

COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO SCREENWRITING

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

University of Manchester

Program(s)

University of Manchester

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Film & Media Studies

UCEAP Course Number

128

UCEAP Course Suffix

N

UCEAP Official Title

INTRODUCTION TO SCREENWRITING

UCEAP Transcript Title

INTRO/SCREENWRITING

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

In this course students develop writing skills through a series of focused writing exercises that are critiqued in class. Students are introduced to some of the major theories of story design, and are taught how to develop their work draft by draft. Weekly classes cover (among other issues) the classic three act structure, beginnings and endings, the importance of genre, universal themes and their audience relevance, and dialogue.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

ENGL 21951

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Course Details

<https://www.manchester.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/courses/2025/09248/ba-english-...>

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

English

Course Last Reviewed

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