

Enhance your creative voice & thrive in the world of writing, literature, publishing, & communication with AUR's combination of theoretical analysis & hands-on, experiential learning in the inspiring city of Rome, Italy.

An essential modern skill

Our world revolves around storytelling, & this program will allow you to explore the vital role of language & narrative in society. With an emphasis on literary history, creative writing, & practical experience, you will gain the interdisciplinary & critical thinking skills needed to succeed in today's evolving literary landscape.

Prepared to face the future

AUR's faculty include award-winning poets, authors, & scholars with unmatched global expertise, diverse ideas, & professional networks. You will be encouraged to sharpen your unique vision & learn across disciplines, allowing you to be competitive in the job market & develop skills in podcasting, graphic design, & other contemporary fields.

Go beyond the classroom

With Rome as your classroom, the BA in English Writing, Literature, & Publishing prepares you for the dynamic & creative world of writing with a global perspective. As a world capital in the center of Europe, Rome offers the unique opportunity to expand your imagination & experience. Literary culture comes to life through Italy's places, food, & culture, inspiring you & helping you find your voice & refine your talent.

25+
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8+ field
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BA ENGLISH WRITING, LITERATURE, & PUBLISHING

Core Courses

ENG 200 Survey of British Literature I
ENG 201 Survey of British Literature II
ENG 204 Survey of American Literature
COM 213 Transmedia Storytelling
ENG 305 Literary Editing & Publishing
COM 211 Podcasting & Vidcasting
FLM 150 Intro to Filmaking
DM 105 Digital Design: Print Graphics
ENG 208 Fiction: Genre, Technique, & Structure

Major Electives Include:

BUEN 307 Writing for Business COM 323 Sports Writing ENFD 310 Adapting Lit. to the Screen ENG 317 Writing Fiction for Children ENG 322 Travel Writing CLS 210 Greek & Roman Drama ENG 309 Shakespeare's Italian Plays

Internships & career development

Gain wide-ranging expertise & practical skills in the writing & publishing industry by completing an internship at one of the following companies or organizations:

Associated Press Food & Agricultural Org. of the UN Rome-ing Magazine Sephardi Voices Documentary Vatican Radio Wanted in Rome Magazine

Alumni job placements include:

Copywriter
Digital Content Manager
Journalist
Political Speechwriter
Novelist
Lawyer





"I owe my journalism career to AUR. My professors taught me to let myself go, be creative & get inspired by the city around me. AUR is just a microcosm of the world. Study here, & you'll be better prepared to live & work in the world of tomorrow."

Alessandra Potenza, ELWP '08

Science Reporter & Editor, The Verge M.A. in Journalism, Columbia University School of Journalism

