



College of the  
ARTS, HUMANITIES  
& SOCIAL SCIENCES

# English

## About the College

The College of the Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences supports the university's liberal arts foundation with a broad range of undergraduate and graduate course offerings and degree programs. The college exemplifies excellence in teaching, research, scholarship and service and is home to the School of the Arts, the Council for Sustainable Futures, and six centers and institutes including the Center for Portuguese Studies and the Center for Public Policy Studies.

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The Department of English supports the university's mission by providing opportunities for students to develop literacy, creativity, critical thinking and communication skills, as well as the knowledge of literature and aesthetic appreciation expected of culturally literate citizens and future teachers in our public schools.



Where can an English degree take you? Some possible career paths include writer, reporter, teacher, researcher, editor, marketing, public relations, publishing, communications specialist, consulting, librarian, telecommunications, business and banking.

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## Degrees and Programs

- Bachelor of Arts, English
- English minor available
- Master of Arts, English
- Single Subject Matter Preparation Program in English
- Concentrations: Those majoring in Liberal Studies can complete their concentration in English or Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL).
- The Humanities Program offers courses in art, history, literature, music, philosophy and theatre.

## Interesting classes you might take

California Multicultural Literature  
Studies in Film  
Creative Nonfiction  
Writing for Teachers  
Children's Literature  
American Poetry  
Medieval Literature  
Summit Cluster on War and Peace

### Course Spotlight

#### ENGL 4012:

#### Fiction Writing

Introduces students to the fundamentals of fiction writing, including the study of various fictional forms, such as short stories and novel chapters.

Go online to [www.csustan.edu/English](http://www.csustan.edu/English) for more course descriptions, and other opportunities.

## Our faculty

Scott Davis (Chair), Ph.D.,  
UC Santa Cruz ('00)

Paula Barrington-Schmidt, M.A.,  
Southern Illinois ('92)

John E. Carroll, Ph.D.,  
New Mexico ('70)

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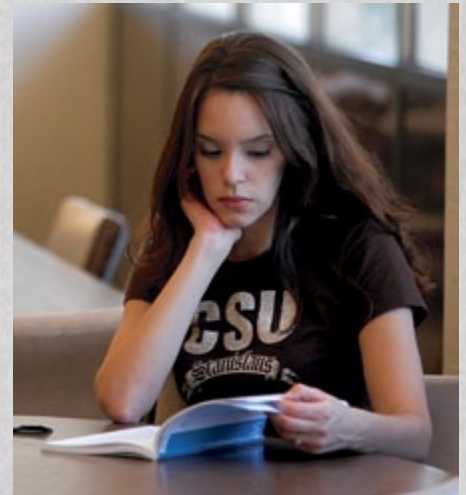
## What you can learn

- Communication skills that emphasize critical thinking
- A broad knowledge of literature
- The ability to interpret culturally diverse literary, non-literary, and visual texts

## What you can earn

- Grants Writer, \$49,000
- Business & Financial Writer, \$51,000
- Web Content Writer, \$60,000
- English Teacher, \$61,000
- Copy Editor, \$38,000
- Managing Editor, \$52,000

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