

**Transfer Planning Tool
Columbia College Chicago
Academic Year 2015-16**



Department: Creative Writing
Degree: Bachelor of Fine Arts
Major: Fiction Writing

Total credits required for degree: 128
Total credits required in the major: 72

Number of semesters to degree completion ¹: 6
Example for planning purposes only

1st Semester (14 Credits)	2nd Semester (14 Credits)
59-1201 Fiction Writing I (4 cr) 59-1450 Tutoring Fiction Writing Skills (2cr) Critical Reading & Writing Course (4cr) Specialty Writing Course (4cr)	59-2201 Fiction Writing II (4cr) 59-1450 Tutoring Fiction Writing Skills (2cr) Critical Reading & Writing Course (4cr) Specialty Writing Course (4cr)
3rd Semester (12 Credits)	4th Semester (12 Credits)
59-2202 Prose Forms (4cr) BFA Writing Elective (4cr) BFA Writing Elective (4cr)	59-3201 Fiction Writing: Advanced (4cr) 59-3403 Fiction Writers and Publishing (4cr) BFA Writing Elective (4cr)
5th Semester (12 Credits)	6th Semester (8 Credits)
59-3201 Fiction Writing: Advanced (4cr) 59-3150 The Writer's Portfolio (4cr) 59-3990 Internship: Creative Writing (4cr)	59-3201 Fiction Writing: Advanced (4cr) 59-3203 Fiction Seminar (4cr)

Special notes for transfer students:

- Candidates must apply for acceptance into the BFA in Fiction Writing program.
- If you take 8 credits of Critical Reading & Writing (CRW) courses, than you must take 12 credits of Specialty Writing courses. If you take 8 credits of Specialty Writing courses, then you must take 12 credits of CRW.
- Tutoring Fiction Writing Skills is intensive one-to-one work with a Fiction Writing tutor. Up to 4 credits of Tutoring Fiction Writing Skills can count toward the Specialty Writing requirements. You may elect to take another CRW or Specialty Writing course instead of Tutoring Fiction Writing Skills.
- The BFA internship requirement is a minimum of 4 credits.

¹ *Semesters to degree completion are calculated assuming 60 total credits in transfer with all [Liberal Arts & Sciences Core](#) requirements complete and no major requirements transferred in. Students may lessen the length of time to degree completion by transferring in applicable major courses. Please see [TRANSFEROLOGY](#) for information on individual course equivalencies. Full-time status at Columbia College Chicago is 12-16 credits per term. All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete Global Awareness (3 credits), U.S. Pluralism (3 credits), Writing Intensive (3 credits), and upper division (2000 level or higher) LAS core courses (6 credits). Except for Writing Intensive, these requirements may be met in transfer.

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Key:

CWE: College-wide elective. Choose from any course in Columbia's catalog for which you have met requisites.