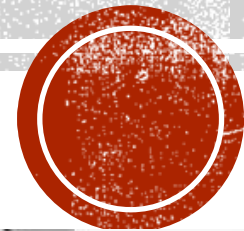


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KREATIVES SCHREIBEN & FILM

Grundkurs 11. / 12. Klasse



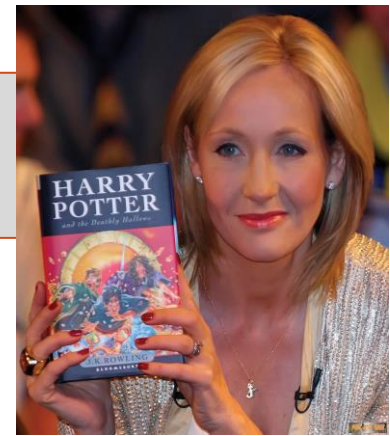
ALLGEMEINES – GENERAL INFORMATION

- This is a bilingual-bicultural course meant as a German-American meeting point
- It is a two-semester Grundkurs
 - 1. sem. focus: **Kreatives Schreiben** (Hr. Martens)
 - 2. sem. focus: **Film** (Mr. Robertson)
- Meets Thursdays, 16:00 – 18:00
- One Klausur per semester

- Our goal is to enable you to write your own 15 page story („Erzählung“), applying all skills you have acquired through our five Creative Writing (CW) modules.
- In film class, we will appreciate film as an artform by looking at certain film techniques that students will possibly use in their own short films (December and June).
- Your story's main character you have developed during first semester is the link between CW and film: This protagonist will also be the protagonist of your film at the end of 2nd semester.



DO YOU THINK IT TAKES MAGIC TO WRITE?



The answer is: no!

Becausewriting is **craft!** Schreiben ist **Handwerk!**

Our **modules** will help you write your own stories independently:

1. Figurenentwurf (character)
2. Konfliktaufbau (conflict)
3. Spannungsbogen (suspension arch)
4. Perspektivisch Schreiben (narrative perspective)
5. literarische Atmosphäre schaffen (create mood)
und außerdem ...
6. Lyrik (poetry)

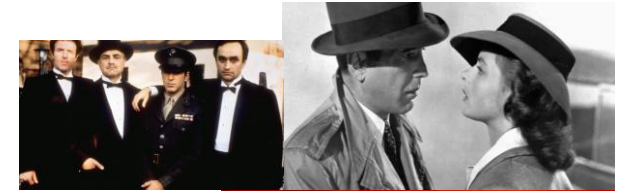
Anforderungen:

- Interesse am Schreiben, an Literatur, Texten
- Erstellung von Semesterarbeiten wie Figurenentwurf, Kurzgeschichte, Erzählung
- Ggf. Minivortrag zu Plot
- Mündliche Teilnahme / Textanalysen
- Kekse mitbringen 😊



FILM

- Film Appreciation
- Film Analysis
- Scriptwriting
- Direction



FAQ

- Q: *Why should I take this course?*

A: Because you will develop your skills on a very personal level. This is about craft. Und Inspiration. Auch wenn es Noten gibt: Du solltest den Kurs wählen, weil du an dir selbst und deinen künstlerischen Fähigkeiten arbeiten willst 😊 Explore. And express yourself!

- Q: *Schreiben wir eine Klausur?*

A: Yes, this is a ganz normaler Grundkurs (but it is fun!!!)

- Q: *Do we meet professional writers?*

A: Jap! Wir haben gute Kontakte zu Schriftstellern, Lektorinnen, Filmemacherinnen und anderen Kunstschaffenden.



FAQ

- Q: *My German is not that good... Can I still take the course?*
- A: Of course! No problem! Kreatives Schreiben wird eher auf Deutsch unterrichtet, Film in English. (even if you don't understand this: Welcome!) D1/D2 students are expected to hand in some work auf Deutsch, but in the end: You decide! We encourage everyone to learn from the „other culture“ and explore the differences.

- Q: *This course is supposed to be so much fun. Is that really true?*
- A: Oh yes! Wir essen Kekse und Kuchen und trinken Kaffee und Tee. And work hard. Most people think of it as a relaxed, creative working atmosphere.

- Q: *Drei Stunden Unterricht zusätzlich am Donnerstag Nachmittag? Does that work for me?*
- A: Probably yes. We meet once a week um 16:00 am Donnerstag, usually we are done by 18:00. Die meisten Aufgaben werden aber auch zu Hause erledigt.

