

# Career Possibilities

Production assistant \* Editor \*  
 Technical writer \* Writer \* Marketing  
 associate \* Reporter \* High school  
 English teacher \* Communications  
**Social Media** \* Social media manager \*  
 Paralegal \* Human resources generalist  
 \* Public relations manager \* Content  
 manager \* Librarian \* Publisher \*  
 English professor \* Research analyst \*  
**Technical Writer**  
 \* Internal communications executive \*  
 \* Columnist \* Copywriter \* Editorial  
 Assistant \* Fundraiser \* Grant Writer \*  
 Consultant \* Screenwriter \* Lyricist \*  
 Poet \* Politician \* Novelist \*  
**Lawyer**  
 \* Playwright \* Announcer \* Journalist \*  
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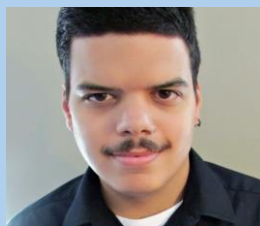
# Alumni

*LLP studies served me:*



"Writing is now my profession. My major prepared me for law school. More importantly it taught me how to be a creative writer.  
**LaDawn Jones, Lawyer and politician, '02**

"I gained a better understanding of colloquial English and learned to approach literature from a more critical standpoint."  
**Blake Best, Guitarist, Composer and Author, '15**



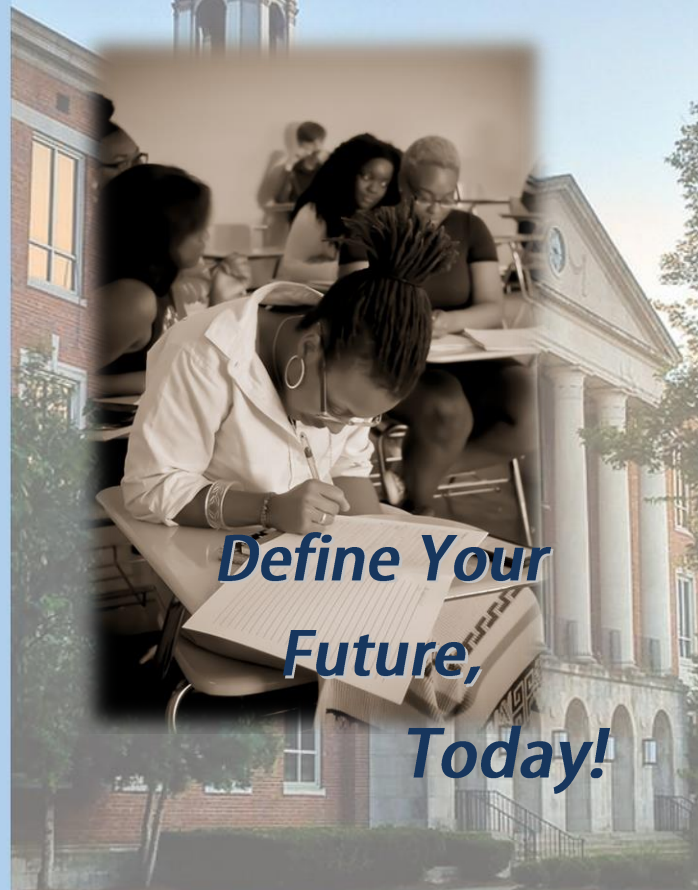
"As an English major I honed my skills and channeled my passion for communities of color and women, which directly relates to what I do now as a journalist."  
**Bené Viera '06**

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*Excellence*  
 is our Habit!

# Languages, Literature, and Philosophy



**Define Your Future, Today!**

"Think, Work, Serve"



**TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY**

# English & Literature

## Major or Minor in English

Concentrations and classes in Teaching Certification, Literature, Professional Writing, Creative Writing, Technical Writing, and Film

**Major:** 30 Upper Division English Hours

**Minor:** 18 Hours, 3 in Sophomore Literature



*“When I started college I was set on going to law school, so I doubled majored in Political Science and English. However, with each English class I took I fell in love with my English*

*major. As a result, I decided to dedicate all of my time to this major!”* **Kamri Jordan, ‘15**

### Student Organizations:

Soul Fire Poetry and Performance Group  
Sigma Tau Delta English Honor’s Society

### Internships:

The B.A. in English program has developed the internship program which allows students to earn up to nine credit hours in a work-place setting. TSU English majors have interned with community partners such as the Tennessee Legislature, Guitar Player magazine, TEDxNashville, the Tennessee State Democratic Party, Middle Tennessee YMCA, and more.

# Philosophy & Religious Studies

## Minor in Philosophy

**-Minor requires 18 hours**

**-12 of 18 are in upper division**

**-1 class in history of philosophy**

## Gain valuable skills for life:

- Critical thinking/analyzing
- Solve complex problems
- Effective oral communication
- Effective written communication
- Provide knowledge and skills to real world settings
- Acting creatively
- Living ethically



*“I decided to be a Philosophy minor because I thought it would be a great subject to study as the roots of Psychology are from Philosophy. I also wanted to do Philosophy because it helps a lot in critical*

*thinking, which is necessary for a good career in the future and to be a successful individual.”* - **Pragati Natraj, ‘21**

# Foreign Languages

## Minor in Spanish or French

LLP's Spanish and French programs emphasize the five key components of language learning: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and culture. Students who pursue a minor in Spanish or French require an intermediate-high level in the language upon completion. Along with language acquisition, the minor offers students ample opportunities for community engagement and study abroad.

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**- Student Org.: Spanish Table Talk**

**People who are dual lingual can make as much as 20% more money on average.**

**Foreign Language can lead to different professions including:**

- Banking
- Healthcare
- Translation/Interpretation
- Financial Management
- Journalism
- Engineering
- High Tech
- Manufacturing
- Diplomacy

Picture: Spanish Table Talk Event