

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Year entered MSU: \_\_\_\_\_

**MINNESOTA STATE UNIVERSITY, MANKATO / DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH  
BA ENGLISH: CREATIVE WRITING OPTION (40 credits)**

<b>GENERAL REQUIREMENTS (20 credits)</b>	<i>Your Choices</i>	<i># of Credits</i>
<b>ACADEMIC WRITING—Choose the following for 4 CREDITS:</b>	4	
275 Introduction to Literary Studies (4)		
<b>BRITISH LITERATURE SURVEY—Choose one of the following for 4 CREDITS:</b>	4	
320 British Literature to 1785 (4)		
321 British Literature 1785-present (4)		
<b>AMERICAN LITERATURE SURVEY—Choose one of the following for 4 CREDITS:</b>	4	
327 American Literature to 1865 (4)		
328 American Literature 1865-present (4)		
<b>MAJOR AUTHOR—Choose one or more of the following for 4 CREDITS:</b>	4	
403 Selected Authors * (4)		
449 Topics in Creative Writing Form and Technique * (4)		
405 Shakespeare: Comedies and Histories (2)		
406 Shakespeare: Tragedies (2)		
* Acceptable sections of 403 or 449 must focus on three or fewer authors.		
<b>THEORY/CRITICISM OR LINGUISTICS—Choose one of the following for 4 CREDITS:</b>	4	
416 Film Theory and Criticism (4)		
441 Literary Theory and Criticism (4)		
381 Linguistics (4)		
482 English Structure and Pedagogical Grammar I (4)		
483 English Structure and Pedagogical Grammar II (4)		
<b>CREATIVE WRITING REQUIREMENTS (20 credits)</b>		
<b>CONTEMPORARY LITERATURE—Choose the following for 4 CREDITS:</b>	4	
448 Contemporary Literature (4)		
<b>FORM AND TECHNIQUE—Choose one of the following for 4 CREDITS:</b>	4	
340 Form and Technique in Prose (4)		
341 Form and Technique in Poetry (4)		
<b>WRITING WORKSHOPS—Choose two of the following in a primary genre (poetry or prose) and one of the following in a secondary genre (poetry or prose) for 12 CREDITS:</b>	12	
342 Creative Writing: Nonfiction (4)		
343 Creative Writing: Fiction (4)		
344 Creative Writing: Poetry (4)		
442 Advanced Prose Nonfiction Writing (4)		
443 Advanced Fiction Writing (4)		
444 Advanced Poetry Writing (4)		
445 Advanced Critical Writing (4)		
446 Screenwriting (4)		
494 English Workshop (selected sections, variable credit)		
<b>TOTAL FOR BA CREATIVE WRITING MAJOR</b>	<b>40</b>	
<b>OUTSIDE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE BA ENGLISH: CREATIVE WRITING</b>		
General Education coursework (or Minnesota Transfer Curriculum)	44	
Modern Language coursework (8 credits)	8	
Coursework for any minor except for English: General Studies Option (credits vary)		
Electives to bring you to the required 128 total credits for graduation (credits vary)		
<b>TOTAL FOR BA CREATIVE WRITING DEGREE</b>	<b>128</b>	