

WRITING

What can I do with this major?

PRINT RESOURCES

(All Available in the Career Resource Library in The Career Center)

Careers for Book Worms
(EN/WR Category)

Careers in Writing
(EN/WR Category)

Great Jobs for English Majors
(EN/WR Category)

Opportunities in Publishing Careers
(EN/WR Section)

Money Making Writing Jobs
(EN/WR Section)

Opportunities in Journalism Careers
(EN/WR Section)

Career Opportunities in The Publishing Industry
(COM Section)

How to Write a Winning Personal Statement for Graduate and Professional School
(Grad Section)

Graduate Programs in the Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences
(Grad Section)



OVERVIEW OF MAJOR

The writing major allows students to develop their talents as writers while grounding themselves in rhetoric and in a long tradition of poetry and prose. Writing majors typically go on to become editors, desktop publishers, lawyers, reviewers, newsletter managers, and consultants, as well as published authors.

WRITING DEPARTMENT SITE:

www.loyola.edu/academic/writing.aspx

COURSE CATALOGUE:

www.catalogue.loyola.edu/catalogues/current/undergraduate/artsandsci/writing.html#PageLink1

ACADEMIC ADVISING AND SUPPORT CENTER:

www.loyola.edu/department/aasc.aspx

POTENTIAL JOB TITLES

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| ◇ English Teacher | ◇ Reporter |
| ◇ Technical Writer | ◇ Social Media Assistant |
| ◇ Assistant Publisher | ◇ Paralegal |
| ◇ Assistant Editor | ◇ Book Editor |
| ◇ Publications Editor | ◇ Grant Writer |
| ◇ Columnist | ◇ Librarian |
| ◇ Graphic Designer | ◇ Admissions Counselor |
| ◇ Litigation Support Specialist | ◇ Campus Minister |
| ◇ Freelance Writer | ◇ Scholarship Associate |

WHERE CAN I GET AN INTERNSHIP?

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| ◇ Comcast | ◇ South Jersey Magazine |
| ◇ Girls' Life Magazine | ◇ Law Offices of Michael P. May |
| ◇ Agora Publishing, Inc. | ◇ Maryland Winery Association |
| ◇ Baltimore Symphony Orchestra | ◇ Cape Cod Magazine |
| ◇ Chubb | ◇ Bancroft Publishing |
| ◇ Cosmopolitan Magazine | ◇ Baltimore City Public Defender |
| ◇ Lawyers Without Borders | ◇ Maryland Public Television |
| ◇ Martin-Lauer Associates LLC | ◇ The Rosen Group, NICHE Magazine |

SAMPLE WEB RESOURCES	POSSIBLE CAREER FIELDS
<p>American Academy of Political & Social Science www.aapss.org</p> <p>American Bar Association www.abanet.org</p> <p>American Society of Journalists and Authors www.asja.org</p> <p>American Society of News Editors www.asne.org</p> <p>American Press Institute www.naafoundation.org</p> <p>Association for Education in Journalism & Mass Communication www.aejmc.org</p> <p>National Writers Union www.nwu.org</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">WRITING/ EDITING</p> <p>CREATIVE WRITING ◇ JOURNALISM ◇ FREELANCE ◇ TECHNICAL WRITING</p> <p style="text-align: center;">EDUCATION</p> <p style="text-align: center;">PUBLISHING</p> <p>EDITING ◇ ADVERTISING ◇ SALES ◇ CIRCULATION ◇ PRODUCTION PUBLICITY</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ADVERTISING</p> <p>CREATIVE ◇ MEDIA ◇ RESEARCH</p> <p style="text-align: center;">PUBLIC RELATIONS</p> <p>RESEARCH ◇ WRITING ◇ EDITING ◇ MEDIA</p> <p style="text-align: center;">LAW</p> <p style="text-align: center;">BUSINESS/INDUSTRY</p>
 <p>Sample graduate programs pursued by Writing majors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ PhD, Comparative Literature ◇ MA, Composition & Rhetoric ◇ JD, Law ◇ MA, English ◇ MA, Technical Writing ◇ MFA, Creative Writing ◇ MS, School Psychology ◇ MA, Bookmaking ◇ MA, Professional Writing ◇ PhD, English Literature 	<p style="text-align: center;">POSSIBLE WORK SETTINGS</p> <p>NEWSPAPERS ◇ MAGAZINES ◇ INTERNET SITES ◇ PRIVATE SCHOOLS</p> <p>TRADE MAGAZINES ◇ ADVERTISING AGENCIES</p> <p>PUBLIC RELATIONS FIRMS ◇ LAW FIRMS ◇ GOVERNMENT AGENCIES ◇ BANKS</p> <p>REAL ESTATE AGENCIES ◇ INSURANCE FIRMS ◇ BOOKSTORES</p> <p>COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES ◇ PRIVATE LEARNING CENTER</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">IMPORTANT SKILLS & ABILITIES</p> <p>SPEAKING & DEBATE ◇ COMPUTER ◇ DEADLINE ORIENTED ◇ INITIATIVE</p> <p>WORD PROCESSING & EDITING ◇ PERSISTANCE ◇ ASSERTIVENESS</p> <p>RESEARCH ◇ PUBLIC SPEAKING ◇ ANALYTICAL ◇ CREATIVE</p> <p>ATTENTION TO DETAIL ◇ WORK WELL UNDER PRESSURE</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Contact The Career Center:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Phone: 410-617-2232</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Email: thecareercenter@loyola.edu</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Website: www.loyola.edu/thecareercenter</p>