

## Program Requirements Worksheet: MA/MS in Technical and Professional Writing

Student Name:	Graduation (Term/Year):
Contact E-Mail:	Student ID:

Please enter in all information for each course that will be used to satisfy the following requirements. See next page for qualifying courses.

Graduation Track:      Portfolio                       Thesis

<b>Core Courses: 16 Credits</b>							
	DEPT.	NO.	TITLE	CREDITS	GRADE	TERM/YR.	
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<b>Technical Writing Electives: 20 Credits</b>							
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<b>Open Electives: 12 Credits</b>							
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Total Credits: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Advisor Approval</b>		
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<b>Advisor Name</b>	<b>Advisor Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>

*Abbreviation Code:*

*ER = Exception Request. Mark this box if a course is being substituted for one of the Core Course or Technical Writing Electives requirements.*  
*PA = Pre-Admission Credits. Mark this box if you took this course before officially enrolling in the program.*

**Core Courses (16 credits):**

WR 525 – Advanced Technical Writing  
WR 531 – Advanced Topics in Technical Writing Technologies  
WR 532 – Frameworks for Technical Writing  
WR 533 – Research Methods for Technical Writers

**Technical Writing Electives (20 credits).** Select from the following course list:

WR 510 – Selected Topics in Writing  
WR 524 – Grant Writing for Professional Writers  
WR 526 – Document Design  
WR 527 – Technical Editing  
WR 529 – Writing Computer Documentation  
WR 531 – Advanced Topics in Technical Writing Technologies  
WR 560 – Introduction to Book Publishing  
WR 572 – Copyediting  
WR 562 – Book Design Software  
WR 566 – Digital Skills  
WR 565 – Intellectual Property and Copyright  
ENG 513 – Teaching and Tutoring Writing  
ENG 514 – Contemporary Composition Theories  
ENG 515 – Research Methods in Rhetoric and Composition  
ENG 590 – Advanced Topics in Rhetoric and Composition Studies  
ENG 516 – History of Rhetoric  
ENG 525 – Practical Grammar

**Open Electives (12 Credits):**

**Portfolio-track** students may take any additional 500-level courses in WR or ENG.

**Thesis-track** students must take between 6 and 9 credits of WR 503 – Thesis, and between 3 and 6 credits of any additional 500-level courses in WR or ENG.

**Credit Limitations:**

Students are limited to a combination of 8 credits of WR 501, WR 502, WR 505 and WR 509, and a combination of 8 credits of WR 504 and WR 511.