ENGLISH MAJOR, B.A. – 2023-2024

The English major requires **56 units** in English, at least **44** of which must be **upper-division**, distributed as outlined below.

### PREPARATION FOR THE MAJOR

Two of the following courses: English 10, 11, 15, 22, 25, 34NA, 39, 40BA (or 40BB), 50.........................................................8

_English 10 may also be used to satisfy Area A2 under the general education requirements._

Elective lower-division English course (excluding English 18)..................................................................................................0-4

_Options: this elective course requirement may be completed at the lower or upper division, but 56 total units are needed overall_

### UPPER-DIVISION MAJOR

44-48 UD English units are required, distributed as follows:

**A. Distribution** (note that a single course can only apply towards satisfying one of the A-1 or A-2 area requirements even if it is listed under multiple areas, so a single course cannot be applied under any 2 areas):

#### A-1 Historical

One English course from each of the following four categories-

1) **Literatures & Cultures pre-1500** – one course from: 101AA-ZZ, 110A, 110B, 110C, 110T, 111, 114MW, 115, 152A, 152B, 152C, 153, 156.........................................................4


3) **Literatures & Cultures 1700-1900** – one course from: 103AA-ZZ, 114EE, 128EN, 136, 168, 169, 179, 180, 181AA-ZZ.................................................................4

4) **Literatures & Cultures post-1900** – one course from: 104AA-ZZ, 134AA, 134BL, 134CR, 134MP, 134PC, 184, 189, 191.................................................................4

#### A-2 Subject

One English course from each of the following four categories-


**B. Upper-division seminar (English 197)**.................................................................4

**C. Elective units in UD English courses.......................................................................................8-12**

*(One Upper-division foreign literature in translation course can be applied to the elective area by petition)*

### MAJOR REGULATIONS

**PREREQUISITES** ........................................................................................................ Check the General Catalog for the prerequisites to all listed courses.

**P/NP GRADING OPTION** ............................................................................................ Not allowed for major courses (prep or UD major), including courses applied to the major from other departments, with an exception: In Option I, P/NP allowed through 4th quarter of foreign language.

**SUBSTITUTIONS** ........................................................................................................ In the major requirements permissible only by petition to the department chair and dean.

**G.P.A. REQUIREMENTS** ............................................................................................. At least 2.0 overall UC average in all upper-division major courses and all courses (Prep and UD) for the major.

**DOUBLE MAJORS** ....................................................................................................... With the approval of each department chairperson, up to a total of 8 units may be applied simultaneously to both UD majors.