The EWU College of Arts, Letters and Education is where what you love and what you do are one and the same. We are teachers, writers, musicians, filmmakers, artists, philosophers, performers, storytellers, and global communicators.

+ Get Lit! Festival—the Northwest’s premier literary event presented by EWU has delivered a diverse lineup of highly sought-after authors and highlighted our own talented local literary community for over 20 years.

+ The Spokane International Film Festival (SpIFF) is a growing Inland Northwest cultural event led by the EWU Theatre and Film Department faculty.

+ Eastern’s Philosophy program makes significant contributions to our region’s social vitality with two community engagement programs: Inland Northwest Public Philosophy and PK12—Philosophy in K-12 Schools.

+ EWU theatre students won a national musical theatre scholarship award twice and qualified for the Kennedy Center American College Theater Festival in 2019.

+ EWU art students and faculty present their works in art exhibitions that engage visitors with thought-provoking works regionally and nationally.

+ EWU music students and faculty perform world premiere compositions by faculty and other artists in the annual signature spring concert at the Fox Theater in Spokane.

+ A Reading Clinic partnership with Spokane Public Schools and developed by the EWU’s Education Department promotes literacy in local elementary schools.

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