

Bachelor of Arts with a major in Creative Writing, Fiction and Poetry tracks (2017/2018 Catalog)

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Oakland University Courses	Lansing Community College Options
CW 2100 (C+ minimum)	WRIT 270 or 276 or 278
CW 2500 (C+ minimum) - additional course options available at OU	WRIT 279
Select up to two courses from these literature electives:	ENGL 202, 203, 211, 212, 220, 240, 255, 256, 260, 266, 267, 270, 290; HUMS 160

MAJOR COREQUISITES

(select from the two options below)

An introductory two-semester sequence in a foreign language:	CHIN, FREN, GRMN, JAPN, SPAN 121 and 122
One semester of a foreign language at the second semester or higher:	CHIN 122; FREN, GRMN, JAPN, SPAN 122, 201 or 202

MICHIGAN TRANSFER AGREEMENTS:

In many cases, it is to a student's advantage to complete the MTA or MACRAO agreement when fulfilling General Education requirements. This may allow for more flexibility when creating a schedule while at your community college. When choosing to complete MTA or MACRAO, please confirm the best courses to take to fulfill the agreement with your academic adviser at LCC or [MTA Approved Courses](#)

Additional course requirements for MTA when following this major guide (minimum 30 credit hours required for MTA):

ENGL/WRIT 121 or 131 (MTA Approved Composition Course)

ENGL/WRIT 122 or 132 (MTA Approved Composition Course; this is a prerequisite for coursework at OU)

MTA Approved Social Science Course

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MTA Approved Humanities/Fine Arts Course (*this requirement may be met by choosing select language courses or **HUMS 160** above*)

MTA Approved Natural Science Course

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MTA Approved Mathematics Course

SPECIAL NOTE REGARDING MTA OR MACRAO: In some cases, completing the MTA or MACRAO agreement is not as practical. When using MTA or MACRAO, your ability to make the most efficient course selections at OU may be impacted depending on your accumulated credits and chosen OU major. For more details on whether or not it is recommended for you to complete MTA or MACRAO, please consult with an OU academic adviser.

If you plan to transfer without completing a transfer agreement, please reference the table below for courses that satisfy individual categories.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

40 credits are required from categories 1-10. Each of these categories must be fulfilled by completing one course of at least 3 or more credits. A course may not be used in more than one of these categories. Please see OU Catalog for further information.

1. Writing Foundations	ENGL/WRIT 122 or 132
2. Formal Reasoning	CITA 226; CITP 110, 220, 290; CITP 150; MATH 130, 141, 151, 161, 202; MGMT 335; PHIL 151; STAT 170, 215
3. Arts	HUMS 120, 211, 212, 216, MUSC 199, 240, 241, 246, 247, THEA 110, 210
4. Foreign Language and Culture	Satisfied by Major - CHIN, FREN, GRMN, JAPN, SPAN
5. Global Perspective	ANTH 120, 270, DMAC 260, GEOG 200, HIST 214, 240, HUMS 125, 214, POLS 260, RELG 150, (211 and 212)
6. Literature	Satisfied by Major - ENGL 202, 203, 211, 212, 220, 240, 255, 256, 260, 266, 267, 270, 290, HUMS 160
7. Natural Science and Technology	ASTR 201, BIOL 120, 125, 127, 128, 145, 210, CHEM 125, 135, (151 and 161); GEOG 221, GEOL 221, 222, 230, ISCI 131, PHYS 120, 200, 221, 251
8. Social Science	ANTH 120, 270, 275; ECON 201, 202; POLS 120, 201, 260; PSYC 200; SOCL 120
9. Western Civilization	HIST 150, 211, 212, 235, PHIL 152, 211
10. Knowledge Applications	Must be outside of OU Major area (confirm course choice with OU adviser) ARTS 131; CITW 165, 180, 185; FREN 201, 202; GRMN 201, 202; JAPN 201, 202; MATH 152, 162; PHOT 111, 112; PHYS 222, 252; PSYC 205; SOCL 260; SPAN 201, 202; WRIT 127
U.S. Diversity – May double count with categories 1-10	May be Satisfied by Major if ENGL 260 is chosen COMM 280, ENGL 260, HIST 211, 212, MGMT 234, POLS 120, SOCL 120, 185, 260
Capstone & Writing Intensive in the Major	These general education requirements must be met by courses taken at Oakland University.

Students who complete MTA or MACRAO according to this guide satisfy general education categories 1-9 and U.S. Diversity.

Recent Course Changes:

- **HUMS 213 may be used to satisfy the Western Civilization category of General Education, must be transferred in before the start of Fall Semester 2019.**

EXPLORATORY:

Students with majors in the College of Arts and Sciences (CAS) must satisfy an exploratory requirement. This can be done by completing a double major or a CAS minor or concentration; or by completing a minimum of 12 credits in a single CAS rubric, outside of their major rubric. For additional options visit oakland.edu/exploratory. Only courses that are at the 100-level or above may be used to fulfill the exploratory requirement. Students using MTA or MACRAO must complete the exploratory requirement at Oakland University or another four-year institution.

Notes:

- Please contact College of Arts and Sciences Advising at oakland.edu/casadvising or (248) 370-4567 for more information regarding your degree requirements.