ENGLISH B.A.

Professional and Technical Writing Option



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GENERAL ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Minimum Graduation Requirements

- 1. 120 credit hours
- 2. 45 upper-division credit hours (3000-4999 level)
- 3. 2.0 CU cumulative GPA
- Residency: Last 30 credit hours of degree must be completed while registered in the College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences at UCCS

Student Responsibilities

Students are required to know and follow:

- All academic policies set forth by the University, College, and academic department in the UCCS Catalog: <u>catalog.uccs.edu</u>
- All course prerequisites designated by the University. Failure to meet course pre-requisites may result in an administrative drop of the course from a student's schedule: see degree audit for list of course prerequisites within academic major.

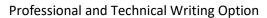
MAJOR INFORMATION

Professional and Technical Writing (aka Technical Communication) is a broad field and includes any form of communication that exhibits one or more of the following characteristics: Communicating *about technical or specialized topics*, such as computer applications, medical procedures, or environmental regulations; Communicating *by using technology*, such as web pages, help files, or social media sites; Providing *instructions about how to do something*, regardless of how technical the task is or even if technology is used to create or distribute that communication.

	Ma	jor Requirements	
English Major	Course/Area	Course Title	Credit Hours
PTW Option	ENGL 2010	Introduction to Literary Studies	3
(42hours)	ENGL 3000	Critical Theory: Foundations and Practice	3
Requires a minimum of 45 credit	ENGL 3110	Advanced Grammar	3
hours of ENGL/TCID course work	TCID 2080 OR	Business and Administrative Writing	3
a Doguiros a minimum of 27 gradit	TCID 2090	Technical Writing and Presentation	3
Requires a minimum of 27 credit hours of upper-division (3000-4999)	TCID 3120	Technical Editing & Style	3
level) ENGL/TCID course work.	TCID 3130	Web & Print Document Design	3
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	TCID 3860	UX Research Methods	3
 All ENGL/TCID courses must have a grade of "C-" or better. 	Diversity	Complete one of the following courses: ENGL 3200, ENGL 3410, ENGL 3600, ENGL 3650, ENGL 4860, TCID 4060	3
	Practice	Complete two of the following courses: TCID 3080, TCID 3140, TCID 3150, TCID 3160, ENGL 3170, TCID 3750, TCID 3850, TCID 3865	6
	Advanced Practice	Complete one of the following courses: ENGL 4065, ENGL 4820, ENGL 4800 OR ENGL 4810, TCID 4060, TCID 4080	3
	TCID 4090	TCID Senior Portfolio	3
	Electives	Complete 6 hours to meet total and upper-division (3000+ level) requirements for the major.	6

NOTE: All new, incoming, and transferring English majors should contact the English department to be assigned a faculty advisor, and attend a mandatory English Department Workshop within their first year at UCCS. Please see the English Department website for more information.

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G	eneral Education and Elective F	Requirements				
Composition (6 hours)	ENGL 1310 TCID 2080 or TCID 2090 PORT 3000 (0 Credits) – Writing Portfolio					
Reasoning Skills (3hours)	See the degree audit for course options.					
Area Requirements (28 hours) Maximum 2 courses from any one discipline may be applied to the area	 Humanities – 9 credit hours of which 3 cred Social Sciences – 9 credit hours Natural Sciences – 9 credits hours, of which 					
requirementsCourses may not be taken pass/fail	NOTE: Cannot select courses from primary major courses for area requirements.					
Oral Communication, Cultural Diversity, and Global Awareness Requirements	One course from each list (see degree audit). All courses that fulfill these requirements may also count towards other general education or major requirements.					
Compass Curriculum (12 hours)	Component	Course				
Explore and Navigate courses must be outside major and area requirements Writing Intensive, Inclusiveness, and Sustainability courses can count towards other requirements within degree	Gateway Explore – Arts, Humanities and Cultures Explore – Society, Behavior and Health Explore – Physical and Natural World Navigate Summit Writing Intensive Courses (WIC) Two courses with one upper-division (3000+ level) Inclusiveness	GPS 1010 See Degree Audit See Degree Audit See Degree Audit HUM 3990 (included in LAS area requirements) TCID 4090 (included in major requirements) 1. HUM 3990 (included in LAS area requirements) 2. TCID 3080 (included in major requirements) See Degree Audit				
	Sustainability	See Degree Audit				
General Electives (12-18 hours)	Complete additional courses to meet total and upper-	division requirements for your degree program.				

Four-Year Degree Plan

Please note that this is an example degree program and your program may vary. Students are responsible for completing all course prerequisites.

a	1	FALL	Hours	1	SPRING	Hours
		ENGL 1310	3		TCID 2080 or TCID 2090	3
_ ⊆		GPS 1010	3		INDS 1050	3
Year O		Explore – Arts, Humanities & Cultures Course	3		Explore – Society, Behavior & Health Course	3
		Explore – Physical & Natural World Course	3		Humanities Elective	3
		General Elective	3		General Elective	3
		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	15

Year Two	1	FALL	Hours	1	SPRING	Hours
		ENGL 2010	3		ENGL 3110	3
		ENGL 3000	3		Practice Course	3
		Practice Course	3		Social Science Elective	3
		Oral Communication	3		Natural Science Elective (w/ lab)	4
		Social Science Elective	3		UD General Elective	3
		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	16

e,	J	FALL	Hours	1	SPRING	Hours
		TCID 3120	3		TCID 3130	3
Jre		Advanced Practice	3		TCID 3860	3
Year Th		Humanities Elective	3		UD ENGL Elective	3
		Natural Science Elective	3		UD General Elective	3
		Upper Division (UD) General Elective	3		UD General Elective	3
		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	15

	1	FALL	Hours	J	SPRING	Hours
_		TCID 4090	3		ENGL Diversity course	3
00		ENGL Elective	3		Natural Science Elective	2
L.		HUM 3990	3		ENGL Elective	3
ea		Social Science Elective	3		UD General Elective	3
>		UD General Elective	3		UD General Elective	3
		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	14