

Faculty of Liberal Arts and Professional Studies (LA&PS)**Writing Department****BA Honours Professional Writing – Periodical Stream****(2016/17 Program Checklist)**

GENERAL EDUCATION - 21 Credits 21 credits at the 1000 level, chosen from 3 different general education categories	Credit	Complete or Incomplete	Grade	Notes
1) Humanities or Social Science:	9.00			
2) Humanities or Social Science (whichever is not taken in line 1):	6.00			
3) Natural Science:	6.00			
Total General Education Credits	21.00			
MAJOR – 48 Credits				
Program Core – 24 Credits				
AP/WRIT 1003 6.00 Professional Writing: An Introduction	6.00			
AP/WRIT 1004 3.00 Research for Professional Writers	3.00			
AP/PRWR 2007 3.00 Rhetoric: Strategy and Application	3.00			
AP/WRIT 2003 6.00 Genres for Professional Writers	6.00			
AP/WRIT 2004 3.00 Writing and Digital Cultures	3.00			
AP/PRWR 2006 3.00 Fundamentals of Editing	3.00			
Periodical Stream – 24 Credits				
AP/WRIT 3730 3.00 Substantive Editing	3.00			
AP/WRIT 3700 6.00 Introduction to Periodical Writing OR AP/EN 3180 6.00 Literary Nonfiction (cross-listed to AP/WRIT 3180 6.00);	6.00			
AP/PRWR 3710 3.00 Research Methods for Reporting	3.00			
AP/WRIT 4700 6.00 Advanced Topics in Periodical Writing	6.00			
AP/WRIT 4701 3.00 (cross-listed to: AP/EN 4701 3.00) Journalism Ethics: A Practical and Theoretical Approach	3.00			
AP/EN 4750 3.00 or AP/WRIT 4752 3.00 (cross-listed to: AP/EN 4752 3.00)	3.00			
Total Major Credits	48.00			
Credits Outside the Major – at least 18 Credits				
Course Outside WRIT and PRWR:	6.00			
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Total Credits Outside the Major	18.00			
Free Choice: 33 Credits (Could be extra WRIT or PRWR courses)				
Any course:	6.00			
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Any Course:	3.00			
Total Free Choice Credits	33.00			
TOTAL DEGREE CREDITS	120.00			

Requirement Checklist and Notes (To ensure graduation, each box must be checked 'completed')

- Residency Requirement: a minimum of 30 course credits and at least half (50 per cent) of the course credits required in each undergraduate degree program major/minor must be taken at York University.
- Upper-level Requirement: at least 36 credits at the 3000-4000 level. 18 credits must be at the 4000 level

Upper Level Checklist

3000 LEVEL:	4000 LEVEL: must be at least 18 credits
AP/WRIT 3730 3.00	AP/WRIT 4700 6.00
AP/WRIT 3700 6.00 or AP/EN 3180 6.00	AP/WRIT 4701 3.00
AP/PRWR 3710 3.00	AP/EN 4750 3.00 or AP/WRIT 4752 3.00

Total = 36 credits (at least)

NOTE: For the **GENERAL EDUCATION** category, a minimum of 6.0 credits must be chosen from each of Humanities, Natural Science and Social Science. General Education courses are offered at the 1000 level. A maximum of 9 credits in Humanities and Social Science will count towards fulfillment of the General Education 21 credit requirements. For approved LA&PS General education courses go to http://www.yorku.ca/laps/courses/gen_education.html

IMPORTANT INFORMATION AND RESOURCES

For an online version of your degree requirements, use the **Degree Progress Report** found here: www.registrar.yorku.ca/mydegreeprogress

PLEASE NOTE: This manual Degree Checklist is **only a guide** designed to assist students with degree requirements and course selection. It is not intended as the official confirmation of a student's eligibility to graduate as requirements may change from year to year. Satisfaction of all degree requirements will be officially determined by the Registrar's Office upon application to graduate. Students are advised to make sure they are following the correct degree requirements by checking the Undergraduate Calendar of the year in which they entered their program.

Academic Calendars: calendars.registrar.yorku.ca

Academic Advising: LAPS Student Academic Advising Services, 103 Central Square
416-736-5222, laps@yorku.ca
[Current Student Advising](#)

Registration & Fees: Student Client Services, Bennett Centre for Student Services
(416) 872-YORK (9675)
[Registrar's Office](#)

Other resources: yustart.info.yorku.ca/all-resources-a-z

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