### MA Portfolio - Emphasis in Literary Studies (38 credit hours)

#### I. Graded Courses [27 credits]:
- **Engl 501: Seminar in the Methodology of Composition** 3 credits
- Electives (8 courses from any English 500-level literature offering, with optional substitution of no more than 1 course from 300- or 400-level):
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#### II. Non-Graded Courses [11 credits minimum]

**A. Required for Students with Teaching Assistantships:**
- **Engl 598: Teaching Apprenticeship** [3 credits]
  - (1st Sem) Canvas/EDI Workshops 1 credit
  - (2nd Sem) Weekly Colloquium on Freshman Comp 1 credit
  - (3rd or 4th Sem) Mentored Teaching or Pedagogy Course 1 credit

**B. Required for Students with Teaching Assistantships** [4 credits, 1 credit per semester]
- 1st Semester Engl 600 Special Projects or Ind. Study 1 credit
- 2nd Semester Engl 600 Special Projects or Ind. Study 1 credit
- 3rd Semester Engl 600 Special Projects or Ind. Study 1 credit
- 4th Semester Engl 600 Special Projects or Ind. Study 1 credit

**C. Masters Directed Study and/or Examination** [4 credits, at least 1 credit/semester]
- 1st Semester Engl 702: Directed Study and/or Exam 1 credit
- 2nd Semester Engl 702: Directed Study and/or Exam 1 credit
- 3rd Semester Engl 702: Directed Study and/or Exam 1 credit
- 4th Semester Engl 702: Directed Study and/or Exam 1 credit

#### III. Additional Requirements:

**A. Foreign Language Requirement:**
- Passed Graduate Foreign Language Exam, or Complete six hours of graduate-level study of modern linguistics of TESOL (This option is only available to M.A. students in Rhetoric and Composition)

**B. MA Conference Presentation [in house]**

**C. Portfolio**

**D. Oral Examination**