

English, Minor

The English minor offers students in other majors an opportunity to study the global literatures written in English—British and American, African, Asian and Australasian—from historical, cultural, and theoretical perspectives. It attends to literary forms, their evolution and traditions, while emphasizing the diversity of literature's motives, occasions, influences and effects. Along with the considerable pleasure of reading the myriad expressions of literary art in English, what humanity has to say about itself over centuries and continents, the minor provides a substantial education in critical analysis and argument.

A. Select three of the following:

ENGLISH 8	Multicultural American Literature
ENGLISH 9	Shakespeare
ENGLISH 10	Topics in English and American Literature
ENGLISH 11	Society, Law, and Literature
ENGLISH 12	Young Adult Fiction
ENGLISH 15	Introductory Seminar in English: Topics in Literary Studies
ENGLISH 16	The Craft of Poetry
ENGLISH 17	The Craft of Fiction

B. Select at least five Departmental (English, Literary Journalism, Writing) courses numbered 102 or above, excluding ENGLISH 150, LIT JRN 197, LIT JRN 198, LIT JRN 199, WRITING 139W, and WRITING 197. Two courses from the following may be substituted:

ENGLISH 100	Introduction to Literary Theory
ENGLISH 101W	Undergraduate Seminar in Critical Writing: Topics in Literary History
WRITING 101W	Undergraduate Seminar: Applications in Literary Theory and Criticism for Creative Writing

Residence Requirement for the English Minor: Four upper-division courses must be completed successfully at UCI. By petition, two of the four may be taken through the UC Education Abroad Program, providing course content is approved in advance by the department undergraduate chair.