

Hagerstown Community College

OFFICIAL COURSE SYLLABUS DOCUMENT

COURSE: ENG 240 – Seminar in English Studies

1 Credit

INSTRUCTOR:

SEMESTER/YEAR:

TEXTBOOK: None

COURSE DESCRIPTION: This course provides English majors with a capstone experience that brings together their previous course work and prepares them for transfer to a four year institution. Students will demonstrate their knowledge and proficiency in literature, writing, and critical thinking by assembling a portfolio of writing and reflecting on their knowledge and skills. Topics covered will also include transfer expectations and career development. This course should be taken during the last semester of course work. Students will be expected to demonstrate that they have met the English program outcomes. Total of 15 hours of lecture.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES:

1. Evaluate writing abilities and competence. Demonstrate competence and understanding of written English
2. Evaluate and critically analyze literary works.
3. Assess the social, cultural, ethnic, literary and historical contexts of literary works
4. Demonstrate independent analysis and understanding of British, American, and World literature
5. Synthesize and evaluate mastery of English program outcomes