**Western University  
Department of Modern Languages and Literatures**

**Writing and Composition**

Fall 2023

**TENTATIVE COURSE OUTLINE**

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Writing and

Compostion in Spanish

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**Instructor:** Alba Devo-Colis

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**Office Hours:** TBA

**Class time:** Tuesday 9:30-11:30

**Location:** UCC- 54B

**Description of the course:**

Drawing from a variety of engaging cultural and artistic expressions from the Hispanic World, this course focuses on developing syntactical and lexical usages, exploring writing techniques for organizing and presenting information, and for revising and editing. Students will review advanced grammatical structures in context to improve their written communication in Spanish.

**Learning outcomes:**

By the end of the course students will be able to:

* Use complex structures of the Spanish grammar
* Design, organize, and write academic and creative texts is Spanish
* Acquire cultural and artistic knowledge from the Hispanic World

**Course calendar:**

Week 1: Introduction to the course

Week 2: Punctuation and Syntax

Week 3: Description

Week 4: Narration

Week 5: Exposition I

Week 6: Exposition II

Week 7: Argumentation I

Week 8: Argumentation II

Week 9: Creative Writing I

Week 10: Creative Writing II

Week 11: Presentation of final project

Week 12: Final project due date

**Please note:**

This is a short version of the syllabus, which will be presented on the first day of class and uploaded to OWL.