

End-of-Program Review 2008-09

Writing in Inter-Area Programs (IA)

How much did students write in your program?

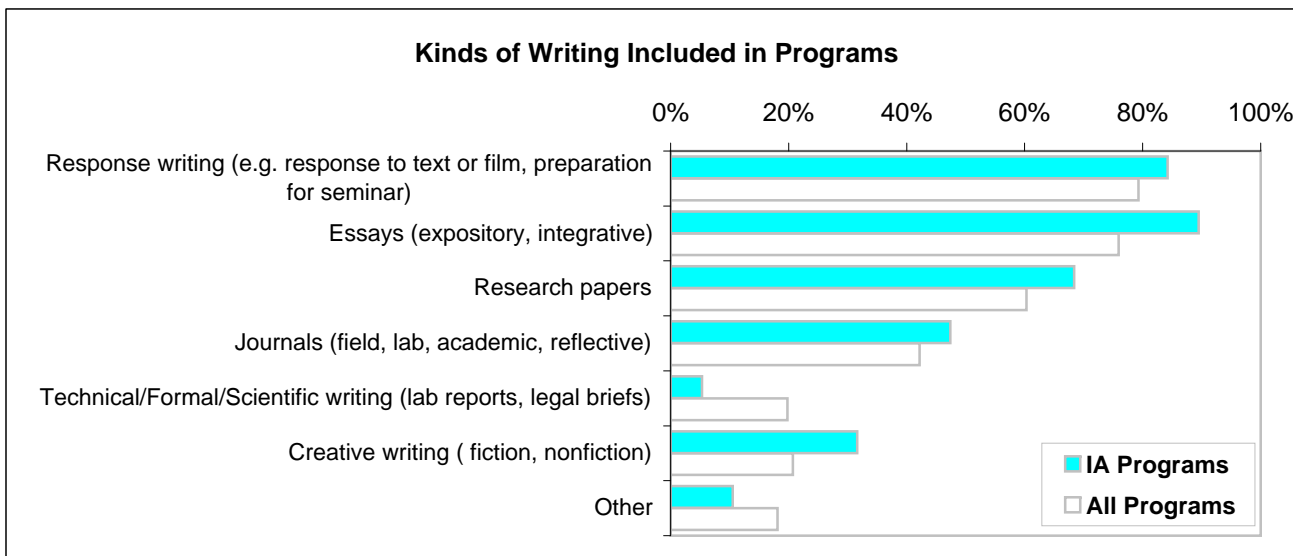
	Extensively	Moderately	A Little	Not at All	Percent of Programs with any writing	Programs with any writing (N)	Programs responded (N)
Inter-Area	47.4%	47.4%	5.2%	0.0%	100.0%	19	19
All programs	47.4%	46.6%	6.0%	0.0%	100.0%	116	116

Kinds of writing included in programs

	IA Programs	All Programs
Response writing (e.g. response to text or film, preparation for seminar)	84.2%	79.3%
Essays (expository, integrative)	89.5%	75.9%
Research papers	68.4%	60.3%
Journals (field, lab, academic, reflective)	47.4%	42.2%
Technical/Formal/Scientific writing (lab reports, legal briefs)	5.3%	19.8%
Creative writing (fiction, nonfiction)	31.6%	20.7%
Other	10.5%	18.1%

Explanation of Other

Program	Explanation
Language Matters: Persuasive Language in Popular Culture	Summaries and Synthesis Essays
Food, Health and Sustainability	Reflective



Modes of writing instruction in programs with Writing Instruction

	IA Programs	All Programs
Written guidelines	100.0%	89.4%
Details faculty feedback	100.0%	90.3%
Peer Review	57.9%	53.1%
Drafts with Revision(s)	57.9%	55.8%
Workshops	31.6%	38.9%
Tutors	15.8%	15.0%
Other	0.0%	8.0%

