

Creative Writing in the Highlands and Islands

North Highland College UHI

Venues

Thurso Campus
Virtual Learning Environment (VLE)

Content

The innovative BA (Hons) Creative Writing in the Highlands and Islands is designed to give you a solid grounding in the creative principles, in both form and structure of four of the main areas of creative writing: poetry, prose, playwriting and the screenplay. You will be encouraged to explore how these can inform and support other areas of professional writing in gaming, advertising, marketing, vlogs etc.

You will have the opportunity to present your work using traditional methods as well as using new technologies and publishing platforms. The course aims to place creative disciplines within the cultural, social, political, geographical and historical context of Scotland, and to show how they make the area culturally unique but connect it to the literature, cultural traditions and histories of its geographical neighbours.

You will be encouraged to pursue your individual creativity, along with both the necessary intellectual stimulation and understanding of the professionalism required to be a successful writer in your chosen field.

Start Date

September

Qualification

Degree

Study Method

Distance and Flexible learning
Part time (day)

Award Title

BA Hons

Course Length

8 years

Department

Creative Industries

Entry Requirements

3 Highers at BCC including English at B. You will be required to submit a portfolio and attend an interview.

SCQF Level

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