



PACIFIC
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UNIVERSITY

Please note:

2012-2015 semester by semester cost sheet not available until February 2012.

Total tuition for 2012-15 will be \$31,720.00

**2011-2014
MASTER OF FINE ARTS
In CREATIVE WRITING**

The Master of Fine Arts in Creative Writing is an innovative process-oriented program in the fields of poetry, fiction, and creative nonfiction intended for independent adults who wish to develop and pursue careers as writers. The program offers a substantial range of on-and off-campus experiences, including the mentorship of nationally known writers and editors. The three-year course of study is collaboratively structured and tailored to the participant's own needs and experience; the one residency per year format is designed to be well suited to a lifestyle of professional and/or family responsibility. The program is intended to enhance already established work habits. The emphasis is on the creative process in all its phases, as well as on critical understanding. Participants attend four intensive 10-day Summer Residencies; working one-on-one with faculty mentors throughout the three academic years. Residencies consist of a combination of workshops, readings, classes, talks, and discussions.

CONTACT INFORMATION

• MFA Program Questions:

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• Registration/Financial Aid/Payments/Billing

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• **FOUR INTENSIVE 10-DAY SUMMER RESIDENCIES and YEAR-ROUND MENTORSHIPS (2011-2014)**

1. A \$300 non-refundable advanced tuition payment is required.
2. The 2011-2014 Master of Fine Arts Program is \$30,500. Class schedule and costs are listed on the reverse. Room and meals are included with the program and cannot be deducted from the price.
3. Cost includes the cost of summer residencies (including room and meals) and three years of mentorship.
4. Fees will not increase as long as the participant completes the program in 3 continuous years plus the final summer residency.
5. Travel expenses and any other costs associated with the collaboratively designed outside experience are not included.
6. MFA Classes begin:
 - Summer 2011 August 7 – 17, 2011
7. Please keep this information sheet for reference during your MFA Program.

Summer 2012:

New participants arrive Sat., Aug. 4, 2012

Classes begin Aug. 5-15, 2012

FINANCIAL AID

Financial Aid is available in the form of the Federal Direct Subsidized/Unsubsidized Loans and the Federal Direct Grad PLUS Loan. To apply for financial aid for your first academic year, complete the 2011-12 FAFSA at www.fafsa.ed.gov. To apply for financial aid for subsequent years, see the back of this document.

REGISTRATION

Each semester you will be registered automatically for classes provided there are no holds on your account. (Holds may include Financial/Online Payment Contract/etc.)

FINANCIAL AID IS AVAILABLE
 SUMMER 2011 through SPRING 2012
 COMPLETE THE 2011-12 FAFSA at www.fafsa.ed.gov

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| <u>SUMMER 2011</u> | | | |
| ENGL 504 | Summer Residency #1 | 4 semester hours | Tuition: \$2740 Room: \$ 240 Meals: <u>\$ 500</u> \$3480 |
| <u>FALL 2011</u> | | | |
| ENGL 511 | Writing Mentorship I | 4 semester hours | Tuition: \$2740 |
| <u>SPRING 2012</u> | | | |
| ENGL 511 | Writing Mentorship I | 4 semester hours | Tuition: \$2740 |
| TOTAL SUMMER 2011, FALL 2011 & SPRING 2012 COSTS | | | \$8960 |

FINANCIAL AID IS AVAILABLE
 SUMMER 2012 through SPRING 2013
 COMPLETE THE 2012-13 FAFSA at www.fafsa.ed.gov

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| <u>SUMMER 2012</u> | | | |
| ENGL 505 | Summer Residency #2 | 4 semester hours | Tuition: \$2740 Room: \$ 245 Meals: <u>\$ 515</u> \$3500 |
| <u>FALL 2012</u> | | | |
| ENGL 512 | Writing Mentorship II | 4 semester hours | Tuition: \$2740 |
| <u>SPRING 2013</u> | | | |
| ENGL 512 | Writing Mentorship II | 4 semester hours | Tuition: \$2740 |
| TOTAL SUMMER 2012, FALL 2012, SPRING 2013 COSTS | | | \$8980 |

FINANCIAL AID IS AVAILABLE
 SUMMER 2013 through SPRING 2014
 COMPLETE THE 2013-14 FAFSA at www.fafsa.ed.gov

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| <u>SUMMER 2013</u> | | | |
| ENGL 506 | Summer Residency #3 | 4 semester hours | Tuition: \$2740 Room: \$ 255 Meals: <u>\$ 530</u> \$3525 |
| <u>FALL 2013</u> | | | |
| ENGL 513 | Writing Mentorship III | 4 semester hours | Tuition: \$2740 |
| <u>SPRING 2014</u> | | | |
| ENGL 599 | Thesis | 8 semester hours | Tuition: \$2740 |
| TOTAL SUMMER 2013, FALL 2013, SPRING 2014 COSTS | | | \$9005 |

FINANCIAL AID IS AVAILABLE
 SUMMER 2014
 COMPLETE THE 2014-15FAFSA at www.fafsa.ed.gov

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| <u>SUMMER 2014</u> | | | |
| ENGL 507 | Summer Residency #4 | 4 semester hours | Tuition: \$2745 Room: \$ 265 Meals: <u>\$ 545</u> \$3555 |
| TOTAL SUMMER 2014 COSTS | | | \$3555 |

TOTAL MFA PROGRAM COSTS: \$30,500

Total costs 2012-2015: \$31,720.00