

**AREA 1: CORE COURSES (12 hours)**

	<u>Hrs</u>	<u>Semester</u>	<u>Grade</u>
ENGL 501    Christian Poetics	3	_____	_____
ENGL 503    Bibliography and Research	3	_____	_____
ENGL 505    Advanced Literacy Criticism	3	_____	_____
<i>Choose one (1) course from:</i>			
ENGL 507    Teaching Composition (for GSA's)	3	_____	_____
ENGL 554    Teaching Writing Across the Curriculum (for non-GSA's)	3	_____	_____

**AREA 2: LITERATURE COURSES (12 hours)**

*Choose four (4) courses from:*

ENGL 510    Biblical Foundations of Christian Leadership	3	_____	_____
ENGL 511    Christian Authors	3	_____	_____
ENGL 512    Seminar in British Authors	3	_____	_____
ENGL 515    Studies in British Literature	3	_____	_____
ENGL 517    Old English Literature	3	_____	_____
ENGL 523    Shakespeare	3	_____	_____
ENGL 529    Studies in American Literature	3	_____	_____
ENGL 532    Seminar in American Authors	3	_____	_____
ENGL 537    African-American Literature	3	_____	_____
ENGL 595    Directed Research*	3	_____	_____
ENGL 613    Contemporary and Postmodern Literature	3	_____	_____
ENGL 656    World Literature	3	_____	_____

### AREA 3: ELECTIVES (6 hours)

Choose two (2) courses from the following list or substitute any courses not already taken in Area 1 & 2:

ENGL 513	Linguistics	3	_____	_____
ENGL 533	Advanced Grammar	3	_____	_____
ENGL 550	Non-fiction Writing	3	_____	_____
ENGL 551	Poetry Writing	3	_____	_____
ENGL 552	Fiction Writing	3	_____	_____
ENGL 564	History of the English Language	3	_____	_____

### AREA 4: THESIS OR ELECTIVES (6 hours)

ENGL 689	Thesis Proposal & Research <sup>1</sup>	3	_____	_____
ENGL 690	Thesis Defense	3	_____	_____

**Total Hours: 36**

### GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

36 semester hours

30 semester hours must be completed through LU

3.0 GPA

Reading Proficiency in a Language other than English

Degree must be completed within 5 years

Resident students are required to pass the graduate writing assessment or complete GRST 500

Thesis or Comprehensive Exam required

Submit Graduation Application at the beginning of the final semester

### NOTES

<sup>1</sup>Any thesis student who is not ready for enrollment in ENGL 690 after completing ENGL 689 may be required, as determined by the student's thesis chair, to repeat ENGL 689 until deemed ready for enrollment in ENGL 690.

\*Approval of program director required for ENGL 595.

### RECOMMENDED SEQUENCE

#### 1<sup>st</sup> Year Fall

Core	3
Literature	3
Literature	3

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Year Fall

Core	3
Literature	3
Elective	3

#### 1<sup>st</sup> Year Spring

Core	3
Literature	3
Elective	3

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Year Spring

Thesis or Electives	6
Core	3