

WRIT 3650: Literacy Studies

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: ENGL 1102

This course provides students with an overview of approaches to studying and shaping literacy in a range of social contexts, including workplace, instructional, and community settings. Students explore literacy studies research, literacy practices, and the implications of competing definitions of literacy within the field of rhetoric and professional writing as well as other disciplines.

WRIT 3810: Research Methods for Writers

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: ENGL 1102

This course introduces students to quantitative, qualitative, and mixed methods theories in the fields of writing studies and engages students in practices of researched writing for a variety of digital media spaces. Students learn to create and process research reports by getting exposure to mixed methods, including interviewing, survey design, and archival work. The course teaches how to perform basic qualitative and quantitative analyses and IRB-approved research.

Notes: This course may be cross-leveled with PRWR 7810

WRIT 4100: Advanced Poetry Writing

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: WRIT 3100

Building on the skills learned in WRIT 3100, this course offers advanced workshop experiences for practiced writers of poetry and includes lecture and discussion of contemporary approaches to poetics and the work of contemporary poets. This workshop approach stresses development and integration of all technical and artistic elements of poetry writing.

WRIT 4110: Advanced Playwriting

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: WRIT 3110

This advanced workshop stresses development and integration of all technical and artistic elements of playwriting. Some readings from the work of established writers are included.