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# Creative Writing Competition

The **UCLan Cyprus School of Business and Management BA English Language and Literature Programme** and the **British Council** in efforts to encourage Lyceum students to engage with Creative Writing in English, announce a Creative Writing competition.

The participants are invited to write a vignette, a short descriptive piece of writing exploring a single, transformative moment in time. Final drafts must be submitted via email to [cwcompetition@uclancyprus.ac.cy](mailto:cwcompetition@uclancyprus.ac.cy) by the **30th of April 2023, 23:59**. Participants should be on the final year of their Lyceum studies. Word limit: up to 800 words.

BA English Language and Literature in collaboration with Chez-voú literary society @cheznou.society will offer **2 Creative Writing workshops free of charge**, which the participants are encouraged to attend as a chance to learn more about the vignette: the literature genre on which they will compete. Christina Metaxa, an award-winning writer, creative writing instructor and the founder of Chez-voú, will deliver the workshops. Participants must register their participation via the below links.

**UCLan Cyprus Creative Writing Workshop 1, Tuesday, 7th of March, 9:00-10:30**

<https://forms.gle/oYH6jxLEeXZ6oMxZ7>

**UCLan Cyprus Creative Writing Workshop 2, Thursday, 30th of March, 10:30-12:00**

<https://forms.gle/mBFC5WixLMqaGr847>

**Limassol Creative Writing Workshop 1, Thursday, 16th of March, 4:00-5:30**

<https://forms.gle/wbnz9evmrXxUvCfa6>

**Limassol Creative Writing Workshop 2, Wednesday, 5th of April, 4:00-5:30**

<https://forms.gle/YBPelVsLzfNVwkJ7>

## First prize /

A 50% scholarship towards the tuition fees of the BA (Hons) English Language and Literature programme of UCLan Cyprus.

## Second prize /

A 40% scholarship towards the tuition fees of the BA (Hons) English Language and Literature programme of UCLan Cyprus.

## Third prize /

An IELTS test sponsored by the British Council.

<sup>1</sup>The Academic Merit Scholarships are calculated on the original fees of the program, that is on €9,950/year, and they apply for all years of study given the student maintains a 70% average grade per year with not less than 60% in each module. For example, the 50% scholarship reduces the annual tuition fees to €4,975 per year. The candidates, besides earning the top 2 positions on the above competition must also meet at least the minimum entry requirements of the programme.