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Please note: For the most current list of writing center related announcements, go to http://writingcenters.org

Call for Participation

The International Writing Centers Association annual Summer Institute will be held June 23–28, 2013. The Summer Institute is ideal for current or would-be writing center directors and assistants, writing program administrators, tutors, writing teachers, curriculum developers, graduate students, new PhDs, and academic leaders—both in the US and abroad. Institute leaders offer presentations and roundtable discussions on a variety of topics that connect theory and practice. Leaders are available to meet one-on-one with participants throughout the week.

Leaders for the 2013 Writing Center Summer Institute are

- Shanti Bruce, Nova Southeastern University
- Rusty Carpenter, Eastern Kentucky University
- Kevin Dvorak, SI co-chair, Nova Southeastern University
- Ben Rafoth, SI co-chair, Indiana University of Pennsylvania
- Carol Severino, University of Iowa

The 2013 Summer Institute will be held on the beach June 23–28, 2013 in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Enrollment is now open and limited to the first 30 registrants. Scholarships are available. For more information, please visit http://iwcasummerinstitute.org/ or contact the institute co-chairs: Kevin Dvorak (kdvorak@nova.edu) and Ben Rafoth (brafoth@iup.edu).

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WCENTER is the mailing list for writing centers around the world. To subscribe to WCENTER, contact Elizabeth Bowen elizabethbowen@ttu.edu. To view the archives, go to http://lyris.ttu.edu/read/?forum=wcenter. If you would like to post a message to the list, simply address your email accordingly: wcenter@lyris.ttu.edu.
Call for Submissions

The Writing Lab Newsletter (WLN) is a monthly publication (September to June) for those who work in the tutorial setting of writing labs or centers (or in writing tutorials within learning centers). WLN invites articles, reviews of books relevant to writing centers, and revisions of papers presented at regional conferences. We also regularly include a Tutors’ Column with essays by and for tutors. Recommended maximum length is 3000 words or less (including the Works Cited) for articles and 1500 words or less for the Tutors’ Column. Please use MLA format. All submissions are peer reviewed. Send your manuscripts as attachments via email to submission@writinglabnewsletter.org. The email cover letter should include author’s name, mailing address, phone/fax numbers, and the name of the attached file. For editorial questions, contact Muriel Harris (harrism@purdue.edu), editor, or Michael Mattison (mmattison@wittenberg.edu) or Janet Auten (jauten@american.edu), associate editors.

Subscriptions to WLN are US $25 per year for subscriptions mailed in the US and US $30 for subscriptions mailed to Canada. International subscriptions are also available by contacting support@writinglabnewsletter.org. Please order WLN through our Web site: http://writinglabnewsletter.org/index.html. WLN is a publication of the International Writing Centers Association (IWCA). WLN subscriptions and IWCA memberships may be ordered online at http://www.iwcamembers.org/

Call for Submissions

Writingcenters.org, the website of the International Writing Centers Association, invites news and announcements of interest to the writing center community as well as submissions of original presentations/papers or brief reflections on regional conferences, the IWCA Collaborative, writing center-related sessions at CCC or other national conferences, or the IWCA conference. Submissions will be considered for the website’s Featured Reading section or for IWCA Conference Notes, an annual PDF supplement for the website that allows IWCA members a peek into the many regional and national conferences they were unable to attend.

Reflections should be no more than 1000 words, and papers/presentations should be no more than 3000 words. Photos or images of research posters can be submitted, as well. Photos should identify persons in the photo and should have a caption. Submissions from student tutors (graduate or undergraduate) are particularly encouraged.

Submissions for the Featured Readings section of the website are accepted year round. Submissions for IWCA Conference Notes should be submitted no later than April 30 of each year. Submissions can be e-mailed to iwca.webeditor@gmail.com.

IWCA Conference Notes is published each May as a PDF supplement of the writingcenters.org website and runs throughout the summer as the Featured Reading on the website. Visit http://writingcenters.org for more information.
Call for Submissions

REx, the Research Exchange Index, is a searchable database of recent and ongoing, published and unpublished, local, national and international writing research.

Researchers: Index your research by reporting summary information about projects completed and ongoing, 2000-present. Reports complement other scholarly communication and should not infringe on publisher or IRB agreements.

Contribute by May 1, 2013 to be included in the first peer-reviewed online edition of REx (publisher TBD). Then use REx to
- generate aggregable data
- identify patterns, trends, and knowledge gaps
- provide models and collaborators for new research
- and more.

Visit http://researchexchange.colostate.edu. Make your research count.

Call for Submissions

Queen City Writers is a refereed journal that publishes essays and multimedia work by undergraduate students affiliated with any post-secondary institution. We seek thought-provoking pieces from any disciplinary perspective that explore questions and problems related to writing, rhetoric, reading, literacy broadly conceived, popular culture and media, community discourses, and multimodal and digital composing. For more information, visit us online at http://qc-writers.com

Call for Submissions

The Xchanges online journal is a refereed interdisciplinary Technical Communication, Rhetoric/Writing, and WAC journal published by New Mexico Tech. We seek article-length, primary-research driven studies by undergraduate and graduate students in Technical Communication, Writing, and Rhetoric programs, in traditional or multi-modal format. Project topics might concern issues of pedagogy in writing classrooms, technology-related matters for teachers, students, and researchers, concerns related to writing centers, and assessment matters—to name but a few possible subjects. Full submissions guidelines and current and back issues are available at www.nmt.edu/~xchanges

Call for Submissions

Young Scholars in Writing, an international, peer-reviewed journal of undergraduate research in writing studies and rhetoric, welcomes research articles on writing and rhetoric authored by undergraduates at all levels—from graduating seniors to students enrolled in first-year composition classes. YSW also features a Comment and Response section that seeks to generate a dialogue among undergraduate students about previously published articles.

Full submission guidelines and all past issues of YSW are available at http://cas.umkc.edu/english/publications/youngscholarsinwriting/index3.html

Please address inquiries to YSW’s editor, Jane Greer, at greerj@umkc.edu.