



The Summer Writers Institute at Washington University is excited to be celebrating its 25th anniversary in 2020. We are known for bringing together adult writers of all levels to work with published authors and exceptional teachers in a supportive, non-competitive format. Our intensive two-week program features workshops in several genres, each carrying 3 units of credit.

Classes are held evenings and weekends, leaving days free for writing. Participants also benefit from special programming that showcases the literary community in St. Louis and offers the chance to network with other writers. Whether this is your first foray into the writing life or the next step in honing your craft, we look forward to seeing you in St. Louis this summer!

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