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MA in Creative Writing

2020/21 Course Guide

Duration: 2 years (part-time)
Format: 100 % online
Start dates: January, May and
September



Introduction to MA in Creative Writing ...

Harness the power of language and develop your distinctive voice as a writer with our online MA in Creative Writing. Access the teaching excellence and career-enhancing opportunities synonymous with the University of Hull while you study flexibly online.

Course overview

It was Hull where Philip Larkin lived and worked at the University's Brynmor Jones Library for 30 years, writing most of his best work. A seafaring city that connected outwards and brought some of the exotic back to northern England.

Embracing Hull's global-facing outlook, the University's MA in Creative Writing is an inspiring and collegial environment for online students who want to become valued, active members of an international writing community.

Taught by academics who are published writers, you will expand your reading of literature, navigate literary circles and critique the work of your peers.

How you study

This course is offered 100% online, so you don't need to interrupt your work or personal commitments to study. Course content includes an engaging and interactive mix of video, podcasts and online presentations, with links to further resources and downloadable materials.

Online discussion forums will encourage interaction with your global network of peers, enabling you to share perspectives and debate current topics and issues in your field. You'll also be able to interact with members of the academic team through regular webinars and feedback.

All course content is available online through our easy-to-use, intuitive online learning platform that you can access via desktop or your mobile device anytime from anywhere.

Assessment

All assessments for this course are based on coursework and submitted online.

Your performance on the course will be assessed through a range of methods including

- Ongoing tutor and peer feedback
- Practical work, including group projects and discussion forums
- Written work, including case studies, reports and essays

Career prospects

By studying this course, you'll gain valuable transferrable skills which are in-demand across the creative industries and beyond.

MA Creative Writing graduates often go into successful careers in a broad range of industries, such as

- professional writing/authorship
- marketing and PR
- heritage and tourism
- journalism and broadcasting
- museum curating
- banking
- education

Entry requirements

- A minimum 2.2 Bachelor Honours Degree or international equivalent
- A creative writing sample of up to 3000 words
- An IELTS 6.0 score (with minimum 5.5 in each skill) if your first language isn't English.

If you're unsure whether you're eligible to apply, please contact our Course Advisers on +44 (0)1482 235569 or email enquiries@online.hull.ac.uk to check your eligibility.

Fees and funding

Course fee: £10,300 (including a £250 acceptance fee)

Payment can be made in full prior to commencing the course, or in 6 instalments over the duration of the course.

Payment methods

Payments can be made online, via bank transfer, or over the phone.

Financing your studies

As a University of Hull Online student, you might be eligible for a range of funding and bursaries towards your course fees. UK postgraduate students can apply for a government-backed, non-means-tested loan of up to £11,222.

You may also be able to take advantage of the following

- **Bursary.** Cash help of up to £400 when you apply (must include a statement explaining how a bursary would help you financially).
- **Graduate Studentship.** University of Hull alumni are eligible for a £1,000 reduction in fees.
- **Refer-a-Friend.** Any student who refers another student to the University of Hull Online is eligible to receive a £400 reduction in fees. The referred student will also enjoy the same fee reduction.

For more information about fees and funding, please call us on +44 (0)1482 235569 or email enquiries@online.hull.ac.uk.



How to apply

Apply online by visiting online.hull.ac.uk and submitting the following supporting documents

- Relevant degree transcripts
- Evidence of English language ability (IELTS, TOEFL, or other acceptable proof)
- Curriculum Vitae (CV) / Resume
- One professional or academic reference
- Personal statement

We welcome applications from candidates who wish to be considered, at least in part, based on their relevant work experience. Please contact us on +44 (0)1482 235569 for more details.

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At the University of Hull, we're committed to giving you the expert teaching and support you need to help build a better world.

That's why our motto is 'Lampadas Ferens', translated as 'Carrying the Light of Learning.'

The University of Hull Online combines the teaching excellence and career-enhancing opportunities synonymous with the University of Hull with the freedom and flexibility to study from wherever in the world you may be.

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