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WCENTER@TTUVM1—Lady Falls Brown, Director of the Writing Center; Ed Sears, Writing Center Assistant; and Fred Kemp, Director of Composition and Rhetoric at Texas Tech University announce the establishment of a national Bitnet distribution list devoted to a discussion of writing center practice and theory.

Persons who have access to Bitnet and are interested in participating should send the message

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“LISTSERV@TTUVM1”

The Executive Board of the National Writing Centers Association will meet during NCTE in Seattle, November, 1991.

Because of increasing production and mailing costs, the Board voted to increase the NWCA membership fee to $25, with each publication receiving $10; the membership fee itself remains at $5.

Reminders: The NWCA offers grants of $100 to regional writing centers associations for conferences and grants of $200 to graduate students for thesis/dissertation research on writing centers. Contact the Executive Secretary for applications. Starter kits for writing centers are also available free to individuals. Conference hosts may also request NWCA brochures for participants and sample starter kits and journals.

Call for Manuscripts

The Writing Instructor is an innovative quarterly publication for composition professionals at both the secondary and university levels. Committed to the field of writing and composition instruction, TWI publishes articles grounded in rhetorical and educational theory. Its editorial board is made up of professional writing instructors, many of whom are involved in graduate studies in composition and linguistics.

For information about manuscript submission and subscriptions, please write to:

The Writing Instructor
The Freshman Writing Program
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Los Angeles, CA 90089-0062
The Writing Lab Newsletter, a monthly publication for those who work in the tutorial setting of a writing lab, invites manuscripts. Authors are invited to submit articles, book reviews, papers presented at regional conferences, reports of writing lab conferences, articles by tutors, and news of regional groups and/or specific writing labs.

Please enclose a self-addressed envelope with sufficient postage clipped (not pasted) to the envelope. Send to:

Professor Muriel Harris, Editor  
Writing Lab Newsletter  
Department of English  
Purdue University  
West Lafayette, Indiana 47907

For those who wish to join the newsletter group, a donation of $10 ($15/yr. for Canadians) to help defray duplicating and mailing costs (with checks made payable to Purdue University but sent to me) would be appreciated. Please send materials for the newsletter and requests to the above address.

The Journal of Teaching Writing, now in its eighth year of publication, is a refereed journal for classroom teachers and researchers whose interest or emphasis is the teaching of writing. Individual subscriptions are $8 annually with institutional subscriptions at $15. All inquiries should be addressed to JTW, IUPUI, 425 University Boulevard, Indianapolis, IN 46202.

Writing Teacher, a magazine full of ideas and activities for developing writing skills in the classroom, invites material for possible publication. Although submissions may be based on research and theory, they must also be of a very practical nature. Appropriate materials would include the following: sample lessons/units for teaching specific writing skills, practical advice on the teaching of writing, personal “success stories” from your composition classes, fresh and innovative approaches for teaching the basics of writing strategies for integrating composition and other content areas.

The publication calendar for 1990-1991 is listed below.

- January, 1991: Fiction in the Classroom: Students as Storytellers
- March, 1991: The Question of Basic: Improving the Basic Skills of Writing
May, 1991  More than Rhyming Words: Students as Poets
September, 1991  Whole Language Across the Curriculum
November, 1991  Evaluating Writing: Options and Alternatives

Manuscripts should be typed, double-spaced, and sent in duplicate to:
Writing Teacher
P.O. Box 791437
San Antonio, Texas 78279-1437
Attn: Lori Mammen, Editor

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