MASTER OF ARTS IN ENGLISH: PLAN B (Master’s Thesis Option)

30 Credit Hours, 21 at 700 or above

Plan of Study must be filed at completion of the first 12 hours of Graduate Study

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT (One of these four methods may be used to meet the language requirement: 1) Linguistics 6 hrs or 2) a single foreign language 15 hrs or 3) a combination of two foreign languages 15 hrs total or 4) passed foreign language proficiency test).

Course: ____________ Semester: ________ Grade: ________
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REQUIRED CORE COURSES

Engl 700: Intro to Grad Study (3 hours)
Semester: ________ Grade: ________

Two Major author(s), genre, or special topic (6 hours): ENGL 508, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 520, 536, 540, 546, 580, 712, 713, 714, 715, 816, 840, 860
Course: ____________ Semester: ________ Grade: ________
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Two British Literature before 1900 (6 hours): ENGL 521, 522, 524, 526, 527, 720, 721, 722, 724, 726, 730, 814
Course: ____________ Semester: ________ Grade: ________
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One American Literature before WWI (3 hours): ENGL 503, 504, 703, 704
Course: ____________ Semester: ________ Grade: ________

One 20th/21st -century studies in British, American, or Anglophone (3 hours): ENGL 532, 533, 705, 728, 733
Course: ____________ Semester: ________ Grade: ________

English 890: Master’s Thesis (3 hours)
Semester: ________ Grade: ________

ELECTIVE COURSES

6 hours from among Literature, Linguistics, and Teaching Methods (With approval of the Graduate Coordinator, one course can be taken outside the department, such as in the College of Education.)
Course: ____________ Semester: ________ Grade: ________ Credit Hours: ________
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Note: No more than 6 hours of work graded S or Cr may be used toward the requirements of a graduate degree (excluding dissertation, thesis, and other independent study activities that are terminal degree requirements).

1 The Plan of Study may not be changed without Graduate School approval
2 Courses taken to fulfill the language requirement cannot also be applied as credits toward degree completion.
3 A prospectus must be filed before enrolling in Master’s Thesis credit hours. If the thesis extends beyond one semester (students typically take two semesters), the student will need to enroll in additional thesis units. However, no more than 3 units of MA Thesis may be used to meet degree requirements.
4 Engl 681 and Engl 780 are required of GTAs, and can be used as electives toward the Master’s Degree requirements. Engl 581 is also required of GTAs and does not count toward graduation.