# MARS HILL UNIVERSITY WRITING FELLOWS PROGRAM APPLICATION

Please note: To be eligible to be a Writing Fellow, you must have **at least two semesters** of study remaining at Mars Hill University before you complete your degree. You must also plan to enroll in ENG263-Peer Collaboration Across Disciplines and to have met prerequisite ENG262-Peer Collaboration in Writing.

Name:\_\_\_\_\_

Major (current or expected):\_\_\_\_\_

Expected date of graduation (month and year):\_\_\_\_\_

Phone:\_\_\_\_\_ Email:\_\_\_\_\_

MHU/Local address, with zip code:\_\_\_\_\_

# Part I. Short Answers

Please answer the following questions on a separate page or on this sheet in neat handwriting!

**1.** List any major extra-curricular (college) activities that you are or have been involved in, especially those in which you have provided leadership

2. List any honors or awards you have received since high school.

**3.** What other schedule demands will you have while you are fulfilling the responsibilities of Writing Fellow (if you should be hired for the position)?

#### Part II. Personal Statement

In a 2 page double-spaced letter, discuss why you want to be a Writing Fellow and what you would like us to know about you. Include explanation of any relevant skills or experiences that would complement your work as a Writing Fellow.

# Part III. Two Samples of Your Writing

Include *clean copies* of two course papers that represent your best work. Be sure to include, with each paper, a description of the assignment and a brief explanation of why you have chosen it to represent your writing abilities. Papers can be selected from any area of your studies here at Mars Hill University. The best selection choices will demonstrate analytical or argumentative writing and thinking (though a more pragmatic piece such as a lab report will be considered provided it illustrates analytical writing and thinking abilities). Submissions will not be returned, so be sure to keep a copy for your files.

# Part IV. Transcript

Include an up-to-date "student record" or unofficial transcript available from Self-Service. Transfer students must request transcripts from previous college.

# Part V. Recommendation

Include a letter of recommendation from a professor who has had you in class at MHU. The form for the letter and accompanying explanations of the program are available from the WID Writing Program Director.