

College for Seniors

COURSE PROPOSAL

For Curriculum Committee use		
Semester(s) this course was previously offered:	Proposal Number:	

Please complete this form with the understanding that you may revise the course description and topics before the catalog is finalized. To see a catalog from last semester, go to the College for Seniors Web site: www.isualum.org/en/college_for_seniors

If you are completing this form using Microsoft Word, note that it is done in tables form. To see (or to hide) the gridlines, click the Table menu and click Show Gridlines (or Hide Gridlines).

- 1. Course title:** Ames Authors
Literature
- 2. General field of interest** (e.g., Science, Music): _____
- 3. Curriculum Committee contact person:** Anita Beal (until Nov. 9)
Address: 1822 Waterbury Cir. City: Ames, IA Zip: 50010
Phone: 292-2699 E-mail: anitambeal@aol.com
- 4. Instructor or coordinator:** Don't know yet.
Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Brief background of instructor (all or part of this will be used in the catalog):

5. Course description that can be used to advertise the course in the catalog (you may revise this later if you wish.) A bevy of excellent authors of every ilk and style abounds in Ames. This class will provide an introduction to eight of them, along with opportunities to learn about these talented people. Each will describe his/her background, entrance into the world of poetry, mystery, fiction and non-fiction, as the case may be. By coming to this class, you may discover your own possibilities as a writer

6. Specific topics to be covered in the number of classes proposed:

Neal Bowers: Poetry

Norm Rudi:

Joe Geha and Fern Kupfer:

Michael Bugeja:

Debra Marquart: variety, also a little of Tom Kooser, her friend

Mary Howard: murder mystery

Mary Swander:

Jane Vallier: biography

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7. Preferred

class size: ___ 15 or less 16-25 ___ 26-35 ___ 36-45 ___ 46-55 ___ 55 or more

8. Preferred session

(include year) : ___ Sept.-Nov. ___ Jan.-Feb. March-May

9. Preferred number of weeks and sessions:

___ 4 weeks ___ 6 weeks 8 weeks
 Once a week ___ Twice a week

10. Check preferred class time. Put N/A where you are not available.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Comments
9:00-10:30					
11:00-12:30					
1:00-2:30					
3:00-4:30		X			

11. Recommended textbook (if any): None

Where to obtain: _____
 Cost of textbook: _____
 Students will pay: ___ Instructor ___ College for Seniors when registering

12. Copying: Don't know yet.

If a large quantity of printed materials is proposed, materials may be offered as a packet to be handed out at the beginning of the semester. Cost of printing, if substantial, may be added to cost of course.

Estimated number of pages to be copied for each session: _____

13. Requested equipment (Podium with microphone, chalk, and dry-mark pens are provided at Scheman and ISU Foundation locations.)

Please check choices. (A more detailed form will be provided for your use before classes begin.)

NOTE: If using PowerPoint, you must provide your own computer. Don't know yet.

___ DVD player ___ LCD projector ___ 35mm slide projector
 ___ VHS player ___ Elmo (opaque) projector ___ Lapel microphone
 ___ CD player ___ Overhead transparency projector ___ Laser pointer

14. Please list any potential guest presenters and city in which they live:

All Ames residents.

15. Is travel reimbursement requested? ___ Yes No