# **COURSE DETAIL**

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# **CREATIVE WRITING Country** Netherlands **Host Institution** Leiden University College Program(s) Leiden University College **UCEAP Course Level Upper Division UCEAP Subject Area(s)** English **UCEAP Course Number** 103 **UCEAP Course Suffix UCEAP Official Title CREATIVE WRITING UCEAP Transcript Title CREATIVE WRITING UCEAP Quarter Units** 4.50 **UCEAP Semester Units**

### **Course Description**

Creative writing encompasses forms of writing outside of professional, journalistic, academic, or technical writing. This course introduces students to the theory and practice of creative writing, with an emphasis on crafting prose. Students learn about the different tools that writers of fiction and creative nonfiction (also known as narrative nonfiction) employ to make these forms successful in a myriad of ways. Through reading, discussion, and practice, the class explores the ways in which writers creatively manipulate structure and language. The course discusses how literary devices are employed to give their writing a unique tone and style. Each week, the class reads and discusses examples of creative texts to analyze which stylistic elements make the pieces successful. Then, students apply what they learn to their own writing through weekly writing exercises, and strengthen the work through subsequent feedback in workshop, culminating in one fully-formed piece of writing at the end of the course.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## **Host Institution Course Number**

8001ELE90W

#### **Host Institution Course Title**

**CREATIVE WRITING** 

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https://studiegids.universiteitleiden.nl/courses/110207/creative-writing

## **Host Institution Campus**

Leiden University College, The Hague

## **Host Institution Faculty**

## **Host Institution Degree**

# **Host Institution Department**

# **Course Last Reviewed**

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