**Purdue Northwest Curriculum Document Coversheet**

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| **Document No:**  (According to [Instruction](http://faculty.pnw.edu/blog/curriculum-document-approval-procedures/)s[[1]](#footnote-1)) | CHESS 18-26 REV MINOR ENGL - Literature | **Approval by Faculty Senate:**  (Leave Blank) | 4-12-19 |
| **Proposed Effective Date** | Fall 2019 | **Date Reviewed by Senate Curriculum**  **Committee:**  (Leave blank) | 3-8-19 |
| **Submitting Department:**  (Name of both Dept & College/School ) | ENGL  CHESS | **Name(s) of Library Staff Consulted:**  (NA if not required) | N/A |
| **Date Reviewed by Department** | 12/7/2018 |  |  |
| **Submission Date:**  (Date sent to College/School Curr Comm after Dept Review) | 1/4/2019 | **Will New Library**  **Resources Used?** | **Yes** **No**  Double-click to check Yes / No. |
| **Date Reviewed by College/School Curriculum Committee** | 1/25/2019 | **Form 40 Needed?**  (Double-click one box.)  Registrar will complete Form 40 **after** Senate approval of document. | **Yes** New courses or any course change, check **YES**  **No** For **all other** curriculum matters, check **NO**. |
| **Contact Person(s):**  (Name & Title) | Heather Fielding, Associate Professor of English (on leave F18-S19)Colette Morrow, Associate Professor of English |  |  |

Unless marked “Leave blank” all parts of this form must be filled in **before** sending to Secretary of the Faculty Senate.

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| **Task (check all that apply and fill out sections appropriate for each change).**  Program/Concentration Change or New Program/Concentration Proposal: Complete Section I, III, & IV  Minor Change or New Minor Proposal: Complete Section I (delete sections III & IV)  Certificate Change or New Certificate Proposal: Complete Section I (delete sections III & IV)  Course Change or New Course Proposal: Complete Section II (delete sections III & IV) |
| **Program name**.English |
| **Degree name(s).** (If applicable.) |

## Section I: This section is for changes in programs, minors and certificates

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| **List the major changes in each program of study, minor or certificate.**  Currently there are two different English literature minors, one at each campus. We propose to eliminate them to be replaced by a minor in English. |
| **Impact on Students.** (State “N/A” if proposal will not greatly affect students.)  This proposal will make the minor more accessible to students at both campuses and will reduce confusion. It will allow students greater flexibility in choosing English courses of interest to them in fulfilling a minor in English. |
| **Impact on University Resources.** (State “N/A” if proposal will not require new resources, faculty or funds.)  n/a |
| **Impact on other Academic Units.** (State “N/A” if proposal will not affect other units.)(Include name of person in affected area discussed with)  n/a |

**Minor in English Literature (CURRENT)**

## Course Requirements (Min. 15 Credit Hours)

* 15 Credit Hours minimum - No Credit Hours for the Minor may be taken Pass/No Pass
* 2.5 GPA minimum in the Minor
* Prerequisites:  [ENGL 10400](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272#tt7137) and [ENGL 10500](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272#tt7379)
* All appropriate prerequisites must be fulfilled before enrolling in Minor courses
* Minor must be attached to a Major in any discipline other than English and all Major requirements must be met

CURIOUS STUDENT OPTION Any English course above 200 but no more than 1 creative and 1 professional NO double dipping.

### American Literature (3 Credits)

**Choose One:**

* [ENGL 25000 - Great American Books](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 25700 - Literature Of Black America](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 35000 - Survey Of American Literature From Its Beginnings To 1865](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 35100 - Survey Of American Literature From 1865 To The Post-World War II Period](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 35600 - American Humor](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 37100 - Twentieth-Century American Literature](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)

### British Literature (3 Credits)

**Choose One:**

* [ENGL 24000 - Survey Of The British Literature: From The Beginnings Through The Neoclassical Period](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 24100 - Survey Of The British Literature: From The Rise Of Romanticism To The Modern Period](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 33100 - Medieval English Literature](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 33300 - Renaissance English Literature](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 33500 - Restoration And Eighteenth-Century English Literature](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 33700 - Nineteenth-Century English Literature](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)

### Genre or Author Course (3 Credits)

**Choose One:**

* [ENGL 37300 - Science Fiction And Fantasy](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 37500 - British Drama To 1800, Exclusive Of Shakespeare](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 37700 - Major Modern Poetry](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 37900 - The Short Story](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 38100 - The British Novel](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 38200 - The American Novel](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 38300 - Modern Drama: Ibsen To The Absurdists](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 44100 - Chaucer’s Canterbury Tales](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 44200 - Shakespeare](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 44400 - Milton](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)

### Elective Course (3 Credits)

Must be at the 30000 level or above.

**Choose One:**

* [ENGL 32700 - English Language I: History And Development](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 33100 - Medieval English Literature](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 33300 - Renaissance English Literature](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 33500 - Restoration And Eighteenth-Century English Literature](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 33700 - Nineteenth-Century English Literature](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 35000 - Survey Of American Literature From Its Beginnings To 1865](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 35100 - Survey Of American Literature From 1865 To The Post-World War II Period](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 35600 - American Humor](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 36000 - Gender And Literature](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 37200 - American Folklore](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 39600 - Studies In Literature And Language](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 46800 - Problems In The History Of Criticism](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 46900 - Issues In Contemporary Criticism And Theory](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 59600 - Advanced Studies In Literature Or Language](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1478&returnto=272)

**Minor in English (current)**

## Course Requirements (15 Credit Hours)

### Required Course (3 Credits)

**Choose One:**

* [ENGL 20100 - The Nature Of Literary Study](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* **OR**
* [ENGL 23100 - Introduction To Literature](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)

### British, World, or American Literature (3 Credits)

**Choose One:**

* [ENGL 24000 - Survey Of The British Literature: From The Beginnings Through The Neoclassical Period](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 24100 - Survey Of The British Literature: From The Rise Of Romanticism To The Modern Period](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 26000 - Introduction To World Literature: To 1700](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 26100 - Introduction To World Literature: Since 1700](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 35000 - Survey Of American Literature From Its Beginnings To 1865](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 35100 - Survey Of American Literature From 1865 To The Post-World War II Period](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)

### Women Authors & Writers (3 Credits)

**Choose One:**

* [ENGL 31200 - Ethnic American Women Writers](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 31300 - African American Women’s Fiction](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 32000 - By And About Women](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 32300 - Sexual Identity In Literature](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 32400 - International Women’s Literature](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 34000 - Literature By Women Of Color](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)

### Writing Requirement (3 Credits)

**Choose One:**

* [ENGL 31900 - Creative Writing](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 41800 - Short Fiction Writing](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 42000 - Business Writing](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 42501 - Writing For New Media](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 43600 - Writing For Informational Interactive Media](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 43700 - Writing For Video Games](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 45100 - Feature Writing](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)

### English Requirement (3 Credits)

Choose one course from one of the groups below:

* **Genre Courses:**
* [ENGL 31400 - Modern Poetry](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 35600 - American Humor](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 38100 - The British Novel](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 38200 - The American Novel](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 38300 - Modern Drama: Ibsen To The Absurdists](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 41200 - Studies In Genre](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 47900 - The Short Story](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* **Cultural Courses:**
* [ENGL 28600 - The Movies](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 31000 - Introduction To Popular Culture](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 32400 - International Women’s Literature](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 35500 - African American Literature Slavery To 1940](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 36300 - African American Literature Slavery 1940 To Present](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 41400 - Studies In Literature And Culture](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* **Historical Courses:**
* [ENGL 38600 - History Of Film To 1938](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 38700 - History Of The Film From 1938 To The Present](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 41300 - Studies In Literature And History](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 46200 - The Bible As Literature: The Old Testament](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)
* [ENGL 46300 - The Bible As Literature: The New Testament](https://catalog.pnw.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&poid=1477&returnto=272)

## Minor in English (PROPOSED)

To earn this minor, students must complete 15 hours of coursework in English at or above the 200 level with at least one 3-credit hour course at the 30000-level or higher.

Students must maintain a 2.5 GPA in courses in the minor.

The minor must be attached to a major course of study.

All appropriate prerequisites must be fulfilled before enrolling in courses in the minor.

1. <http://faculty.pnw.edu/blog/curriculum-document-approval-procedures/> [↑](#footnote-ref-1)