

Fall 2016

Graduate Course Offerings



ENG 573 History of the English Language

ENG 57301 (3 Credits)

Meeting Dates: 5:00-6:20 PM Tuesdays & Thursdays, August 29—December 16 in
Murphy 104

Course Description: From the development of the Indo-European language family to English as a world language, this course explores the influence of historical and cultural developments, internal changes, and language attitudes on the English language. Students will come to understand how languages begin and why they change, how language is a product of its socio-cultural history, and why there are dialectal differences in the English heard around the world. They will complete a research project related to language learning and teaching writing.

Instructor: Dr. Elizabeth Canon, Assistant Professor of English at MWSU

ENG/EDU 50240 Professional Learning Community: Writing Marathon

ENG 50240/EDU 50240 (2 credits)

Meeting Dates: Online and at 9:00 AM-4:00 PM on September 10, October 1, and
November 5

Course Description: Students in this course will participate in a day-long writing marathon during the first class session, writing and sharing with groups of fellow writers at various stops in Saint Joseph. The second and third sessions will be day-long workshops on writing marathon pedagogy, exploring uses for marathons in teaching writing, place, and community advocacy in K-college classrooms through readings, activities, and discussion. Participants will learn a variety of writing marathon adaptations for use in classrooms and organizations and will each design a teaching unit which incorporates a writing marathon.

Instructor: Dr. Susan Martens, Prairie Lands Writing Project Director and Assistant Professor of English at MWSU

PLWP
Tuition rate:
\$75
per credit
hour
(plus MWSU fees*)

These bargain rates are **ONLY** available to teachers who submit registration forms through the **Prairie Lands Writing Project by Wednesday, August 21, 2015.**

Click [here](#) for registration directions or visit our website:

www.missouriwestern.edu/plwp/

Questions?

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*MWSU fees in 2015-2016 were approximately \$100-\$140 per class.

MWSU Business Office Policy:
If a student registers prior to July 5, tuition and fees must be paid or payment arrangement must be made by July 20, 2016. If a student registers between July 5 and August 5, tuition and fees must be paid or payment arrangement must be made by August 7. Students registering after August 6 must make payment or payment arrangements at the time of enrollment. Failure to pay your account in full or enroll in the payment plan by the due date will result in a late fee of \$100. It is the responsibility of the student to notify the Registrar's Office in writing, if attendance plans change. Failure to do so will re-



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