BG Perspective (BGP) Requirements

Must complete at least 1 course in each of the following:

English Composition and Oral Communication
Course Credits

Quantitative Literacy

Must Complete at least 2 courses in each of the following:

Humanities and the Arts

Natural Sciences

Social and Behavioral Sciences

Complete total required BGP credit hours by selecting courses from any of the above categories:

University Requirements  Designated courses in Humanities and the Arts and the Social and Behavioral Sciences domains may be used to fulfill both the BGP requirement and one of the following university requirements:

Cultural Diversity in the US
International Perspective

Composition Requirement:

GSW 1120 Academic Writing

Total BGP Credits: Must be at least 36

Arts & Sciences Requirements

Foreign Language (_____ yrs of HS_______)

1010
1020
2010
2020/2120

Lab Science

Multidisciplinary Component  Select from approved offerings, in consultation with an advisor and a faculty mentor. Four courses total, each with a different subject prefix. At least two courses at 3000/4000 level. Courses applied to the Arts & Sciences MDC may not be used to fulfill other Arts and Sciences degree requirements, nor may they be used to fulfill major, minor, BGP or other program requirements.

Electives and Non-Credit Courses

Major Requirements (42 Hrs.)

Note:

0 X ENG 99 Creative Writing Common Time
(must complete 4 semesters)

Sophomore Year

3 ENG 2040 Imaginative Writing
3 ENG 2050 Craft of Poetry
3 ENG 2060 Craft of Fiction
3 ENG 2090 Creative Writing Workshop

Junior Year

3 ENG 3120 Poetry Workshop or
3 ENG 3130 Fiction Workshop
3 ENG 3120 Poetry Workshop or
3 ENG 3130 Fiction Workshop

Senior Year

3 ENG 4120 Poetry Writer’s Workshop or
3 ENG 4130 Fiction Writer’s Workshop
3 ENG 4120 Poetry Writer’s Workshop or
3 ENG 4130 Fiction Writer’s Workshop

*Out of the 4 required 3000/4000 level workshops, the student must have at least 1 in both genres.

3 ENG 4970 Senior BFA Thesis Workshop
(taken final year)

Other courses to be taken during the Soph., Jr. and Sr. years include:

3 ENG 2610 World Lit. Ancient Times to 1700 or
ENG 2620 World Lit. from 1700 to present
3 ENG 2900 Language Study
3 of the following 4 courses:
3 ENG 3200 Modern Poetry
3 ENG 3230 Modern Fiction
3 ENG 3300 Contemporary Poetry
3 ENG 3330 Contemporary Fiction

Minor Requirements (usually 21 hours; NO courses in major can be used in a minor)

Electives and Non-Credit Courses
For Graduation You Will Need:

1. 122 credit hours minimum.
   
   In Progress/Completed ________ Needed ________

2. Minimum GPA 2.00.
   
   Current GPA __________

3. At least 30 credit hours of BGSU course work.
   
   In Progress/Completed ________ Needed ________

4. 40 credit hours at the 3000/4000 level.
   
   In Progress/Completed ________ Needed ________

5. Completion of all degree requirements, including the BG Perspective Core.
   
   In Progress/Completed ________ Needed ________

6. A major, and if required, a minor, specialization or emphasis.
   
   Declared with the College Office  ☐ Yes  ☐ No

Any substitution or waiver of courses required for your major or minor program must originate in the department/school offering the major or minor and must be approved by the College Office.

To ensure a timely graduation, see a College Advisor during the semester prior to your intended graduation.

Remember to complete an Application for Graduation by the end of the second week of classes during the fall semester or spring regular session, or by the end of the first week of the summer semester. For the specific dates, check your DARS. You may log onto MyBGSU to complete the online application. After the deadlines, you will need to complete an application in person in the College Office.