

**Hagerstown Community College**  
**OFFICIAL COURSE SYLLABUS DOCUMENT**

**COURSE:** ENG 210 – Creative Writing II

3 Credits

**INSTRUCTOR:**

**SEMESTER/YEAR:**

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** This course is a continuation of ENG 209. Attention is again focused upon problems that writers most frequently encounter. Appropriate selections from literature are read and discussed. Total of 45 hours of lecture.

**TEXTBOOK:**

There is no required textbook for this course.

**STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES:**

Students will continue with the work begun in ENG 209, strengthening their skills as they

1. Employ writer's craft tools to write fiction and poetry with effective characterization, plot, thematic conflict, structure, setting, and style.
2. Differentiate among readers' expectations of the short-short story, short story, novel, metered poetry, and prose poetry.
3. Utilize a personalized writer's plan that focuses on avoiding writer's block by sustaining enthusiasm and engagement as a piece makes its journey from scattered ideas to marketable lyric or fiction.