The English Major and Minor at a Glance

For more particular advice about choosing an approach and selecting courses that will fit your interests and your goals, see your academic adviser.

### The Literature Major
30 hrs. beyond English 001-002

**Group I:** Surveys (9 hrs.)
- Two or three from:
  - 022, Survey of Eng. Lit. I (or 005, Honors)
  - 023, Survey of Eng. Lit. II (or 006, Honors)
  - 032, Survey of American Lit. I
  - 033, Survey of American Lit. II
  - No more than one from: 042 (fiction), 043 (drama), 044 (poetry)

**Group II:** Language Study (3 hrs.)
- 101 (History), 102 (Structure), 103 (Linguistics) 170 (Studies)

**Group III:** Individual Authors (3 hrs.)
- 114 (Chaucer), 119 (Milton), 165 (various)

**Group IV:** Literature before 1800 (3 hrs.)
- 114 (Chaucer), 115 (to 1500), 117 (16th century), 118 (17th century), 119 (Milton),
  - 120 (Ages of Dryden & Pope), 121 (Age of Johnson), 150 (Rise of American Lit.), or
  - 165, 171, 173, 177, 198 when appropriate

**Group V:** Shakespeare (3 hrs.): 160

**Group VI:** Electives (9 hrs.)
- any three 100-level courses, no more than one of which may be a "writing" course

### The Writing-Intensive Major
36 hrs. beyond English 001-002

**Group I:** any two of the surveys or genre introductions (6 hrs.)
- 022, 023, 032, 033; 042 (fiction), 043 (drama), 044 (poetry), or 005-006 (Honors)

**Group II:** Language Study (3 hrs.)
- 101 (History), 102 (Structure), 103 (Linguistics) 170 (Studies)

**Group III:** Individual Authors (3 hrs.)
- 114 (Chaucer), 119 (Milton), 165 (various)

**Group IV:** Literature before 1800 (3 hrs.)
- 114 (Chaucer), 115 (to 1500), 117 (16th century), 118 (17th century), 119 (Milton),
  - 120 (Ages of Dryden & Pope), 121 (Age of Johnson), 150 (Rise of American Lit.), or
  - 165, 171, 173, 177, 198 when appropriate

**Group V:** Shakespeare (3 hrs.): 160

**Group VI:** Electives (6 hrs.): two 100-level literature courses

**Group VII:** Writing (12 hrs.): 104 (advanced comp., required), 105, 106, 191, 192, 197, 173, 196, 198 when focused on writing; a language-study course (101, 102, 103, 170) in addition to that taken in Group II; no more than two among JOUR 111, 112, 113, 114, 151, 155 (for which ENGL 104 is prerequisite), and JOUR 151 and 155 (for which JOUR 100 is prerequisite).

Checklists of requirements are available in the English Department Office, 335 Coughlin Hall