

**STANFORD UNIVERSITY**

(California)

**Master of Liberal Arts (MLA)**

**Program Path:**

**IDS Type:** Departmentally Restricted IDS

**Program Type:** Foundational IDS Program

**Description:** Return to Chaucer's England. Explore emerging issues in bioethics. Contemplate the cross-cultural role of the public intellectual. Investigate the politics of diversity and unity in the United States. Whatever your interests, Stanford University's Master of Liberal Arts offers an extraordinary opportunity to earn your master's degree at one of the world's great centers of learning. Designed with working adults in mind, this part-time graduate degree program holds classes in the evenings and offers a flexible academic schedule. (From website.)

**Program Structure:**

**Admission Requirements:** Application, Official Undergraduate Transcripts, Resume, (2) Letters of Recommendation, Essay 1: Intellectual Interests, Essay 2: Your Background, Essay 3: Critical Response (to a written piece which will be emailed to you upon receipt of your application)

**Credit Hours:** 50 units (4 units per course)

**Required Coursework:** 16 units, One Core Introductory Seminar and Three course Foundational Sequence

**Individually Selected Coursework:** 30 units, Seven MLA Seminars and Two Units of Electives

**Exit Courses & Work:** 4 Units, Master's Thesis

**Established Department(s) of Focus:** Elective courses can be taken in the MLA program, in an approved Stanford Continuing Studies course, or at a 3-week summer session at Oxford

**Program Statistics:**

**Faculty:** 5 faculty members in the MLA department currently, with an annual rotation of new faculty members

**Students:** Resident students only. The program is designed for part-time students; all MLA courses are taught in the evening.

**Program History:** No information available

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