

WESTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

B.A. PROF. WRITING Student \_\_\_\_\_  
Public Relations Option Box \_\_\_\_\_

I. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (40 S.H. plus HPX)\*

Communication Skills (3 S.H.)

COM 160, 161, 162 or 163 \_\_\_\_\_ 3 \_\_\_\_\_

Has completed one Writing Intensive (W) course Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Humanities (15 S.H. minimum, including 3 of 7 fields: Fine and Applied Arts, Foreign Language, Humanistic Studies, Philosophy, Western History, Communication, literature)

ART 108 Design I or ART 140 Intro to Photography 3 \_\_\_\_\_

THR 163 Oral Interpretation or THR 181 Acting I 3 \_\_\_\_\_

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Social & Behavioral Sciences (12 S.H. minimum, including

2 of 3 fields: Non-Western Culture, Psychology, Social Science)

PSY 100 Introduction to Psychology 3 \_\_\_\_\_

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Natural Sciences & Mathematics (10 S.H. minimum including both Lab Science and Math or Computer science)

Lab. Sci. \_\_\_\_\_ 2, 3, or 4 \_\_\_\_\_

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Health Promotion and Exercise Sciences (2 S.H.)

HPX 177 Fitness for Life 2 \_\_\_\_\_

II. MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (48 Semester Hours)\*\*

WRT 171W Craft of Writing I 3 \_\_\_\_\_

WRT 172W Craft of Writing II 3 \_\_\_\_\_

WRT 273W Craft of Writing III 3 \_\_\_\_\_

WRT 274W Craft of Writing IV 3 \_\_\_\_\_

WRT 255W Advertising, Copywriting, & Promotion 3 \_\_\_\_\_

WRT 270W News Writing 3 \_\_\_\_\_

WRT 271W Human Interest Writing or  
WRT 245W Technical Writing 3 \_\_\_\_\_

WRT 340W Public Relations Writing 3 \_\_\_\_\_

Genre Workshop \_\_\_\_\_ 2 \_\_\_\_\_

LNG 317 Linguistics or LNG 320 Modern Eng. Grammar 3 \_\_\_\_\_

WRT 333W The Editorial Environment 3 \_\_\_\_\_

WRT 373W Editing and Copyediting 3 \_\_\_\_\_

WRT 442W Publication Design and Development 4 \_\_\_\_\_

WRT 465W Thesis Project 3 \_\_\_\_\_

MENU COURSES (6 SH) \_\_\_\_\_ 3 \_\_\_\_\_

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Writing Portfolio Requirement Met: Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

\*\*An overall GPA ≥ 2.5 required in courses to satisfy major requirements.

III. FREE ELECTIVES+ (32 SH) (Writing Dept. highly recommends that students with this option include in their free electives a marketing minor.)

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Foreign Language Requirement Completed : Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

+Minimum of 122 Sem. Hrs. including HPX 177 for B.A. Degree

Total Transfer Credits \_\_\_\_\_

6/07, 6/20/07, 6/09, 6/26/09, 6/12

\*General education requirements at Western total 42 semester hours. In some instances, work toward a major program partially fulfills general education requirements. The remaining general education requirements for this program are shown above.