



School of Informatics, Humanities and Social Sciences
Department of Arts and Humanities

The 4-year study plan below is for guidance only. Always review your individual check sheet for your degree requirements and progress.

BACHELOR OF ARTS (BA) IN PROFESSIONAL WRITING (120 CREDITS)										
4-Year Guided Curriculum										
FALL Semester 1				YEAR 1	SPRING		Semester 2			
ENGL	___	RMU core course 1: Literature Elective; select one (1) from 1040, 1050, 1060, 2030, 2040, 2055 (Honors section: HNRS2065), or 2080	3		ENGL	2000	Study of Literature		3	
CSEN; or CSEN	1010; or 1020	RMU core course 2: Reading & Writing Strategies; or Argument & Research (Honors section: CSHR1025)	3		ENGL	2050	Storytelling Using Multiple Media		3	
___	___	RMU core course 3	3		CSEN; or CSCM	1020; or 1030	RMU core course 6: Argument & Research (Honors section: CSHR1025); or Public Speaking & Persuasion (Honors section: CSHR1035 Honors Speech, Rhetoric, and Culture)		3	
___	___	RMU core course 4	3		___	___	RMU core course 7		3	
___	___	RMU core course 5	3		___	___	RMU core course 8		3	
FYSP	1000	First Year Studies Seminar	1							
FALL Semester 3				YEAR 2	SPRING		Semester 4			
ENGL	2010	Introduction to Nonfiction	3		ENGL	2540	Introduction to Linguistics		3	
ENGL	3020	Creative Writing	3		ENGL	3010	Grammar & Editing		3	
ENGL	3500	Study of Persuasion	3		ENGL	___	Select one (1) from: 3200 Fiction Writing; 3025 Technical Writing; 3110 History of the English Language; 3041 Sem In Lit: Selected Poets; 3042 Sem In Lit: Sel Amer Authors 3050 Sem In Lit: Major Brit/Irish Authors; 3060 Sem In Lit: Drama; 3070 Sem In Lit: Classic Novels; 4913 Internship extension		3	
CSCM; or CSCM	1030; or 2040	RMU core course 9: Public Speaking & Persuasion (Honors section: CSHR1035 Honors Speech, Rhetoric, and Culture); or Professional Communication in Workplace (Honors section: CSHR2045 Organizational Comm)	3		CSCM; or CSCM	2040; or 2050	RMU core course 11: Professional Communication in Workplace (Honors section: CSHR2045 Organizational Comm) Intercultural Communications (Honors section: CSHR2055 International Communication)		3	
___	___	RMU core course 10	3		___	___	RMU core course 12		3	
FALL Semester 5				YEAR 3	SPRING		Semester 6			
ENGL	4010	Advanced Nonfiction Writing	3		ENGL	4200	Professional Writing Capstone		3	
___	___	RMU core course 13	3		ENGL	___	Select one (1) from: 3200 Fiction Writing; 3025 Technical Writing; 3110 History of the English Language; 3041 Sem In Lit: Selected Poets; 3042 Sem In Lit: Sel Amer Authors 3050 Sem In Lit: Major Brit/Irish Authors; 3060 Sem In Lit: Drama; 3070 Sem In Lit: Classic Novels; 4913 Internship extension		3	
___	___	Open Elective 1	3		___	___	Open Elective 4		3	
___	___	Open Elective 2	3		___	___	Open Elective 5		3	
___	___	Open Elective 3	3		___	___	Open Elective 6		3	
FALL Semester 7				YEAR 4	SPRING		Semester 8			
ENGL	4903	Internship	3		___	___	Open Elective 11		3	
___	___	Open Elective 7	3		___	___	Open Elective 12		3	
___	___	Open Elective 8	3		___	___	Open Elective 13		3	
___	___	Open Elective 9	3		___	___	Open Elective 14		3	
___	___	Open Elective 10	3		___	___	Open Elective 15		3	