

Preliminary Web Course Description

*Please note: This is a preliminary web course description only. The department reserves the right to change without notice any information in this description. The final, binding course outline will be distributed in the first class of the semester.

School of English and Theatre Studies

Course Code: CRWR 6300	Course Title: Playwriting Seminar	Date of Offering:
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Course Instructor:	Course Format: seminar
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Brief Course Synopsis: Each student will be expected to begin and complete a full two act play or screenplay by mid-December, as well as presenting a seminar on a playwright or screenwriter. Every class will be dedicated to an aspect of the writing process, i.e., concept, character, narrative arc, dialogue, monologue and scene work. The students should be prepared to share their work, and read the work of their classmates, as well as offering feedback.

Methods of Evaluation and Weight:

Outline: 20%
Seminar: 20%
Monologue: 10%
Scene: 20%
First Draft: 30%

Texts and/or Resources Required (e.g. Internet access, specific textbook title, lab kit, etc.)

Internet access

This course counts towards the following distribution requirement(s) for students who registered at the University prior to the Fall of 2018: N/A

Information about mode of delivery (synchronous/asynchronous/other details):

*Students who registered at the University of Guelph after Fall 2018 must fulfill the “new” major and minor requirements. Students who registered at the University of Guelph prior to Fall 2018 must fulfill the requirements of the Calendar in effect when they first enrolled unless they have filed a Schedule of Studies Change Request to change to the 2018-2019 calendar. For more information, please consult the major and minor checklists at <https://www.uoguelph.ca/arts/sets/undergraduate/english/current-student-information>.