# WRITING

Major/Minor | On-Campus and Online Delivery

# Writing, Language and Literature Department

UW-Superior's Writing, Languages and Literature Department brings an international perspective to the study of literature, languages and cultures while preparing students for numerous career opportunities. Students will learn from faculty who are published authors and have won numerous awards for their work, which inspires students to expand their own creativity while also benefiting from their professional experiences and networks of these accomplished educators.

### **Program**

Studying writing at UW-Superior is a great way to turn your passion for writing into a career. Our multifaceted Writing program is led by published authors dedicated to helping you hone your craft and prepare your work for publication. Students benefit from small class sizes and individualized feedback from faculty on their writing. Our students gain hands-on experience in writing and publishing with the Nemadji Review literary magazine and through a range of internship opportunities. You'll learn a wide variety of writing techniques from in-depth creative, professional and applied writing courses – all designed to open various career paths.

#### What You'll Learn

The Writing program values versatility and creativity while acknowledging that equal parts hard work and inspiration allow you to develop your skills and craft for writing in college and beyond. Through a major or minor in Writing at UW-Superior, you will:

- Develop personalized strategies for generating ideas, drafting, revising and proofreading
- Engage in all stages of the writing process from invention to publication
- Understand and use grammar and mechanics correctly





• Gain the ability to write for various purposes and audiences in a variety of genres

## **Community Advisory Board**

Since 2015, a board of local professional writers, editors, and publishers have been invited to provide input and review the writing curriculum, speak with faculty and students, and share ideas about what they believe graduates will encounter in various positions in the field.

#### Career Outlook

With writing continuing to be a top skill sought by employers, studying writing can give you an upper hand in the job market. You can open the doors to many career possibilities, including:

- Creative Writer
- Editor
- Journalist
- Content Specialist
- Copy Writer
- Technical Writer
- Publishing

The WLL Department is full of wisdom about the nuances and power of language in today's information age. My experiences with professors and coursework have only been positive, and I feel supported and prepared for my future enterprises as a writer.