



**WILKES UNIVERSITY
GRADUATE STUDIES
APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION
M. A. in Creative Writing**

An equal opportunity / affirmative action institution

Please return completed Application to:
Graduate Studies Office
Wilkes University
84 West South St.
Wilkes-Barre, PA 18766

Please print or type the information requested below and return it with a non-refundable processing fee of \$35.00. Please make check payable to Wilkes University.

Name _____
Last First Middle Birth Name

Home Address _____
No. Street City State Zip

Mailing Address (if different) _____
No. Street City State Zip

Home Telephone _____ Business Telephone _____ Fax _____

Sex _____ Birth Date _____ Social Security Number _____
Month/Day/Year

e-mail Address _____ Are you a U. S. Citizen? yes ____ no ____

If no, complete the following: I am a permanent resident/refugee and a citizen of _____

or: I am applying as an international student and will require an F-1 visa. Citizen of (indicate country) _____

Are you a veteran? yes ____ no ____ VA benefits? yes ____ no ____

Information contained in this box is not used for admission purposes, but is used for statistical reporting to state and federal agencies. At your optional, please indicate your racial/ethnic group:

- White, not Hispanic Black, not Hispanic Hispanic American Indian Alaskan Native Asian or Pacific Islander

Colleges or universities attended. Please list all institutions attended for graduate and undergraduate work:

Name _____ Dates _____ Degree _____

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Major area of undergraduate study _____

Check status desired:

Master of Arts in Creative Writing (Indicate 1st and 2nd choice)

Certificate in Creative Writing (Check one)

- Creative Nonfiction
- Fiction
- Poetry
- Playwriting
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Semester that residency is desired:

January _____ June _____
(year) (year)

Employment Record: Occupation _____

Company or school system	Duties	Dates

Letters of recommendation will be furnished from the following. Two are required, at least one of which should be from an Academic Office or faculty member at the academic institution attended, or a supervisor from your place of employment.

Name	Title	Address

Degree-seeking and certificate-seeking candidates are required to submit all supporting documents before an acceptance letter will be issued. These include:

1. Application and \$35 fee (non-refundable).
2. **Official** transcripts of all college work, undergraduate and graduate.
3. Two letters of recommendation.
4. A 15-25 page creative writing sample from any genre, published or unpublished.
5. A 5-10 page response to the questions found on the following website:
<http://www.wilkes.edu/creativewriting/apply.asp>
6. Resume

GRE is not required for this program.

- Do you desire on-campus accommodations during residency? Yes No
- Are you requesting financial assistance? Yes No
- Are you interested in an assistantship? Yes No

Any omission of relevant information requested on this application renders the application invalid and is reason for the University to withdraw all offers pertaining to admission and/or scholarship aid.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

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- Application fee received Date _____
- Transcripts complete Dates _____
- Recommendations received Dates _____
- Creative writing sample received Date _____
- Question response received Date _____
- Application forwarded to department Date _____
- Admission Type Date _____