

ENGL 496: Senior Thesis: Capstone

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4:00-6:50 W

In this course, you will develop a topic on a literary text of your choosing; extensively research, document, and critically respond to the scholarly conversation surrounding that topic; and craft an authoritative 20-25-page essay that, once completed, will be the crowning achievement of your undergraduate career.

Part peer workshop, part independent study, this class will require consistent dedication, both to completing your own project and to improving those of your classmates. Commitment to the classroom community will be paramount!

At the conclusion of the semester, every student will present 15-minute versions of their projects to the public, and writers of the most accomplished essays will compete for the Department of English's Best Senior Thesis Prize.

