

Haas Undergraduate Program Literature/Writing Requirement

The courses listed below are included in UC Berkeley's General Catalog but may not be offered every semester. The Haas Undergraduate Program does not handle enrollment for these courses so please direct all questions regarding course enrollment and course availability to the appropriate departments.

Some of the courses have prerequisites so please keep that in mind when selecting courses.

African American Studies

150B	African American Literature 1920 to Present [3 units]
C151A	African American Plays from 1858 to 1959 [4 units]
C151B	Contemporary African American Drama [4 units]
C153A	Images of African American Women in Literature: Slavery to the 20th Century [3 units]
C153B	Contemporary Images of African American Women in Literature C153B [3 units]
154	Negritude: French African Literature [4 units]
155	Literature of the Caribbean: Significant Themes 155 [4 units]
156AC	Poetry for the People: Introduction to the Art of Poetry 156AC [4 units]
158A	Poetry for the People: The Writing and Teaching of Poetry [4 units]
158B	Poetry for the People: Practicum [4 units]
159	Special Topics in African American Literature 1-4 units] Must be taken for a minimum of 3 units
160	African Literatures [4 units]
162	Caribbean Literature by Women Authors: <i>Marasa</i> [4 units]
163	African Literature by Women [4 units]

American Studies

C111E	Topics in American Studies [4 units]
C152	Native American Literature [4 units]

Asian American Studies

172	Asian American Literature 172 [4 units]
173	Creative Writing [4 units]
175	Contemporary Narratives on the Philippines and the United States [3 units]
176	Genre in Asian American Literature [4 units]
178	Gender and Sexuality in Asian American Literature and Culture [4 units]
179	Transnational Narratives by Asian Americans [4 units]
181	Chinese American Literature [4 units]
183	Korean American Literature 183 [4 units]

Celtic Studies

119b	Welsh and Arthurian Literature of the Middle Ages [4 units]
125	Irish Literature in Translation [4 units]
138	Irish Literature -- Celtic Studies [4 units]
139	Irish Literature -- Celtic Studies [4 units]

Chicano Studies

40	Introduction to Chicano Literature in English [4 units]
141	Chicana Feminist Writers and [4 units]
142	Major Chicano Writers [4 units]
143	Chicano and Latin American Literature [3 units]
149	Creative Writing [5 units]

Chinese

7A	Introduction to Pre-Modern Chinese Literature and Culture [4 units]
7B	Introduction to Modern Chinese Literature and Culture [4 units]
180	The Story of the Stone [4 units]

Classics

34	Epic Poetry: Homer and Vergil [4 units]
35	Greek Tragedy [4 units]
100B	Latin Literature [4 units]
124	Classical Poetics [4 units]

College Writing

108	Advanced Composition: New Technologies [4 units]
110	Advanced Composition: Challenging Writing [4 units]
151	Introduction to Principles of Professional Communication [3 units]

Comparative Literature

Any course with a minimum of 3 semester units except H1A, H1B, N1A, N1B, R1A, R1B, R2A, R2B, R3A, R3B, 20, 98, 99, 112A, 112B, 198, 199

East Asian Languages and Cultures

105	Dynamics of Romantic Core Values in East Asian Pre-Modern Literature and Contemporary Film [4 units]
106	Expressing the Ineffable in China and Beyond: The Making of Meaning in Poetic Writing [4 units]

English

Any course with a minimum of 3 semester units except N1A, N1B, R1A, R1B, R50, C71, C77, 98, 99, 142A, 142D, 198, 199
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Ethnic Studies

100	Comparative Ethnic Literature in America [4 units]
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Film

180A	Screenwriting [4 units]
180B	Screenwriting [4 units]

Gender & Women's Studies

C153A	Images of African American Women in Literature: Slavery to the 20th Century [3 units]
C153B	Contemporary Images of African American Women in Literature [3 units]

German

152	Modern Literature [3 units]
155	Kafka and Modernism [4 units]
175B	20th-Century Poetry [3 units]

Italian Studies

104	Reading Italian Literature [4 units]
110	Literature and Culture of the 13th and 14th Centuries [4 units]
112	Sixteenth-Century Literature and Culture [4 units]
115	Nineteenth-Century Literature and Culture [4 units]
117	Twentieth-Century Literature [4 units]
120	Topics in Italian Studies [4 units]
130A	Dante's <i>Inferno</i> (in English) [4 units]
130B	Dante's <i>Purgatorio</i> and <i>Paradiso</i> (in English) [4 units]

Japanese

7A	Introduction to Pre-Modern Japanese Literature and Culture [4 units]
7B	Introduction to Modern Japanese Literature and Culture [4 units]

Korean

7A	Introduction to Pre-Modern Korean Literature and Culture [4 units]
7B	Introduction to Modern Korean Literature and Culture [4 units]

Native American Studies

C152	Native American Literature [4 units]
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Near Eastern Studies

132	Biblical Poetry [4 units]
139	Modern Jewish Literatures [3 units]
155	Wonder and the Fantastic: <i>The Thousand and One Nights</i> in World Literary Imagination [3 units]
162A	History of Persian Literature [4 units]
162B	History of Persian Literature [4 units]

Philosophy

6	Man, God, and Society in Western Literature [4 units]
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Religious Studies

C 119	The English Bible As Literature [4 units]
C166	India's Great Epics: The Mahabharata and the Ramayana [4 units]

Scandinavian

107	Plays of Ibsen [4 units]
120	The Novel in Scandinavian [4 units]
125	Old Norse Literature [4 units]
150	Studies in Scandinavian Literature [4 units]

Slavic Languages and Literatures

45	Nineteenth-Century Russian Literature [3 units]
46	Twentieth-Century Russian Literature [3 units]
131	Literature, Art, and Society in 20th Century Russia [4 units]
133	The Novel in Russia and the West [4 units]
132	Dostoevsky, Tolstoy, and the English Novel [4 units]
134 A	Gogol [3 units]
134C	Dostoevsky [4 units]
134D	Tolstoy [4 units]
134E	Chekhov [4 units]
134F	Nabokov [4 units]
134G	Tolstoy and Dostoevsky [4 units]
134N	Studies in Russian Literature [3 units]
160	Survey of Czech Literature [3 units]
170	Survey of Yugoslav Literatures [3 units]

South Asian Studies

121	Classical Indian Literature in Translation [4 units]
124	Modern Indian Literature [4 units]
C142	India's Great Epics: The Mahabharata and the Ramayana [4 units]

Southeast Asian

128	Introduction to Modern Indonesian and Malaysian Literature in Translation [4 units]
129	Mainland Southeast Asian Literature [4 units]

Theater, Dance, And Performance Studies

C107	Plays of Ibsen -- Theater, Dance, And Performance Studies [4 units]
126	Performance Literatures [4 units]
C131A	African American Plays from 1858 to 1959 [4 units]
C131B	Contemporary African American Drama [4 units]
139	Playwriting [3 units]