

Syracuse University

College of Arts & Sciences

Writing Studies, Rhetoric, and Composition

Minor in Writing

The minor in writing offers students the opportunity to develop expertise in writing for academic, professional, civic, and personal purposes. The coursework provides practice in writing in a range of genres, editing and style, publishing, and digital media. Courses also investigate rhetoric, information technology, the politics of language use, and language and identity.

The Minor in Writing requires 18 credits of coursework:

- WRT 255 Advanced Argumentative Writing (3 credits)
- 5 WRT courses (15 credits) numbered 300 or above (excluding WRT 320):

WRT 301 Civic Writing
WRT 302 Digital Writing
WRT 303 Research Writing
WRT 307 Professional Writing
WRT 308 Style
WRT 331 Peer Writing Consultant Practicum
WRT 340 Advanced Editing Studio
WRT 413 Rhetoric and Ethics
WRT 417 Advanced Technical Documentation
WRT 419 Advanced Technical Writing Workshop
WRT 422 Studies in Creative Nonfiction
WRT 423 African American Rhetoric
WRT 424 Studies in Writing, Rhetoric, and Identity
WRT 425 Digital Identities
WRT 426 Studies in Writing, Rhetoric, and Information Technology
WRT 427 Writing in Design and Development Environments
WRT 428 Studies in Composition, Rhetoric, and Literacy
WRT 436 Feminist Rhetoric(s)
WRT 437 Information Architecture and Technical Documentation
WRT 440 Studies in the Politics of Language and Writing
WRT 447 Technical Writing for a Global Audience
WRT 470 Internship in Writing



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