

Honours Bachelor of Creative Writing and Publishing

Bachelor's Degree Program
Hazel McCallion Campus

Program Code: **PBCWP**

Please note: This is a sample Supplemental Admission Requirements Information Sheet for reference purposes only. A full copy of the Supplemental Admission Requirements Sheet will only be made available to applicants to **Honours Bachelor of Creative Writing and Publishing**.

If you require this information in an accessible format, please contact: registrar@sheridancollege.ca

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Academic Integrity

By submitting your Admission Requirements, you are agreeing to comply with Sheridan's Academic Integrity Policy. The Academic Integrity Policy states:

Sheridan College is committed to upholding the highest standards of academic integrity. The International Centre for Academic Integrity (ICAI) defines academic integrity as “a commitment, even in the face of adversity, to six fundamental values: honesty, trust, fairness, respect, responsibility, and courage. From these values flow principles of behavior that enable academic communities to translate ideals into action”.

Applicants who are found to have falsified transcripts, cheated on admission tests, or submitted fraudulent documents or in any other way attempted to circumvent the admissions process in a manner inconsistent with the principles of academic integrity, will not be granted admission to the College. Those applicants will be ineligible for admission to any Sheridan program or course for a period of not less than 5 years, after which admission to the College will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.

For programs where a portfolio submission is required as part of the admission process, portfolio work should represent an applicant's own ideas, writing, projects and creations. Where others have contributed, or non-original ideas have been included, applicants will give proper recognition and reference.

Additional Admission Requirements

After applying to the program, applicants will be required to submit additional admission requirements online and will receive official submission instructions. It's in your best interest to apply as soon as possible.

CREATIVE WRITING SAMPLES

- The portfolio consists of three creative writing samples. Of these, at least two genres (short story; poetry; personal essay/creative non-fiction; drama) should be represented, and the total page length for the entire submission should NOT exceed five pages.
- Each piece can be an excerpt from a larger work. Unless absolutely necessary please do not attach explanatory notes to your work, as these notes will be included in your total page count. Font and formatting can deviate from the standard 12pt/double-spaced if it is required for artistic reasons. **Your portfolio should be submitted as a single PDF. A cover page is not necessary.**
- Applicants are encouraged to submit works that show a range of genres and styles.
- Your submission should show evidence of careful proofreading and editing, with attention to spelling and grammar when used conventionally.
- The portfolio should illustrate as strongly as possible your original and unique voice, including well-considered choices about form and structure, and demonstrate an artistry that lights your work from within.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE

Supplemental (portfolio) grading will occur regularly, and applicants are encouraged to submit their portfolio within 3 weeks of applying.

Admission decisions will begin in November 2022 and will continue as space permits*.

*Sheridan respects the Equal Consideration Date of February 1st. All applications received by February 1st will be held to the same standards and competitive averages when considered for admission to the program.

Additional Information

- Eligible applicants are selected on the basis of academic achievement (in progress or completed) and the quality of their creative writing sample submission.
- Notification of admissions decisions are made through email and the application portal. Decisions are not released over the phone.
- **Mobile Computer Technology**
Students are required to have a Sheridan approved laptop to participate in the program. Laptop specifications will be announced in early summer 2023. At that time, please check the Sheridan website at:
https://sheridancollege.service-now.com/kb_view.do?sysparm_article=KB0010440
- Successful applicants will be invited to attend Orientation just prior to the start of the program. Specific dates and times will be shared closer to the program start. Approximate timeframe is:

Term	Program Start Date	Orientation Week
Fall Term	Tuesday, September 5, 2023	Last week of August 2023

Details will be sent to your Sheridan email account.

- If you require assistance regarding this document, please email your Admissions Specialist:
 - Domestic applicants: Mariella Pagani at mariella.pagani@sheridancollege.ca
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