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Program	Independent Learning - University of Wisconsin-Extension
Course Name	U350-203 Creative Writing: The Short Story
Delivery Method	Print-Based With E-mail Option
Description	<p>This course offers suggestions on such essentials of fiction writing as plot, characterization, point of view, and style. Students receive feedback on story ideas, three or four stories, and revisions. An anthology of short stories and a humorous text offer strategies and inspiration. <i>The Wisconsin Regional Writer</i> has this to say of the course text: "I would highly recommend <i>Take Your Characters to Dinner</i> as a reference book for anyone—college student, aspiring writer, or professional writer." Students will read and discuss at least ten different stories from two different collections chosen from the list below. Students registered in this course must purchase the required text plus two of the short story collections (<i>Cathedral</i>, <i>Working Men</i>, <i>Will You Always Love Me?</i>, <i>Tell Me a Riddle</i>, and <i>Uncle Tom's Children</i>) listed as optional below.</p>

To access the course syllabus, click the following link:

[U350-203 Course Syllabus](#)

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Prerequisites	Satisfaction of freshman English requirement or consent of instructor.
University Credits	3
Assignments	10
Exams	0
Course Start Date	Date payment received
Course End Date	1 year after start date
Registration Deadline	None