

# A Wand, a Ring, and an Accursed Book

Building the Fantasy Worlds of Tolkien, Lovecraft, and  
Rowling



The theme of this Learning Community is to explore the secondary worlds created by J. R. R. Tolkien, H.P. Lovecraft, and J. K. Rowling. Using Tolkien's influential essay, "On Fairy-Stories," we will explore how these authors use various aspects of Greek, Norse, Arthurian, and Christian mythologies to "sub-create" their fantasy worlds.

**ENG102-0L3 CRN 64637**

Instructor: Nicholas Bennett

**IAI C1 901R**

TR 9:30am-10:45am

**HUM120-0L3 CRN 64638**

Instructor: Keith Jensen

**IAI H9 901**

TR 11:00am- 12:15pm

Total Credits: 6

*Learning Communities are two or more linked classes with a common group of students focusing on a central theme.*