

ENGL 4580: 20th-Century and 21st-Century World Literature

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: ENGL 1102

This course presents a study of representative texts, major themes, or literary movements of twentieth-century and twenty-first-century world literature, emphasizing aesthetic and social understanding.

Notes: This course can be taken more than once provided the course content differs entirely from the previous offering.

ENGL 4620: Senior Seminar

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: Completion of 90 hours, and permission of the department

The senior seminar is a summative academic experience that builds on previous coursework and gives advanced English majors the opportunity to engage with in-depth research on a topic related to language, literature, or writing. The small class size fosters a community of readers and writers that provides support in the process of writing a substantial seminar essay informed by current scholarship. Students also develop their communication skills through oral presentations.

LING 3020: Linguistics and Literature

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: One of the following courses: ENGL 2110, ENGL 2111, ENGL 2112, ENGL 2120, ENGL 2121, ENGL 2122, ENGL 2130, ENGL 2131, ENGL 2132, or ENGL 2300 .

This course surveys intersections between linguistics and literary studies. It introduces students to one or more of the major linguistic theories and methodologies that can inform literary analysis, such as semiotics, poetics, pragmatics, narrative theory, structuralism, post-structuralism, (neo-)formalism, discourse analysis, or stylistics.