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Division

Department

New Course

Revision

Program Area

CREATIVE WRITING

Revised: Q

If Revision, Section(s)

95.12

Date Last Revised:

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C:

Creative Writing 350

D:

Writing Short Fiction

Subject & Course Number

Division Title

Outcomes

M: Course Objectives/Learning Objectives

General Objectives:

ability and developing style.

Specific Objectives

Pre-writing

1- The student will learn to recognize story material in his/her own life - mainly through observation.

2- The student will learn to access story material through controlled classroom exercises.

3- The student will learn to launch the story in first draft in a manner that does not disrupt the development or potential of the story.

Writing:

1- The student will learn the stages necessary to draft a completed short story.

2- The student will learn different methods of beginning, sustaining and closing a short story.

3- The student will learn to develop a written manuscript that is consistent with reading.

Reading:

1- The student will learn to adapt and use the narrative techniques he/she discovers in published works of fiction.

2- The student will learn to read the work of his/her peers for the purpose of recognizing narrative techniques in his/her peers in the effective revision of his/her work.

Revising:

1- The student will learn to revise his/her own work for the purpose of developing the story to its full potential.

2- The student will learn to value editorial suggestions from his/her instructor and peers and incorporate them into the story in the revision process.

3- The student will learn to prepare the short story for submission to an editor.

N: Course Content

Selected short stories from

Students' manuscripts will form the bulk of the course content.

O: Methods of instruction

The following methods may be combined with the workshop or narrative

- in-class writing exercises

- lectures and discussions

- small group work

and class presentations

instructor

- assigned readings

- interviews with in

P: Textbooks and Materials to be Purchased by Students

PEARLS

An anthology of short stories such as SHORT FICTION, Lynch and Rampton

Q: Means of Assessment

A minimum of three separate short stories is required, with an overall minimum of forty pages. Each story must include:

...will be assigned both for the self-evaluations and for class participation. Students will be held responsible for...
...more than 20% of the work space without receiving prior permission from the instructor will be considered half an absence.

specify whether course is open for PLAR

R: Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition

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