## Overview of the MA in Literary and Culture Studies

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| Year One | COURSES <br> - ENGC 7002 Introduction to Graduate Studies <br> - ENGC 7030 Teaching College Writing <br> - ENGC 7031 Teaching Practicum <br> - ENGL 9095 Teaching or ENGL 9096 Professional Practice* <br> - Two seminars (including ENGC 7004 Introduction to Theory if offered in Fall) <br> TEACHING <br> - Teach one composition course | COURSES <br> - Three seminars (including ENGC 7004 Introduction to Theory if offered in Spring) <br> - ENGL 9095 Teaching or ENGL 9096 Professional Practice* <br> TEACHING <br> - Teach one composition course (or be a research or administrative assistant) |
| Year Two | COURSES <br> - Three seminars <br> - ENGL 9095 Teaching or ENGL 9096 Professional Practice* <br> TEACHING <br> - Teach one composition course (or be a research or administrative assistant) <br> PREP FOR MA THESIS <br> - Submit MA Thesis Committee Form by Oct. 1 | courses <br> - Two seminars <br> - ENGL 9090 MA Thesis <br> - ENGL 9095 Teaching or ENGL 9096 Professional Practice* <br> teaching <br> - Teach one composition course (or be a research or administrative assistant) <br> MA THESIS <br> - Apply to Graduate by Grad School Deadline in January. <br> - Schedule oral exam <br> - Draft Master's Thesis; give final draft to committee two weeks before exam date <br> - Take oral exam by end of semester |

* Students teaching or TAing for the department will sign up for ENGL 9095 while students serving as research or administrative assistants will sign up for ENGL 9096; unfunded students sign up for neither.

Unfunded students are required to enroll in 10 credit hours to be considered full time, and 5 credit hours to be considered half-time for student loan deferral purposes.

Full time, funded students must register for at least 12 credit hours and no more than $\mathbf{1 8}$ credit hours per semester. ENGL 9095 and ENGL 9096 are not required courses; they are filler courses that give funded students 3 credit hours in order to meet the 12 credit hour requirement. Funded students can opt out of enrolling in ENGL 9095/6 as long as they are enrolled in $12+$ credit hours each semester. Do not sign up for ENGL 9095/6 if doing so puts you over 18 credit hours a semester.

