

Creative Writing Option Student Instructions
English Department
University of Kentucky

1. Fill out the Creative Writing Option Form and turn in to Laura Prather, English Department Manager Associate (1207 POT).
2. Go to the main College of Arts and Sciences Office (202 POT) and fill out the College Imaginative Writing Option form to officially request the option to be listed on your transcript.
3. Complete the requirements of the Creative Writing Option (see below).
4. During your final semester, go to 1207 POT and let Laura Prather know you have completed the requirements and will be graduating this semester. Laura will pull your CWO form, check your transcript and sign off on your form, then give you a copy.
5. Turn your completed portfolio and the CWO form with Laura's signature to your Creative Writing Portfolio faculty advisor by the deadline (see below).

Deadlines: March 1st for spring and summer graduates, October 15th for fall graduates

**Deadline for selecting Creative Writing Portfolio Faculty Advisors:
February 1st for spring and summer graduates, September 15th for fall graduates**

Creative Writing Option Requirements

(Please check the completed items and attach an unofficial transcript to this form.)

- ENG 207: Introductory Workshop in Imaginative Writing (3 hours)
- ENG 407: Intermediate Workshop in Imaginative Writing (3 hours)
- ENG 507: Advanced Workshop in Imaginative Writing, taken twice under two different subtitles
 - o First Course Subtitle: _____
 - o Second Course Subtitle: _____

- In addition to the coursework, students are required to complete a 30-50 page portfolio of creative work. The portfolio itself may be composed of short stories, poems, nonfiction, or a mixture of several genres. Much of this work will have been initiated in classes at UK, although it will be significantly revised and developed for this portfolio.

Creative Writing Option Declaration Form
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This form must be turned in with your portfolio to your Creative Writing Portfolio Faculty Advisor.

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Name: _____ CMID: _____ Date: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Current/Campus Address: _____

Permanent Address (if different): _____

Major: _____ Expected Semester of Graduation: _____

Current Year in Program: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

Creative Writing Portfolio Faculty Advisor(s): _____

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Course requirements complete: _____ (DMA Signature/Date)

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Portfolio approved: _____ (Faculty Advisor Signature/Date)

****Faculty Advisors, please return this form to Laura Prather after approving the portfolio. ****

For questions, please contact Laura Prather at laura.prather@uky.edu.