

**UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON**  
**DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH - GRADUATE DIVISION**

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**List of Editors, Proofreaders, and Tutors**  
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**Matthew Fledderjohann**

Proofreading/Editing (\$25/hour), Tutoring (\$30/hour)

QUALIFICATIONS: I am an English PhD student studying Composition and Rhetoric. I have an MA in English literature from DePaul University and have taught college-level composition at DePaul, Robert Morris University, and UW-Madison and have worked as a writing tutor at all of these institutions as well as at Purdue University Northwest. Additionally, I have over two years of experience teaching English language, writing, and literature internationally in Kazakhstan and India. My copyediting work has ranged from assisting dissertators in the fields of educational policy, anthropology, and particle physics to working long-term with faculty members on book-length projects. I also enjoy assisting writers on application materials and shorter papers. I welcome the chance to work with all writers (i.e. undergraduate, graduate, international, non-traditional, faculty, private sector, etc.), and I will consider rush jobs for a negotiated price.

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**Ann Kim**

Proofreading and editing (\$20-30/hr), tutoring (\$30/hr)

QUALIFICATIONS: B.A. Cornell U (English); M.A. Yonsei U, Seoul, Korea (English Lit & Lang.); currently a PhD student in Composition and Rhetoric at UW-Madison. I have extensive experience as copyeditor, translator, and interpreter. I have worked with writers of all ages, including university students, high school students, and adult writers. Some of the projects I have worked on include master's theses, cover letters, resumes, college applications, writing for proficiency tests, MOUs, press releases, and speeches. I have taught TOEFL to non-native speakers of English and worked as a tutor at a writing center in a foreign university. As such, I am uniquely equipped to provide sensitive feedback to non-native speakers of English. Fluent in Korean. I can provide assistance for writing projects in all stages. I will consider rush jobs on a case-by-case basis.

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**Sara Gabler Thomas**

Editing/proofreading (\$25/hr); Tutoring (\$30/hr)

QUALIFICATIONS: PhD candidate in English—Literary Studies. I hold a BA from the University of Houston and an MA from the University of Mississippi. I have experience editing both academic and non-academic writing including essays, professional documents, and grants. Additionally, I have worked as a professional grant writer in the non-profit sector. I am willing wo work with writers from all disciplines and will consider last-minute requests on a case-by-case basis.

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The most current list can be found online at <http://www.english.wisc.edu/> under Resources

**Maggie Bertucci Hamper**

Proofreading/Editing (\$25/hour), Tutoring (\$30/hour)

QUALIFICATIONS: I am an advanced doctoral candidate in English (Composition and Rhetoric) who specializes in the teaching of writing. I have been teaching first-year and advanced writing at the college level for nearly a decade and have an MA in English from Southern Illinois University and a BA in English from Eastern Illinois University. My work is published in journals and edited collections including *Hyperhiz* and *Reimagining School Reform and Innovation*. I have served as an editor/proofreader for faculty on scholarly book projects and manuscripts in the humanities; with scholars, students, and professionals in a variety of fields from the hard sciences to the arts; and with those who are both native and non-native speakers of English. If you'd like to learn more about me you are very welcome to visit my website: [maggiebertuccihamper.com](http://maggiebertuccihamper.com). I am very happy to work with you as an editor/proofreader on any project, big or small—I will also consider rush jobs for a negotiated price.

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**Sunny Chan**

Proofreading (\$20/hour), Editing (\$25/hour),

QUALIFICATIONS: BA Honours from University of Alberta, MA from University of British Columbia, currently a PhD candidate in Literary Studies at UW-Madison. I have five years of experience in teaching undergraduate literary studies, and extensive experience in copy-editing papers for humanities, computing science, physical sciences, economics, as well as several successful grant applications. I am fluent in spoken Cantonese and can read some written Chinese if necessary (although I am not qualified to do translations); I also have some minor training in French-to-English translation. References are available upon request. I only do proofreading and editing by email, and if time allows will consider rush jobs for an extra fee.

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**Lisa Marvel Johnson**

Proofreading (\$18/hour), Editing (\$23/hour), Tutoring (\$28/hour, pending availability)

QUALIFICATIONS: BA in English with minors in Communications & Culture and Business Management from Clark University, MBA from Clark University with specialization in Marketing, MA in Afro-American Studies from UW-Madison. Currently in the PhD program for Literary Studies at UW-Madison. I have three and a half years of experience in teaching in various undergraduate and graduate disciplines including management information studies, Afro-American literature, and composition and rhetoric. Additionally, I have one year of experience working at a Writing Center helping students at all levels create cogent and successful essays, proposals, conference papers, and dissertations. I am happy to work with both undergraduates and graduate students at all stages in the writing process. I only do proofreading and editing by email. If time allows, I will consider rush jobs for an extra fee.

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**Amy E. Groshek**

Proofreading, Editing, Creative Writing Consults, Science Writing Assistance

Remote/online labor and correspondence: \$25/hr billed per quarter hour

In-person meetings: \$35/hr billed hourly

QUALIFICATIONS: BS in Plant Ecology with a Minor in Writing at UW-Stevens Point; MFA in Creative

Writing Poetry at University of Alaska Anchorage; PhD student in English Literature at UW-Madison

I have extensive experience with creative writing, professional writing, science writing, and academic

writing. I am fully qualified to assist with creative nonfiction, fiction, and poetry projects. Because I have

a background in natural science and 10 years of working experience in computer science, I can also

assist you with cover letters and resumes, professional correspondence, technical writing, and science

writing for a popular or academic audience. My rates are based on travel time. I recommend an in-person

meeting to get started, then online correspondence using video chat and email at the reduced rate. Also

ask about my discount for half-down on an extended contract.

Contact: amygroshek@gmail.com and <http://hire.amygroshek.com>

**Meg Marquardt**

Proofreading (\$20/hour), Editing (\$20-\$30/hour), (Tutoring (\$35/hour)

QUALIFICATIONS: I am an English PhD student in the program of Composition and Rhetoric. Before

beginning my graduate education at UW, I received a master's degree in English and a master's degree

in Science Writing. I also have a BS in Physics. As such, I am well-versed in many disciplines, especially

the sciences. I still work as a freelance science journalist, so I have considerable experience with science

genres such as journal articles, conference presentations, and dissertations. I have taught college

composition and worked one-on-one as a writing tutor with students at both the undergraduate and

graduate level, including multilingual or nontraditional students. I look forward to hearing from you.

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**Annika Konrad**

Proofreading (\$25), Editing (\$25-\$30/hr), Tutoring (\$30/hr)

QUALIFICATIONS: I am a Ph.D. student in English-Composition and Rhetoric. I received my B.A. in

English from UW-Madison and my M.A. in English from Ohio State University. I have three years of

experience tutoring undergraduate and graduate students in the Ohio State University Writing Center and

the UW-Madison Writing Fellows Program. I have taught college-level writing classes for three years. I

have extensive experience working with multilingual writers and writers from a variety of disciplines. I am

open to working on long-term projects. I look forward to working with writers at all stages of the writing

process.

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**Ruth Kellar**

Proofreading/Editing/Discussion (Email: \$20/hour; Meeting: \$25/hour)

QUALIFICATIONS: BA William Jewell College (Literature and Theory); MA University of Wisconsin-

Madison (Literary Studies)

I am a doctoral student in English at the University of Wisconsin-Madison and teach both composition

and literature courses. I also work in the UW Writing Center, where I enjoy instructing students at

various levels and across disciplines. I have experience editing multiple genres: personal statements,

resumes, literary essays, science reports, dissertations, articles, etc. I welcome engagement with ideas as

well as with the mechanics of writing, and I am glad to provide the response of an interested reader in

addition to that of a proofreader and editor.

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**Amanda Pratt**

Editing, Proofreading (\$20/hr) Tutoring (\$25/hr)

**QUALIFICATIONS:**

MA Writing - University of Nevada, Reno; BA Writing, 2nd major Geography, minor Environmental Science - SUNY Buffalo College, 200-hr RYT - International Sivananda Yoga Vedanta Center

I'm a PhD student in English--Composition and Rhetoric at UW--Madison, and I enjoy working with writers at all stages of writing projects. I have two+ years of experience teaching composition, professional writing, and interdisciplinary humanities courses at the college level. In the past, I've edited/proofread book manuscripts as well as academic journals (*Middle States Geographer* and *Interdisciplinary Studies in Literature and Environment*). During tutoring sessions, I can incorporate contemplative practices to build capacity for increased focus and confidence throughout the writing process. I look forward to helping you with writing needs across disciplines and genres, and will consider rushed requests on a case-by-case basis.

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**Ambar Meneses**

Proofreading/Editing/Discussion/ Text Translation (E-mail: \$20/hour; In-Person: \$25/hour)

QUALIFICATIONS: BA Florida International University (Psychology and English and Minor in French);

MA University of Wisconsin-Madison (Literary Studies)

Languages: Spanish, English, and French (advanced spoken and written literacy in all three languages)

I am a doctoral dissertator in English Literary Studies at the University of Wisconsin-Madison and have taught both composition and literature courses. I am currently working at the UW Writing Center, where I have been part of the e-mail instruction team and the outreach team, giving presentations on topics ranging from the structure of arguments to resumes and CVs. I have tutored students at all levels of higher education and across disciplines. I have experience editing multiple genres: journal articles in the sciences and the humanities, dissertations, literary analysis, personal statements, cover letters and resumes. I have found that talking about writing one-on-one provides writers the most effective stimulation for creativity in writing across genres. I also look forward to being the attentive proofreader and editor that can enhance a writer's understanding of the complex textual interaction between the writer and the audience. As a multilingual writer I also realize the added negotiation of terms that goes with translating and adapting a text in one language for an audience in another language.

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**Julia Garrett**

ESL Tutoring and Proofreading (please contact for hourly rate)

QUALIFICATIONS: BA in English, Harvard; MA in English, U of California Santa Barbara; 10+ years experience as a college writing instructor. I am currently a PhD student in Composition and Rhetoric specializing in English language acquisition and qualitative research methods. As a Writing Center tutor here during the past three years, I have worked with dozens of graduate and undergraduate students across many disciplines in the humanities, social sciences, and natural sciences. I can also provide informed guidance about job materials for the academic job market (cover letter, *c.v.*, teaching philosophy and portfolio). I work primarily with ESL and international students, both graduate and undergraduate.

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**Kelly Abrams**

Proofreading/Editing (\$23/hour)

QUALIFICATIONS: BA from University of Kansas (English and Sociology); MAT from Dominican University (Teaching K-9); MA from North Carolina State University (English Linguistics).

I am currently a PhD Candidate in English Language and Linguistics, conducting research on spoken and written varieties of English. I have experience teaching undergraduate writing and research classes, as well as advanced undergrad and graduate-level linguistics classes. I have extensive coursework in English linguistics, including the structure of English, ESL, and Second Language Acquisition. Previously, I have tutored adult ESL students, worked in the Writing Center, and edited Chemistry and Biochemistry journal articles in a lab on campus. I have experience writing and editing a variety of disciplines and genres as well as working with students from many different language backgrounds. I look forward to working with you!

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