### UCF Degree Programs

**English - Technical Communication (B.A.)**

**College of Arts and Humanities**

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#### Admission Requirements
- **None**

#### Degree Requirements
- Students who change degree programs and select this major must adopt the most current catalog.
- Students must earn at least a “C” (2.0) in each required course.
- Co-op or internship credit cannot be used in this major.
- Students should consult with a departmental advisor.
- Departmental Residency Requirement consists of at least 15 semester hours of regularly scheduled 3000-4000 level courses taken from the UCF English Department.
- Courses designated in 1 (General Education Program) and 2 (Common Program Prerequisites) are usually completed in the first 60 hours.

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### 1. UCF General Education Program (GEP) (36 hrs)

#### A: Communication Foundations (9 hrs)
- Required ENC 1101 Composition I 3 hrs
- Required ENC 1102 Composition II 3 hrs
- Prefer SPC 1608 Fundamentals of Oral Communication 3 hrs

#### B: Cultural & Historical Foundations (9 hrs)
- Suggested HUM 2020 Encountering the Humanities 3 hrs
- Suggested LIT 2110 World Literature I 3 hrs
- Suggested LIT 2120 World Literature II 3 hrs

#### C: Mathematical Foundations (6 hrs)
- Math: 3 hrs
- Suggested MGF 1106 Finite Mathematics or 3 hrs
- Suggested MGF 1107 Explorations in Mathematics or 3 hrs

You may substitute a higher level math with appropriate scores on the Math Placement Test.

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#### Statistics - Computers 3 hrs
- Select a course from GEP C.2 list 3 hrs

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### D: Social Foundations (6 hrs)

- Suggested AMH 2020 U.S. History: 1877-Present 3 hrs

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### E: Science Foundations (6 hrs)

- Suggested AST 2002 Astronomy 3 hrs
- Suggested ANT 2511 The Human Species 3 hrs

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### 2. Common Program Prerequisites (CPP)
- See “Common Prerequisites” in the Transfer and Transitions Services section for more information.

- ENC 1101 Composition I 3 hrs  
- ENC 1102 Composition II 3 hrs

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### 3. Core Requirements: Basic Level (6 hrs)

**Select 1:** 3 hrs

- ENC 3241 Writing for the Technical Professional 3 hrs

**Select 1:** 3 hrs

- CRW 3013 Creative Writing for English Majors or 3 hrs
- CRW 3014 Theories and Techniques of Literature 3 hrs
- CRW 3053 Theory & Practice of Creative Writing 3 hrs

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### 4. Core Requirements: Advanced Level (15 hrs)

- ENC 4280 Technical Writing Style 3 hrs
- ENC 4293 Documentation and the Collaborative Process 3 hrs
- ENC 4294 Documentation and Client-Based Collaboration 3 hrs
- LIT 4433 Literature of Science and Technology 3 hrs

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### Select at least one of these post 1865 literature courses

- AML 3031 American Literature I or 3 hrs
- AML 3032 American Literature II or 3 hrs
- AML 3033 American Literature III or 3 hrs
- AML 3034 American Literature IV or 3 hrs

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### 5. Restricted Electives (6 hrs)

- Select a course from these two groupings 3 hrs

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### 6. Capstone Requirements
- **None**

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### 7. Foreign Language Requirements

#### Admissions
- Met by graduation requirement

#### Graduation
- Proficiency equivalent to three semesters of college instruction in a foreign language taught by the Department of Modern Languages and Literatures or Judaic Studies.

Standardized examinations for foreign languages may be used to meet the requirement. With departmental approval, a cultural/multicultural or related course offered by the Department of English may be used to satisfy one semester of the Graduation requirement.

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8. Electives
- Select primarily from upper level courses after meeting with a departmental advisor. Courses may be outside the department. Please note that no more than 6 of the following courses may be taken: CRW 3120, CRW 3211, CRW 3310, CRW 3610, CRW 4122, CRW 4224, CRW 4320, CRW 4616, and ENC 4360.

9. Additional Requirements
- None

10. Required Minors
- None

11. Departmental Exit Requirements
- Maintain and achieve a minimum GPA of 2.0 in all courses used towards the major.

12. University Minimum Exit Requirements
- A 2.0 UCF GPA
- 60 semester hours earned after CLEP awarded
- 48 semester hours of upper division credit completed
- 30 of the last 39 hours of course work must be completed in residency at UCF.
- A maximum of 45 hours of extension, correspondence, CLEP, Credit by Exam, and Armed Forces credits permitted.
- Complete the General Education Program, the Gordon Rule, and nine hours of Summer credit.

Total Semester Hours Required
- 120

Honors In Major (9 hrs)
- Application and admission through the English Honors Committee and the Honors College.
- Fulfill University requirements for Honors in the Major.
- Grade of “B” (3.0) or better in an English graduate or undergraduate level course or in a graduate or undergraduate level course outside the major that relates to thesis with approval (3 hours), Directed Readings (3 hours), and Thesis hours (3 hours).
- Successful completion and oral defense of Honors thesis.

Related Programs
- English - Creative Writing
- English - Literature

Certificates
- None

Related Minors
- English - Creative Writing
- English - Literature
- English - Linguistics
- Writing and Rhetoric

Advising Notes
- None

Transfer Notes
- Lower division courses do not substitute for upper division courses.
- Courses transferred from private and out-of-state schools must be evaluated for equivalency credit. The student must provide all supporting information.

Acceptable Substitutes for Transfer Courses
- ENC 1101 & 1102: may use any two lower level courses, taught in the English Department, and each having a 6,000 word requirement. However, ENC 1101 & 1102 are prerequisites for all subsequent English courses and will need to be taken for the major.

Plan of Study
- One of the numerous possible plans of study. See program description for all requirements. Consult a departmental advisor for alternate, new or more appropriate selections.

Freshman Year - Fall 15 hrs
- ENC 1101 Composition I 3 hrs
- HUM 2020 Encountering the Humanities 3 hrs
- MGF 1106 Finite Mathematics 3 hrs
- AMH 2020 U.S. History: 1877-Present 3 hrs
- SPC 1608 Fundamentals of Oral Communication 3 hrs

Freshman Year - Spring 16 hrs
- ENC 1102 Composition II 3 hrs
- AST 2002 Astronomy 3 hrs
- LIT 2110 World Literature I 3 hrs
- SPN 1120C Elementary Spanish Language and Civilization I 4 hrs
- Select a course from GEP C.2 list 3 hrs

Sophomore Year - Fall 16 hrs
- LIT 2120 World Literature II 3 hrs
- PSY 2012 General Psychology 3 hrs
- SPN 1121C Elementary Spanish Language and Civilization II 4 hrs
- ANT 2511 The Human Species 3 hrs
- Restricted Elective 3 hrs

Sophomore Year - Spring 15 hrs
- ENC 3241 Writing for the Technical Professional 3 hrs
- AML 3613 Narratives of Slavery 3 hrs
- SPN 2200 Intermediate Spanish Language and Civilization I 3 hrs
- CRW 3013 Creative Writing for English Majors 3 hrs
- Restricted Elective 3 hrs

Junior Year - Fall 15 hrs
- ENC 4293 Documentation and the Collaborative Process 3 hrs
- AML 3041 American Literature II 3 hrs
- Lit 4433 Literature of Science and Technology 3 hrs
- Restricted Elective 3 hrs
- Restricted Elective 3 hrs

Junior Year - Spring 15 hrs
- ENC 4294 Documentation and Client-Based Collaboration 3 hrs
- ENC 4280 Technical Writing Style 3 hrs
- Lit 3313 Science Fiction 3 hrs
- Restricted Elective 3 hrs
- Restricted Elective 3 hrs

Senior Year - Fall 12 hrs
- ENC 4218 The Visual in Technical Documentation 3 hrs
- ENC 4262 International Technical Communication 3 hrs
- Restricted Elective 3 hrs
- Restricted Elective 3 hrs
- Restricted Elective 3 hrs

Senior Year - Spring 13 hrs
- ENC 4414 Writing and Hypertext 3 hrs
- Restricted Elective 3 hrs
- Restricted Elective 3 hrs
- Restricted Elective 3 hrs
- Restricted Elective 1 hr

Program Academic Learning Compacts
- Program Academic Learning Compacts (student learning outcomes) for undergraduate programs are located at: http://www.oeas.ucf.edu/alc/academic_learning_compacts.htm