Professional Writing Minor

Program Description

The minor in professional writing prepares students to be critical thinkers, careful researchers, and creative and capable writers who are able to respond effectively to contemporary writing tasks and opportunities. Students receive advanced instruction in rhetoric, editing, technologies of writing, workshop critique, and the production of workplace, academic, and creative texts. The minor provides a credential in writing, which is a desirable supplement to a variety of undergraduate majors.

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 Admissions to Kennesaw State University is required.

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 3760: World Englishes
- FILM 3105: Screenwriting
- FILM 3125: TV Writing
- FILM 4105: Advanced Screenwriting
- FILM 4125: Advanced TV Writing
- WRIT 3000: Understanding Creative Writing Genres
- WRIT 3100: Poetry Writing
- WRIT 3109: Careers in Writing and English Studies
- WRIT 3110: Playwriting
- WRIT 3111: Professional Editing
- WRIT 3120: Fiction Writing

- WRIT 3125: Interactive Narrative & Games
- WRIT 3130: Creative Nonfiction
- WRIT 3140: Writing in the Workplace
- WRIT 3150: Writing and Digital Culture
- WRIT 3151: Digital Storytelling
- WRIT 3152: Digital Community Engagement
- WRIT 3160: Argumentative Writing
- WRIT 3170: Environmental Writing and Literature
- WRIT 3210: Graphic Storytelling
- WRIT 3810: Research Methods for Writers
- WRIT 3650: Literacy Studies
  Any 4000-level WRIT course

Note: A fifth course will be selected from the student's Core Field of Study requirements in consultation with the advisor for the professional writing minor.

Program Total (15 Credit Hours)