

**SUPPLEMENT TO FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION FOR NEW STUDENTS  
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH, UNIVERSITY OF IOWA**

Graduate Studies in Creative Writing

Instructions: Answer all questions relevant to your circumstances.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Immediate degree objective: \_\_\_\_\_ Ultimate degree desired: \_\_\_\_\_

Expected enrollment date: \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Area(s) of interest: \_\_\_\_\_

List the titles of all \*graduate or advanced \*undergraduate literature courses you have taken, where they were taken, and the grades received (\*identify respectively).

List the foreign languages you have studied, years you have studied, years you have studied them, and describe your competence.

Describe any additional preparation for graduate work which you have done independently, e.g. extensive travel, reading projects of your own, or special interests like photography, arts, sports, and crafts.

What other subjects have you studied intensively in college or graduate school?

What kinds of writing have you done outside of class--such as poetry, fiction or journalism?

List academic and non-academic honors and awards received. Include *where* degree(s) conferred.

List any previous teaching experience.

List any other graduate or professional schools to which you are applying.

What are your reasons for applying to Iowa?

There are two main possibilities for teaching. They are Rhetoric (introduction to College level expository writing and speech) or in General Education Literature (introduction to College level interpretation of literary texts). Please describe the ways in which your preparation or interests have prepared you to teach in either or both of these programs. You may also include any remarks concerning your personal views of teaching.

Expected address(es) and telephone number(s) where you can be reached between now and the time you wish to enter the University of Iowa. NOTE: Although we try to make our selections for financial aid by April 15 of each year, it sometimes happens that additional appointments can be made later. Having correct Spring and Summer addresses and telephone numbers is therefore very advantageous, to us and to applicants.

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

**The preceding information is  
true to the best of my knowledge.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(signature)

The University of Iowa requests this information for the purpose of making admission and/or financial aid decision. No persons outside the University are routinely provided with this information, except for items of directory information such as name and local address. Responses to items marked optional are required. If you fail to provide the required information, the University may not consider your application.