

Bienvenue à Paris!

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ABOUT ENG 502: MFA IN PARIS

Write in the City of Light

You will embark on a two-week residency abroad, exploring the beautiful city of Paris through the eyes of a writer. Paris holds one of the greatest collections of cultural resources in the world, and its monuments, museums, parks, cafes, and shops will be your classroom. Students will participate in intensive workshops, discussions, readings, and in the literary and cultural life of the city as we begin to understand why Gertrude Stein said, "America is my country, and Paris is my hometown."

The tour will include workshops with faculty mentors, and craft seminars and evening readings with writers living in Paris. Students participating in ENG 502: MFA in Paris will work with one faculty member for the two-week residency abroad. Open to all AU MFA students and alumni, as well as all MFA students in other programs who meet the pre-requisite requirements.

Note: Non-degree seeking students/alumni must pay the full cost of the tour plus tuition in order to participate in any organized program sessions. Guests of the MFA community may join (spouse, partner, or adult companion) at a reduced cost with approval of the MFA Director.

ESTIMATED PROGRAM COST

PROGRAM COST: \$4,910

INCLUDED: Tuition (3 credit hours), Paris Metro pass, housing, guided tour, health insurance, admission to the Louvre.

NOT INCLUDED: Meals, airfare (approx. \$1,200), expenses for passport (\$135), trip cancellation and interruption insurance, and personal expenses.

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DATE	LOCATION	PROGRAM SUMMARY
6/10	Travel	Depart Home
6/11	Travel	Arrive in Paris
6/12-6/17	Paris	Writing Workshops with Faculty Mentors, Craft Seminars with Local Writers, Readings
6/18-6/19	Paris	Free Weekend
6/20-6/24	Paris	Writing Workshops with Faculty Mentors, Craft Seminars with Local Writers, Readings
6/25	Travel	Depart Paris—Arrive Home

DEADLINES & PAYMENTS

November 1—\$500 Non-refundable deposit due

December 1—Remaining balance charged to AU account or paid in full if not an AU student

HOW TO APPLY

1. Create an account on Abroad Office—<http://ashland.abroadoffice.net>
2. On the left, choose 2016 AU Programs, then MFA in Paris page. Click Apply to Program and complete application information.
3. **Submit deposit** to the Global Education Office prior to the deadline.

2015 Faculty Leader:



Angie Estes

2015 Kingsley Tufts Poetry Winner

2010 Pulitzer Prize Finalist

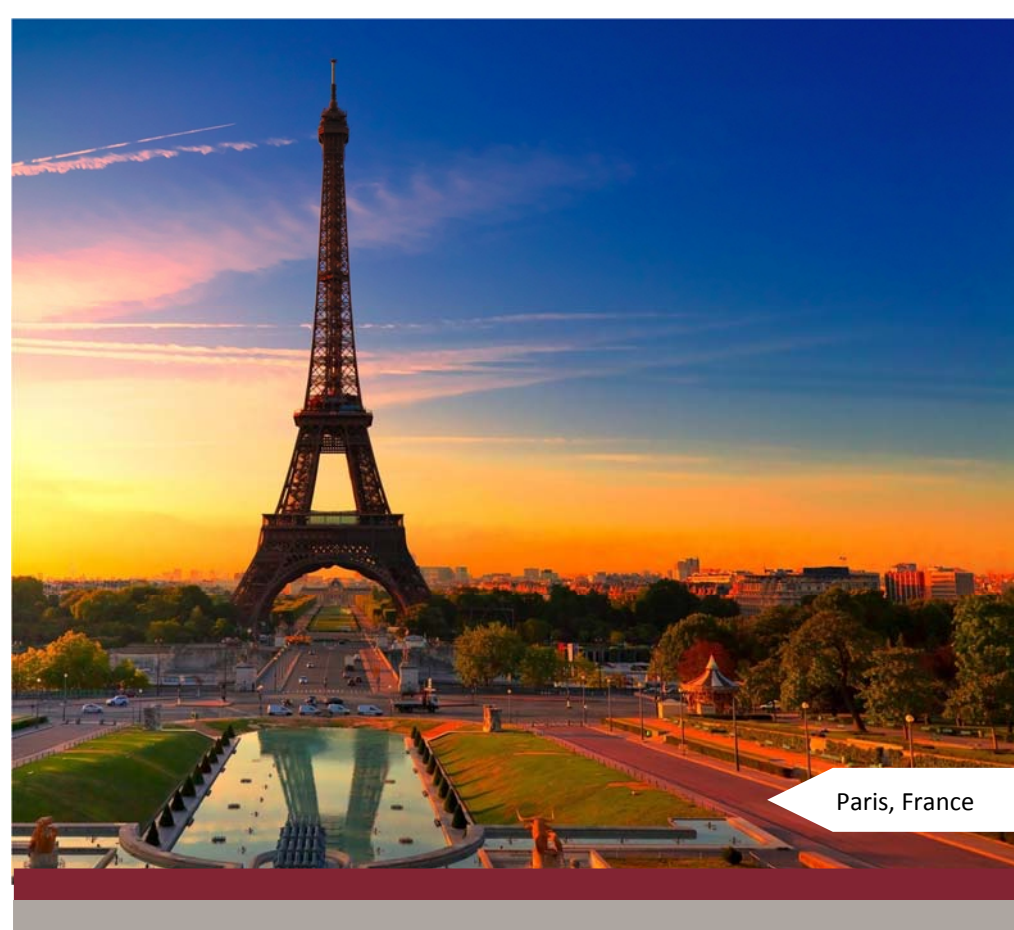
Guggenheim Fellowship

Pushcart Prize

Cecil Hemley Memorial Award from the

Poetry Society of America

And many others



Paris, France



Master of Fine Arts
in Creative Writing
Summer Residency
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