

SAMPLE DEGREE PLAN

Bachelor of Arts, Creative Writing

This degree program requires a total of **120 credit hours (CH)**, including **38 credit hours of the lower-division (LD) UCA Core** and **40 credit hours of upper-division (3000- and 4000-level) courses**. This sample degree plan demonstrates how a first-time entering freshman with no college credit can earn the degree in eight semesters. The upper-division UCA Core must be met using major, minor, or general elective courses. For general and specific degree requirements, please see the *Undergraduate Bulletin* at <https://uca.edu/ubulletin>. Consult your academic advisor for appropriate substitutions and additional information.

This degree is offered as an eight-semester degree completion program. Eligible students who follow this degree plan and complete all general and specific degree requirements in the *Undergraduate Bulletin* of the year in which they were admitted will earn this degree in eight semesters. For eligibility requirements, see <https://uca.edu/ubulletin/degreplans/> for more information.

Year 1

Fall — Semester 1		Spring — Semester 2	
Courses	CH	Courses	CH
WRTG 1310 Introduction to College Writing or Other approved Writing Foundation alternative	3	WRTG 1320 Academic Writing & Research or ENGL 1320 Interdisciplinary Writing & Research or Other approved Research and Writing alternative	3
CRWR 2310 Introduction to Creative Writing	3	CRWR “Forms” Course	3
MATH 1360 Quantitative Literacy or Other LD UCA Core Course	3	MATH 1360 Quantitative Literacy (if not taken) or Other LD UCA Core Course	3
LD UCA Core First Year Seminar or Other LD UCA Core Course	3	LD UCA Core First Year Seminar (if not taken) or Other LD UCA Core Course	3
Related Course Requirement: Foreign Language (any level)	3	Related Course Requirement: Foreign Language (any level) or alternate LING/WLAN course	4
Total	15	Total	16

Year 2

Fall — Semester 3		Spring — Semester 4	
Courses	CH	Courses	CH
CRWR “Forms” Course or CRWR “Workshop” Course corresponding to the Semester 2 “Forms” Course	3	CRWR “Forms” Course (if not completed) or CRWR “Workshop” Course corresponding to a previous “Forms” Course	3
WRID 3305 Writing as Information Design	3	LD UCA Core	3
LD UCA Core	3	LD UCA Core	3
LD UCA Core Lab Science	4	LD UCA Core Lab Science	4
General Elective	3	Minor Course	3
Total	16	Total	16

Year 3

Fall — Semester 5		Spring — Semester 6	
Courses	CH	Courses	CH
CRWR “Workshop” Course corresponding to a previous “Forms” Course	3	CRWR 4324 Topics in Creative Writing	3
Major Elective	3	Major Elective	3
Minor Course	3	Minor Course	3
Minor Course	3	Minor Course	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
Total	15	Total	15

Year 4

Fall — Semester 7		Spring — Semester 8	
Courses	CH	Courses	CH
CRWR 4324 Topics in Creative Writing	3	Major Elective	3
Major Elective	3	Minor Courses (if needed) and/or General Electives	10
Minor Courses (if needed) and/or General Electives	9		
Total	15	Total	13

This sample degree plan has been approved by the Department of Film, Theatre, and Creative Writing in the College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Science.

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