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EGL 111: World Literature: Ancient to Modern
Offers an introduction to world literature from the earliest recorded literary history to the beginnings of the modern period. Students will study divergent global literary traditions, including a focus on their relationship to English literature; they will also discuss the histories of cross-cultural contact, influence, and exchange through which such traditions encountered and shaped each other.

DEC: B
SBC: GLO, HUM
3 credits

EGL 112: World Literature: Modern and Contemporary
Offers an introduction to world literature of the modern and contemporary periods, focusing especially on the nineteenth, twentieth, and/or twenty-first centuries. Students will study divergent global literary traditions, including a focus on their relationship to English literature; they will also discuss the histories of cross-cultural contact, colonization, and exchange through which such traditions encountered and shaped each other.

DEC: B
SBC: GLO, HUM
3 credits

EGL 121: Global Film Traditions
An introductory film course with a focus on the cross-cultural study of film from multiple world traditions. Students will learn the basics of film analysis and terminology. They will also develop a familiarity with film traditions outside the US, including (but not necessarily limited to) parts of Europe, Senegal and other parts of Africa, South Asia (India, Pakistan, and elsewhere), Iran, China, Korea, Japan, and elsewhere.

DEC: B
SBC: GLO, HUM
3 credits

EGL 191: Introduction to Poetry
Intensive analysis of poems in English of various periods and types and varying complexity. Descriptions available from the English Department. Not for English major credit.
Prerequisite: WRT 102 or equivalent
DEC: B
SBC: HUM
3 credits

EGL 192: Introduction to Fiction
An analysis of fictional prose in terms of each section's specific theme. A goal of each section is to interpret various pieces of literature in relation to a political or historical view, or a particular literary technique. Descriptions available from the English Department. Not for English major credit.
Prerequisite: WRT 102 or equivalent
DEC: B
SBC: HUM
3 credits

EGL 193: Introduction to Drama
Introduction to the analysis of drama, emphasizing the literary more than the theatrical dimension of the works, through examination of a range of plays from a variety of genres and periods. Descriptions available from the English Department. Not for English major credit.
Prerequisite: WRT 102 or equivalent
DEC: B
SBC: HUM
3 credits

EGL 194: Introduction to Film
Offers an introduction to film, including a basic familiarity with the terminology of film production and with techniques of film analysis. The course emphasizes critical viewing and writing, with attention to cinematography, editing, sound, narrative, authorship, genre and ideology. The course also offers an introduction to multiple cinematic traditions from across the globe.

DEC: B
SBC: GLO, HUM
3 credits

EGL 195: Introduction to Poetry
Intensive analysis of poems in English of various periods and types and varying complexity. Descriptions available from the English Department. Not for English major credit.
Prerequisite: WRT 102 or equivalent
DEC: G
SBC: GLO, HUM
3 credits

EGL 204: Literary Analysis and Argumentation
An introduction to the techniques and terminology of close literary analysis and argumentation as applied to poetry, fiction, and drama. The course includes frequent demanding writing assignments and is designed for students beginning their major study in English. Transfer credit is not accepted for this course.
Prerequisite: WRT 102 or equivalent
3 credits

EGL 205: Survey of British Literature I
The study of British literature from the Old English period to Milton.
Prerequisite: WRT 102 or equivalent

EGL 206: Survey of British Literature II
The study of British literature from Dryden to the end of the 19th century.
Prerequisite: WRT 102 or equivalent
DEC: I
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 207: History of the English Language
A survey of the history of the English language from its origins to the present, with emphasis on the historical development of the language and on modern English grammar and usage.
Prerequisite: EGL 204
3 credits

EGL 217: American Literature I
The study of American literature from 1607 to 1865.
Prerequisite: WRT 102
DEC: K
SBC: HUM, USA
3 credits

EGL 218: American Literature II
The study of American literature from 1865 to 1945, with attention to the antebellum historical and cultural contexts.
Prerequisite: WRT 102
DEC: K
SBC: HUM, USA
3 credits

EGL 224: 20th-Century Literatures in English
The comparative study of 20th-century literature written in English from Great Britain, Africa, the Caribbean, Canada, Australia, Ireland, New Zealand or other countries and areas that produce literature in English in the context of colonial or post-colonial experience. Discussions include but are not limited to causes and global consequences of cultural, ethnic, gendered and national identity that suffuse both their content and their form.
Prerequisite: WRT 102 or equivalent
DEC: I
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 226: 20th-Century American Literature
The study of American literature from 1865 to 1945, with attention to the antebellum historical and cultural contexts.
A survey of major works reflecting the regional, ethnic, and traditional interests of American writers, with emphasis on the post-1945 period.

**Prerequisite:** WRT 102 or equivalent

**DEC:** K

**SBC:** HUM, USA

3 credits

### EGL 231: Saints and Fools

An introduction to literature about the lives of saints and the holy fool tradition in major texts of Russian and English literature. Emphasis is placed on the ways authors have used fundamental religious values of humility, the transcendent irrational, and kenosis to confront their own times. Authors considered range from monks to Dickens, Dumas, Chaucer, Gogol, and Pushkin; films include Murder in the Cathedral and Forrest Gump. This course is offered as both EGL 231 and HUR 231.

**Advisory Prerequisite:** one D.E.C. B or HUM course

**DEC:** I

**SBC:** CER, HFA+

3 credits

### EGL 232: Rebels and Tyrants

An exploration of literary rebels and tyrants central to Russian and Anglo-American traditions. The subversive tactics of such writers as Shakespeare, Dostoevsky, Sir Walter Scott, Solzhenitsyn, and Salinger are appraised in the light of the dominant social, political, and aesthetic systems they confront. This course offered as both EGL 232 and HUR 232.

**Advisory Prerequisite:** one D.E.C. B or HUM course

**DEC:** I

**SBC:** CER, HFA+

3 credits

### EGL 243: Shakespeare: The Major Works

A study of major works in several genres and consideration of Shakespeare's precursors and his influence on the development of drama to the present. Designed for students who want a one-semester survey of Shakespeare.

**Prerequisite:** Completion of D.E.C. category A

**DEC:** I

**SBC:** HUM

3 credits

### EGL 249: African-American Literature and Music in the 19th and 20th Centuries

A detailed look at African-American literature and music and their importance for American literature and music of the 19th and 20th centuries. An examination of the literature with attention to the special stylistic devices, tones of literary voice, and characterization that writers use in their efforts to match the music experience with the written word. Selections from the recordings of African-American and African-American inspired musicians – from Bessie Smith and Louis Armstrong to Jimi Hendrix and the Rolling Stones. This course is offered as both AFH 249 and EGL 249.

**Advisory Prerequisite:** one D.E.C. category B or D course or one HUM or ARTS course

**DEC:** K

**SBC:** HFA+

3 credits

### EGL 260: Mythology in Literature

The analysis of myth in literature from antiquity to the present. The course explores literary texts that use mythic material, analyzes the irrational in myth, and examines the history of motifs, figures, and themes in myths that persist in Western literature.

**Prerequisite:** WRT 102 or equivalent

**DEC:** G

**SBC:** HUM

3 credits

### EGL 261: The Bible as Literature

A literary approach to the Bible that explores the characteristic principles of the Bible's narrative and poetic art. This course is offered as both EGL 261 and JDH 261.

**Prerequisite:** WRT 102 or equivalent

**DEC:** B

**SBC:** HUM

3 credits

### EGL 266: The 20th-Century Novel

Major works and developments in the modern and contemporary novel. This course is offered as both CLT 266 and EGL 266.

**Prerequisite:** WRT 102 or equivalent

**DEC:** G

**SBC:** HUM

3 credits

### EGL 274: Black American Literature

A survey of 19th- and 20th-century Black American literature. Particular attention is paid to the way in which themes of black literature reflect the historical developments of the time, especially the conditions before, during, and after the Civil War and the Civil Rights Movement.

**Prerequisite:** WRT 102

**DEC:** K

**SBC:** HUM, USA

3 credits

### EGL 276: Feminism: Literature and Cultural Contexts

An examination of works written by or about women reflecting conceptions of women in drama, poetry, and fiction. The course focuses on literature seen in relation to women's sociocultural and historical position. This course is offered as both EGL 276 and WST 276.

**Prerequisite:** WRT 102 or equivalent

**DEC:** B

**SBC:** HUM

3 credits

### EGL 285: Writing Workshop: Fiction

A workshop in the development of skills in writing fiction through practice supplemented by readings.

**Prerequisite:** Permission of instructor; WRT 102

3 credits

### EGL 286: Writing Workshop: Poetry

A workshop in the development of skills in writing poetry. Poetry writing is supplemented by readings.

**Prerequisite:** Permission of instructor; WRT 102

3 credits

### EGL 300: Old English Literature

The study of Old English language and the literature written in it from its beginnings to the 11th century.

**Pre- or Corequisite:** EGL 204

**Advisory Prerequisite:** EGL 205

**DEC:** G

**SBC:** HUM

3 credits

### EGL 301: Authors, Periods, Topics, or Genres, with Intensive Writing

Course in English literary or cultural studies, with an emphasis on analytic writing. This course is designed for English majors only.

**Prerequisite:** EGL 204

**Pre- or corequisite:** EGL 207

**SBC:** WRTD

3 credits

### EGL 302: Medieval Literature in English

Major authors, themes, and forms of British literature from the 13th to the early 16th century, usually excluding Chaucer.

**Pre- or Corequisite:** EGL 204

**Advisory Prerequisite:** EGL 205

3 credits
EGL 304: Renaissance Literature in English
The study of English literature from about 1700 to 1790.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 205

EGL 305: The Pacific, Travel & Empire
This cultural studies course examines the cultures of travel (i.e. fiction, memoirs, photography, and filmmaking) in narratives by and about the Pacific, South and Southeast Asia. We will study "empire" by analyzing narratives about the former colonies of Spain, France, Britain and the United States. As we discuss the metaphors or tropes of empire, we will also examine the concept of empire as a historical and contemporary formation, or what an empire meant in the 19th century and what it means today in the early 21st century. The course begins with the premise that travel narratives and modern visual culture illuminate the relationship between the violence and romance of travel. The course includes modern travel narratives (i.e. novels by Asian Americans) that focus on the lives of those who are forced to travel or migrate due to civil war, poverty and/or economic instability. This course is offered as AAS 305 due to civil war, poverty and/or economic instability. This course is offered as AAS 305.
Prerequisite: Any 200 and/or 300 level course offered by the Department of Asian and Asian American Studies or the English Department
DEC: J
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 306: English Literature of the 17th Century
The study of English literature from the late Renaissance to the age of Dryden.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 205
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 310: Neoclassical Literature in English
The study of English literature from about 1700 to 1790.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 206
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 312: Romantic Literature in English
The study of English literature from the end of the neoclassical period to the beginning of the Victorian Age, 1798-1832.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 206
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 314: Victorian Literature
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 206
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 316: Early American Literature
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 217
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+, USA
3 credits

EGL 318: 19th-Century American Literature
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 217
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+, USA
3 credits

EGL 320: Modern and Contemporary Literature
The study of literature in English from the year 1900 to the present; material may be drawn from British literature, American literature, or any other area that produces literature written in English.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 218, 224, or 226
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 322: Modern and Contemporary Literature
The study of literature in English from the year 1900 to the present; material may be drawn from British literature, American literature, or any other area that produces literature written in English.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 218, 224, or 226
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 333: The Italian-American Experience in Literature
Literary and historical perspectives on the experience of Italians in America and their contribution to American culture from the earliest wave of Italian immigration to the present day. This course offered as both EGL 333 and HUI 333.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: K
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 340: Chaucer
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 205
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 342: Milton
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 205
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 344: Major Writers of the Renaissance Period in England
May be repeated as the topic changes.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 205
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 345: Shakespeare I
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A study of the comedies and the history plays. Designed to complement EGL 346.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 205 and 243
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 346: Shakespeare II
A study of the tragedies and the romances. Designed to complement EGL 345.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 205 and 243
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 347: Major Writers of the Neoclassical Period in England
May be repeated as the topic changes.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 206
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 348: Major Writers of the Romantic Period in England
May be repeated as the topic changes.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 206
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 349: Major Writers of the Victorian Period in England
May be repeated as the topic changes.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 206
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 350: Major Writers of American Literature, Colonial Period to 1900
May be repeated as the topic changes.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 217
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+, USA
3 credits

EGL 352: Major Writers of 20th-Century Literature in English
May be repeated for credit as the topic changes.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 218 or 224
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 354: Major Writers of Contemporary British and American Literature
May be repeated as the topic changes.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 226
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 356: Literature of Adolescence
The study of novels, short stories, and poetry about adolescence.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 358: Prose in English
The study of the various forms of prose such as the essay, utopia, memoir, autobiography, biography, and nonfictional narrative. May be repeated as the topic changes.
Pre- or Corequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 359: Contemporary African-American Literature
The study of contemporary African-American literature focused in varying ways, including literary and cultural traditions, and relations to other writers and traditions in American literature.
Pre- or Corequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 360: Poetry in English
The study of the development of form, theme, and language of poetry in English. May be repeated as the topic changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 361: Drama in English
The study of the development of plot, structure, character, theme, and language of drama in English. May be repeated as the topic changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 362: Fiction in English
The study of the development of plot, structure, character, theme, and language of fiction in English. May be repeated for credit as the topic changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 363: Prose in English
The study of the various forms of prose such as the essay, utopia, memoir, autobiography, biography, and nonfictional narrative. May be repeated as the topic changes.
Pre- or Corequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 364: Topics in Literary Criticism and Theory
May be repeated for credit as the topic changes.
Pre- or Corequisite: EGL 204
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 365: Contemporary African-American Literature
The study of contemporary African-American literature focused in varying ways, including literary and cultural traditions, and relations to other writers and traditions in American literature.
Pre- or Corequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+, USA
3 credits

EGL 366: Caribbean and American Connections in Literature
An exploration of the connections between writers from the French-speaking and English-speaking Caribbean and from the African-American community, who share a similar cultural heritage, historical heritage, and historical experience, but differ in geopolitical situations. Special attention is paid to spirituality, gender, and identity motifs in the literature. This course is offered as both AFH 368 and EGL 368.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: EGL 274 or AFH 206
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+, USA
3 credits

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EGL 369: Topics in Ethnic American Studies in Literature
The study of literature in English as it affects and is affected by other literatures. May be repeated as the topic changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 371: Topics in Gender Studies in Literature
The study of texts written by and about women and of issues they raise relating to gender and literature. May be repeated as the topic changes. This course is offered as both EGL 372 and WST 372.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 372: Topics in Women and Literature
The study of Native American writings in a variety of genres, including autobiography, short stories, novels, poetry, the oral tradition, and history.
Prerequisite: WRT 102 or equivalent
DEC: J
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 373: Literature in English from Non-Western Cultures
The study of novels by contemporary Native American writers with particular attention to the way these novels develop imaginative perspectives on contemporary culture and values.
Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: J
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 374: English Literature in Relation to Other Literatures
The study of literature in English as it affects and is affected by other literatures. May be repeated as the topic changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 375: Literature in English in Relation to Other Disciplines
The study of literature in English as it affects and is affected by other disciplines such as anthropology, science, sociology, the history of ideas, theology, and psychology. May be repeated as the topic changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 376: The Literature of Imperialism
A course in the history and culture of European imperialism as it is evidenced in the literary texts produced both by Europeans and by the indigenous populations they colonized. May be repeated as the topic changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 377: Literature in English in Relation to Other Disciplines
The study of Native American writings in a variety of genres, including autobiography, short stories, novels, poetry, the oral tradition, and history.
Prerequisite: WRT 102 or equivalent
DEC: J
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 378: Contemporary Native American Fiction
The study of novels by contemporary Native American writers with particular attention to the way these novels develop imaginative perspectives on contemporary culture and values.
Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher
DEC: J
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 382: Black Women's Literature of the African Diaspora
Black women's literature presents students with the opportunity to examine through literature the political, social, and historical experiences of Black women from the African Diaspora. The course is structured around five major themes commonly addressed in Black women's writing: Black female oppression, sexual politics of Black womanhood, Black female sexuality, Black male/female relationships, and Black women and defining
EGL 380: Topics in Literary and
Cultural Studies
Designed for upper-division students, this
course provides an in-depth study of a specific
topic within humanities disciplines such as
music, art, literature, religion, and philosophy.
Students will be expected to demonstrate
knowledge of the conventions and methods
used in the humanities discipline(s) studied.
May be repeated for credit as the topic
changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at
the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 384: Topics in Literary and
Cultural Studies of Science and
Technology
May be repeated as the topic changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at
the 200 level or higher
DEC: H
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 385: Advanced Fiction Workshop
A fiction writing workshop. Students receive
detailed criticism of their work. May be
repeated with permission of the director of
undergraduate studies.
Prerequisites: EGL 285; permission of
instructor
3 credits

EGL 386: Advanced Poetry Workshop
A poetry writing workshop. Students receive
detailed criticism of their work. May be
repeated with permission of the director of
undergraduate studies.
Prerequisites: EGL 286; permission of
instructor
3 credits

EGL 387: Playwrighting
A workshop devoted to planning and writing
finished scripts for the stage. This course
offered as both EGL 387 and THR 326.
Prerequisite: WRT 102; one D.E.C. B or HUM
course; one D.E.C. D or ARTS course
3 credits

EGL 388: Interdisciplinary Topics
Course on English literary and cultural studies
in connection with other disciplines. May be
repeated as the topic changes.
Prerequisite: WRT 102
3 credits

EGL 389: Science Fiction
The literary genre called Science Fiction
enables us to explore our nature, and that of
the universe we inhabit, by postulating worlds,
cultures and technologies that do not (yet)
exist, but could, and the consequences thereof.
This course focuses on the sub-genre called
hard science fiction, in which the science/
technology is more or less plausible. Students
should be prepared to address the genre from
both its scientific and literary sides. This
course is offered as both AST 389 and EGL
389.
Prerequisite: WRT 102; one D.E.C. B or HUM
course; one D.E.C. E or SNW course
DEC: H
SBC: STAS
3 credits

EGL 390: Topics in Literary and
Cultural Studies
Designed for upper-division students, this
course provides an in-depth study of a specific
topic within humanities disciplines such as
music, art, literature, religion, and philosophy.
Students will be expected to demonstrate
knowledge of the conventions and methods
used in the humanities discipline(s) studied.
May be repeated for credit as the topic
changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at
the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 391: Topics in Literary and
Cultural Studies in American or
Anglophone Literature
Designed for upper-division students, this
course provides an in-depth study of a specific
topic within humanities disciplines such as
music, art, literature, religion, and philosophy.
Students will be expected to demonstrate
knowledge of the conventions and methods
used in the humanities discipline(s) studied.
May be repeated for credit as the topic
changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at
the 200 level or higher
DEC: H
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 392: Topics in Literary and
Cultural Studies in Literature Pre-1800
Designed for upper-division students, this
course provides an in-depth study of a specific
topic within humanities disciplines such as
music, art, literature, religion, and philosophy.
Students will be expected to demonstrate
knowledge of the conventions and methods
used in the humanities discipline(s) studied.
May be repeated for credit as the topic
changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at
the 200 level or higher
DEC: I
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 393: Topics in Literary and
Cultural Studies
Designed for upper-division students, this
course provides an in-depth study of a specific
topic within humanities disciplines such as
music, art, literature, religion, and philosophy.
Students will be expected to demonstrate
knowledge of the conventions and methods
used in the humanities discipline(s) studied.
May be repeated for credit as the topic
changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at
the 200 level or higher
DEC: G
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 394: Topics in Literary and
Cultural Studies of Europe
Past topics have included titles such as Modern
European Drama; War Poetry; and Ancient
to Modern Fictional Narrative. Designed for
upper-division students, this course provides
an in-depth study of a specific topic relating to
Western civilization. Students will be
expected to demonstrate knowledge of the
development of the distinctive features of the
history, institutions, economy, society, and
culture of Western civilization, and relate it
to that of other regions in the world. May be
repeated as the topic changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at
the 200 level or higher
DEC: I
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 395: Topics in Literary and
Cultural Studies of Asia, Africa, and
Latin America
Topics may include titles such as South
African Women Writers; Contemporary
Latino Fiction; and Haiku in Japanese Society.
Designed for upper-division students, this
course provides an in-depth study of a specific
topic relating to non-Western world
civilizations. Students will be expected to
demonstrate either a knowledge of a broad
outline of world history, or the distinctive
features of the history, institutions, economy,
society, and culture of one non-Western
civilization. May be repeated as the topic changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher

DEC: J
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 398: Topics in Literary and Cultural Studies in Asia, Africa, and Latin America
Topics may include titles such as South African Women Writers; Contemporary Latino Fiction; and Haiku in Japanese Society. Designed for upper-division students, this course provides an in-depth study of a specific topic relating to non-Western world civilizations. Students will be expected to demonstrate either a knowledge of a broad outline of world history, or the distinctive features of the history, institutions, economy, society, and culture of one non-Western civilization. May be repeated as the topic changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher

DEC: J
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 399: Topics in American Literary and Cultural Studies
Topics in U.S. literary and cultural studies, placed within a broad historical context, including social, political, economic, and cultural history and institutions. May be repeated as the topic changes.
Prerequisite: U3 or U4 standing
Advisory Prerequisite: One literature course at the 200 level or higher

DEC: K
SBC: HFA+
3 credits

EGL 440: Performance and Technology in Teaching Literature and Composition
Introduction to the teaching of literature and composition through the use of classroom performance and technology, including film, video, and other media as well as computers and the Internet.
Prerequisite: C or higher in EGL 441; acceptance into the English Teacher Preparation Program
Corequisite: Equivalent section of EGL 450
3 credits

EGL 441: Methods of Instruction in Literature and Composition
Consideration of specific problems in the teaching of English, e.g., posing questions about literary texts and commenting on student papers. There is frequent use of writing by secondary school students, and the goals of instruction in literature and language are examined. Required of students seeking certification in secondary school English.
Prerequisite: Admission to the English Teacher Preparation Program
Corequisite: Equivalent section of EGL 449
3 credits

EGL 449: Field Experience, Grades 7-12
Observation, inquiry, and practice in English education at the secondary level including 50 hours of documented visitations and observation at documented sites. Field experience writing logs are the basis for group discussion. Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory grading.
Corequisite: Equivalent section of EGL 441
SBC: EXP+
1 credit, S/U grading

EGL 450: Field Experience, Grades 7-12
Observation, inquiry, and practice in English education at the secondary level including 50 hours of documented visitations and observation at documented sites. Field experience writing logs are the basis for group discussion. Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory grading.
SBC: EXP+
1 credit, S/U grading

EGL 451: Supervised Student Teaching - English; Middle Level Grades 7-9
Prerequisites: Enrollment in English Teacher Preparation Program; permission of instructor
Corequisites: Equivalent sections of EGL 452 and 454
6 credits, S/U grading

EGL 452: Supervised Student Teaching - English; High School Grades 10-12
Prerequisites: Enrollment in English Teacher Preparation Program; permission of instructor
Corequisites: equivalent sections of EGL 451 and 454
6 credits, S/U grading

EGL 454: Student Teaching Seminar
Seminar on problems and issues of teaching English at the secondary school level. Analysis of actual responsibilities and issues encountered by the teacher candidate in the student teaching experience.
Prerequisite: C or higher in EGL 441
Corequisites: Equivalent sections of EGL 451 and 452
3 credits

EGL 458: Speak Effectively Before an Audience
A zero credit course that may be taken in conjunction with any EGL course that provides opportunity to achieve the learning outcomes of the Stony Brook Curriculum's SPK learning objective.
Pre- or corequisite: WRT 102 or equivalent; permission of the instructor
SBC: SPK
S/U grading

EGL 475: Undergraduate Teaching Practicum I
Work with a faculty member as an assistant in one of the faculty member's regularly scheduled classes. The student is required to attend all the classes, do all the regularly assigned work, and meet with the faculty member at regularly scheduled times to discuss the intellectual and pedagogical matters relating to the course.
Prerequisite: Upper-division standing; 12 credits in English; permission of instructor and director of undergraduate studies
SBC: EXP+
3 credits, S/U grading

EGL 476: Undergraduate Teaching Practicum II
Work with a faculty member as an assistant in one of the faculty member's regularly scheduled classes. Students assume greater responsibility in such areas as leading discussions and analyzing results of tests that have been graded. Students may not serve as teaching assistants in the same course twice.
Prerequisite: EGL 475; permission of instructor and director of undergraduate studies
SBC: EXP+
3 credits, S/U grading

EGL 487: Independent Project
Intensive study of a special topic undertaken with close faculty supervision. Request for project approval of undergraduate studies committee must be submitted no later than the last week of classes of the prior semester. May be repeated.
Prerequisites: Permission of instructor and director of undergraduate studies
0-6 credits 3 credits

**EGL 488: Internship**
Participation in local, state, and national public and private organization. The work must involve skills related to the educational goals of the department. Request for approval of the undergraduate studies committee for internships must be submitted no later than the last week of classes of the prior semester.

*Prerequisites:* 12 credits of English; 2.50 g.p.a.; permission of instructor and department

*SBC:* EXP+

0-6 credits, S/U grading

**EGL 490: Honors Seminar: Literary Studies**
Honors seminar on a topic in literature and culture.

*Prerequisite:* Admission to English Honors Program; EGL 204

3 credits

**EGL 491: Honors Seminar: British Literature before 1800**
Honors seminar on a topic in pre-1800 British literature and culture.

*Prerequisite:* Admission to English Honors Program; EGL 204

3 credits

**EGL 492: Honors Seminar: American Literature**
Honors seminar on a topic in American literature and culture.

*Prerequisite:* Admission to English Honors Program; EGL 204

3 credits

**EGL 494: Honors Practicum: Research**
Honors practicum for students interested in focusing on the development of research skills.

*Prerequisite:* Admission to English Honors Program; EGL 204

3 credits

**EGL 495: Honors Practicum for Writing Assistants**
Honors practicum for students interested in focusing on the development of pedagogical skills centered on the teaching of writing.

*Prerequisites:* Admission to English Honors Program; EGL 204; 301

3 credits

**EGL 496: Senior Honors Project**

*Prerequisites:* EGL 490; permission of department