to 31 credit hours. Depending on the minor selected, the student will need to adjust the number of general elective and minor elective credit hours in this PCP.