

# **Language and Literary Studies Minor**

## **Program Description**

The minor in language and literary studies cultivates the skills of critical reading and analysis. Students gain proficiency in research as well as in written and oral communication. The minor fosters the crucial ability to understand the complexity of our world and to engage with language in sophisticated ways. These skills prepare students for numerous careers and effectively supplement existing majors in other fields.



This program is a part of the Norman J. Radow College of Humanities and Social Sciences.

## **Admission, Enrollment, and Graduation Policies**

### Admission Requirements

This program does not have specific admission requirements and only admission to Kennesaw State University is required. For more information, please visit the Admissions section of the catalog.

### Graduation Requirements

Each student is expected to meet the requirements outlined in the Academic Policies: 5.0 PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS & GRADUATION.

## **Program Course Requirements**

### **Select four of the following (12 Credit Hours)**

- LING 3020: Linguistics and Literature
- LING 3030: Applied Linguistics
- LING 3035: Understanding Language and Linguistics
- LING 3040: History of the English Language
- ENGL 3105: Literary Forms and Genres
- ENGL 3124: Literature and Society
- ENGL 3125: Literature and Science
- ENGL 3126: Literature and Popular Culture
- ENGL 3232: Topics in Drama
- ENGL 3320: Scriptural Literature
- ENGL 3322: Hebrew Scriptures as Literature

- ENGL 3324: New Testament as Literature
- ENGL 3330: Gender and Culture in Literature
- ENGL 3340: Ethnic Literatures
- ENGL 3342: Topics in Native American Literature
- ENGL 3350: Region and Culture in Literature
- ENGL 3360: Major African American Writers
- ENGL 3500: Topics in African American Literature
- ENGL 3600: Topics in African Diaspora Literatures
- ENGL 4220: Critical Theory
- ENGL 4230: Theory-Based Studies in Literature
- ENGL 4340: Shakespeare
- ENGL 4360: American Literature Before 1800
- ENGL 4370: Medieval Literature
- ENGL 4372: British Renaissance Literature
- ENGL 4374: Restoration and Eighteenth-Century Literature
- ENGL 4380: World Literature Before 1800
- ENGL 4401: Topics in African Literatures
- ENGL 4460: 19th-Century American Literature
- ENGL 4470: 19th-Century British Literature
- ENGL 4480: 19th-Century World Literature
- ENGL 4560: 20th-Century and 21st-Century American Literature
- ENGL 4570: 20th-Century and 21st-Century British Literature
- ENGL 4580: 20th-Century and 21st-Century World Literature

**Note:** Because all minors require fifteen (15) credit hours, a fifth course will be selected from the student's Core Field of Study requirements in consultation with the advisor for the minor.

**Program Total (15 Credit Hours)**