Overview of the MA in Literary and Culture Studies

	Fall	Spring
Year One	COURSES ENGC 7002 Introduction to Graduate Studies ENGC 7030 Teaching College Writing ENGC 7031 Teaching Practicum ENGL 9095 Teaching or ENGL 9096 Professional Practice* Two seminars (including ENGC 7004 Introduction to Theory if offered in Fall) TEACHING Teach one composition course	 COURSES Three seminars (including ENGC 7004 Introduction to Theory if offered in Spring) ENGL 9095 Teaching or ENGL 9096 Professional Practice* TEACHING Teach one composition course (or be a research or administrative assistant)
Year Two	 COURSES Three seminars ENGL 9095 Teaching or ENGL 9096 Professional Practice* TEACHING Teach one composition course (or be a research or administrative assistant) PREP FOR MA THESIS Submit MA Thesis Committee Form by Oct. 1 	 COURSES Two seminars ENGL 9090 MA Thesis ENGL 9095 Teaching or ENGL 9096 Professional Practice* TEACHING Teach one composition course (or be a research or administrative assistant) MA THESIS Apply to Graduate by Grad School Deadline in January. Schedule oral exam Draft Master's Thesis; give final draft to committee two weeks before exam date Take oral exam by end of semester

^{*} Students teaching or TAing for the department will sign up for **ENGL 9095** while students serving as research or administrative assistants will sign up for **ENGL 9096**; unfunded students sign up for neither.

Unfunded students are required to enroll in 10 credit hours to be considered full time, and 5 credit hours to be considered half-time for student loan deferral purposes.

Full time, funded students must register for at least 12 credit hours and no more than 18 credit hours per semester. ENGL 9095 and ENGL 9096 are not required courses; they are filler courses that give funded students 3 credit hours in order to meet the 12 credit hour requirement. Funded students can opt out of enrolling in ENGL 9095/6 as long as they are enrolled in 12+ credit hours each semester. Do not sign up for ENGL 9095/6 if doing so puts you over 18 credit hours a semester.