Spanish Creative Writing, MFA

Academic Plans

Sample Plan of Study

Sample plans represent one way to complete a program of study. Actual course selection and sequence will vary and should be discussed with an academic advisor. For additional sample plans, see MyUI.

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Course	Title	Hours
Academic Career		
Any Semester		
48 s.h. must be graduate level coursework earned over four semesters in residence; graduate transfer credits allowed upon approval. More information is included in the General Catalog and on department website. [a]		
	Hours	**0**
First Year		
Fall		
SPAN:6210	Fiction Workshop [b]	4
SPAN:6220	Poetry Workshop [b]	4
Department elective [c]		3
	Hours	**11**
Spring		
Department elective [c]		3
Department elective [c]		3
Department elective [c]		3
Workshop elective [d]		4
	Hours	**13**
Second Year		
Fall		
SPAN:6210	Fiction Workshop [b]	4
SPAN:6220	Poetry Workshop [b]	4
SPAN:6299	Thesis: Creative Writing	2
Workshop elective [d]		4
	Hours	**14**
Spring		
SPAN:6299	Thesis: Creative Writing	3
Department elective [c]		3
Workshop elective [d]		4
Public Reading [e]		
Exam: Master's Final Exam [f]		
	Hours	**10**
	Total Hours	**48**

a Students must complete specific requirements in the University of Iowa Graduate College after program admission. Refer to the Graduate College website and the Manual of Rules and Regulations for more information.

b Taken twice for a total of 8 s.h.

c Students must complete 15 s.h. of additional elective coursework including three courses (9 s.h.) offered by the Department of Spanish and Portuguese, and two courses (6 s.h.) offered by either the Department of Spanish and Portuguese or related units in consultation with faculty advisor.

d Students must complete 12 s.h. of additional workshop courses. See the General Catalog for a list of approved courses.

e MFA students are required to do a final public reading in the spring semester of their second year.

f Submission of a graduate thesis during the last semester. See the General Catalog and department website for more information.