

WRITTEN LITERATE PRACTICE

CERTIFICATE
COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

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PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Do you write, teach writing, or mentor writers? Then sharpen your writing skills and increase your marketability with Slippery Rock University's Written Literate Practice certificate. The certificate is a 12-credit, online program that introduces students to diverse writing practices explored through rhetorical, digital, historical, and linguistic frameworks. The Written Literate Practice certificate allows students who may not have time to pursue Slippery Rock University's Master of Arts degree to earn a credential that advances their career prospects and develops their talents.

The Written Literate Practice certificate can also be applied to the Master of Arts degree in English, if students later decide to complete remaining course requirements.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

SRU's Written Literate Practice certificate offers the following benefits:

- Convenient and flexible scheduling
- Courses 100% online
- Faculty with Quality Matters expertise in Online Instruction Design
- Experience in digital writing and contemporary publishing

All faculty have doctoral degrees and are committed to teaching excellence.

CURRICULUM (12 CREDITS)

FALL TERM
ENGL 602: Rhetorical Theory
WINTER TERM
ENGL 642: Digital Writing and Publishing
SPRING TERM
ENGL 627: Evolution of Writing
SUMMER TERM
ENGL 620: Linguistics and Writing

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

All applicants must submit the following materials along with a completed online graduate application and non-refundable application fee:

- Official undergraduate transcripts from the applicant's baccalaureate granting institution and graduate transcripts (if applicable)
- An essay explaining the applicant's career interests and personal goals related to the study of writing (minimum length, 2-3 pages)

The educational policies and procedures are continually being reviewed and changed in keeping with the mission of the university. Consequently, this document cannot be considered binding and is intended to be used as only an informational guide. Students are responsible for being informed of official policies and regulations for meeting all appropriate requirements.

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