

Course:

**THTRE 4850 Playwriting IV**

**3 hours**

Departments/Programs:

Theatre

An intermediate course building upon the principles of dramatic construction and devices of playwriting learned in *THTRE 1810FYW/THTRE 2810 Playwriting I*, *THTRE 3840 Playwriting II*, and *THTRE 3850 Playwriting III*. Emphasis is given to more advanced creative writing exercises and the writing and revision of a full length play. Students will also investigate documentary theatre writing. Students will have the opportunity to share writing in class and receive feedback in a supportive workshop environment. Students will assemble a portfolio that will include their midterm and final projects, their guided reflections and other work as determined by professor/student conferencing.

*Prerequisite(s): THTRE 1810FYW/THTRE 2810 Playwriting I, THTRE 3840 Playwriting II, THTRE 3850 Playwriting III, or permission of the instructor.*

(Normally offered each spring semester.)