

# WRITE A SHORT FILM SCRIPT

## VICTORIA UNIVERSITY SHORT COURSE

This short course is an introduction to the basics of Screenwriting.

Making films is now easier than ever—but shaping a good story is a vital skill. If you're itching to try to write a film-script but haven't been sure how to begin, this class will get you on the right track. It will also suit people who have already had some experience, but who would like some guidance on where to go next.

This course will be a lively combination of activities, examples, readings and discussions. You'll get the chance to explore and shape your ideas for making a short film through a series of six supportive and inspiring sessions.

### Find out about

- Understanding mainstream genres: crime, comedy, teen, romance
- Crucial elements: the plot and the premise
- Creating screen characters
- Creating dramatic tension
- Organising your ideas into practical actions to make your film.

**Course length: 2.5 hours every week for 6 weeks**

**Begins 7 August, 2010.**

**Saturdays 1 pm-3.30 pm at Wyndham Cultural Centre, Werribee**

**\$240 / \$210 concession**



This Course is run by Professional Writing & Editing TAFE, Victoria University.  
To register and for more details, email [CI\\_shortcourses@vu.edu.au](mailto:CI_shortcourses@vu.edu.au) or phone 9919 1932.

Also look out for

Writing Stories for Children, Wyndham Cultural Centre, beginning July 24, 6 weeks.

Creative Writing, Altona Meadows / Werribee / Point Cook area, beginning September 11, 6 weeks.

For all short course details visit:

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