



## Language, Literature and Communication Division

# English

### Why English?

Graduates in English have the skills needed to land jobs and advance in their careers, whether in the same field or in another field. Employers routinely cite the ability to work with language as key to a job candidate's success. Specifically, employers look for workers with strong skills in:

- Writing and speaking
- Critical thinking and reasoning
- Reading and analyzing
- Assembling and organizing information

### Why Mount Mary College?

The small class size and personal attention from English faculty support each student's academic and personal success. Students' interests and talents are nurtured as they develop imaginative thinking, clear writing and communication skills, and strong backgrounds in reading and discussion. Our English majors have the opportunity to write for the student newspaper, publish in campus literary magazines, present at conferences and complete internships.

### Career Paths

- Editor (Print and Multimedia)
- Freelance Writer
- Grant Writer
- Journalist
- Educator (School or Corporate)
- Public Relations Director
- Project Manager
- Technical Writer
- Web Designer/Editor
- Advertising Copy Writer

### Sample Coursework

- Creative Writing (Beginning & Advanced)
- British, American & World Literatures
- Shakespeare
- Reporting & Feature Writing
- Editing and Publishing
- Script Writing, Grant Writing & Technical Writing
- Special Topics in American & British Literatures
- Literary Criticism
- Creating Professional Presentations
- Creating Web & Print Materials for Small Businesses



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### More on the Web

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### Majors:

- English Literature
- English Professional Writing
- English Education
- English Broadfield Language Arts Education

Post-baccalaureate certificates also are available in the four major areas listed above.

### Minors:

- English Broadfield Language Arts Education
- English Education
- English Literature
- English Professional Writing
- Journalism
- Journalism Education

### Graduate Programs:

- Master of Arts in English

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## Internships

Mount Mary College students have participated in internships at the following organizations:

- Camp Heartland
- Children's Hospital of Wisconsin
- Curative Care Network
- First Stage Milwaukee
- Literacy Services of Wisconsin
- Manpower
- Medical College of Wisconsin
- MetroPARENT Magazine
- Milwaukee Public Museum
- Milwaukee Zoological Society
- Robert W. Baird and Company
- *Shepherd Express*

## Faculty

- Ann Angel, MFA, Vermont College of Norwich University
- Andrea Hilkovitz, Ph.D., University of Texas - Austin
- Laura Otto, MFA, Indiana University
- Paula Reiter, Ph.D., Duke University
- Kristi Siegel, Ph.D., University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee
- Lisa Beranek Terasa, Ph.D., Marquette University
- Wendy Weaver, Ph.D., Marquette University



## Activities and Opportunities

- Join Sigma Tau Delta, the English honor society
- Publish your writing in *Paper Clips*, *Arches* and other venues
- Attend lecture series events featuring prominent authors, poetry readings and plays
- Present at our annual conference
- Socialize with fellow English students at department events
- Benefit from professional development workshops on resumes, job interviews and internships

## About Mount Mary College

Discover what the more than 1,900 current Mount Mary graduate and undergraduate students already know. Mount Mary offers an engaging and transformational education. Here students explore and expand their hopes and dreams. We invite you to be one of them.

Mount Mary's residential campus is home to a diverse student body. Be a part of our gorgeous suburban campus, just 20 minutes from downtown Milwaukee.

For over 90 years Mount Mary College has been educating women in the Catholic tradition – we are committed to your success. Nearly 100% of our full-time undergraduate students receive a scholarship. Mount Mary is dedicated to making a college education affordable for you.

See how Mount Mary's strong academics, small class sizes, safe and vibrant campus, and student organizations and leadership opportunities will help you achieve your personal and career goals. Contact the Admission Office at 800-321-6265 or [mmc-admiss@mtmary.edu](mailto:mmc-admiss@mtmary.edu).

