

English 1302: Research Writing and Literary Analysis CRN 20440; Online Spring 2019

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"You don't have to be great to get started, but you do have to get started to be great." --Les Brown

Schedule

Make sure you check the schedule consistently and keep up with work in the class. Have the readings/assignments listed for the day done by the time class begins.

Anything in **BOLD RED** is not yet uploaded. I will do that as we work through the semester. **EACH TIME YOU RETURN HERE, MAKE SURE TO RELOAD THE PAGE BY CLICKING ON THE REFRESH SYMBOL. If you're not sure how to do that,** <u>click here for instructions</u>.

We work on a weekly schedule and I run weeks from **Tuesday to Monday**, excluding the first week and finals week. That means that in general weekly things are due by Monday midnight. That way you have both weekday and weekend time to do work to better fit your schedule, and since I don't generally check email on weekends, if you have any last minute questions you can email me and I can answer them Monday morning.

Anything that has a due date other than Monday midnight, will be clearly marked.

You have readings that are both online and in the *Writer's Reference*. See the Instructor Policy section of the syllabus for information on the *Writer's Reference*.

Jan. 20-28	Readings/Videos Online				
	Welcome to English 1302 (Video)				
Week 1	Syllabus: www.kelli.ninja/schedules.html				
	What is an Academic Paper				
	Academic Writing and a look at a Sample Essay: "Dying to be Beautiful" (Video)				
Getting to	 To read the full essay, click here: <u>Dying to Be Beautiful</u> 				
know our					
Blackboard	Due				
classroom,	Quiz 1 (Our quizzes cover the readings for the week. Make sure you've read them				
where we are	before you begin.)				
going, and each other	Fill out the Contact Info Survey for a free 100.				
each other	Week 1 Discussion: Introduce yourself to your classmates and to me here. Just tell				
	a little bit about yourself, your goals, interests, or anything else you'd like to share.				
	I'll start things off.				
	Email me at <u>kwood@epcc.edu</u> . Let me know you've looked around our Blackboard				
	and if you have any specific questions so far.				
Jan. 29 – Feb.	Readings/Videos Online				
4	Sample Essay: <u>Finding the Zombie within Ourselves</u>				
	<u>Research Assignment, pp 1-4</u>				
Week 2	Starting with a Question, well, Two (Video)				
	How to Write a Research Question				
	Language, Tone and Audience				
Looking	Read <i>Writer's Reference</i>				
deeper at the	Pose Questions worth Exploring, pp 331-334 (For this week only I've posted this reading				
research	on Blackboard so that you have time to get your book. It's in an announcement.)				
paper, and its					
tone and	Due				
style.	\Box Quiz 2				
Tomia	Week 2 Discussion: What kinds of things are you thinking about researching?				
Topic Questions	What makes you want to find out more about them? Explain those things. When				
due!	you respond to your classmates, comment on their ideas in terms of other things				
ude:	they might lead to or be related to, or in terms of some things you might know				
	about as possible things or places to research.				
	Research Topic Questions due on Blackboard on the "Turn in Research Assignments				
	Here" page.				

Feb. 5-11Check for the journal response from me, and begin finding research—I'll be working these throughout the week.Week 3						
Week 3						
Read Online	Read Online					
Writing down the Basics						
 Formal Writing-Formal Voice and Style pp 46-51 						
 Finding Research – Reading a Formal Research Study pp 89-91 						
Sources: Evaluating Websites: Techniques to Apply and Questions to Ask						
 finding them and Read the "Home" and "Scholarly & Popular Sources" tabs: 	 Read the "Home" and "Scholarly & Popular Sources" tabs: 					
evaluating Home Scholarly & Popular Sources Primary & Secondary Sources						
them.						
The 'Undue Weight' of Truth on Wikipedia						
Video: Doing Research using EPCC'S Library Search and Google Scholar						
APA format. APA Assignment						
Format your Essay in APA style (Choose one):						
 <u>APA Format: MS Word</u> (Video) 						
APA Format • APA Format: Google Docs (Video)						
Assignment • APA Format: Apple Pages (Video)						
due! APA Format: Word for Apple (Video)	 <u>APA Format: Word for Apple</u> (Video) 					
 <u>APA Format: Open Office</u> (Video) 						
Read <i>Writer's Reference</i>						
Map out a Search Strategy, Managing Information; Taking Notes Responsibly, an	Map out a Search Strategy, Managing Information; Taking Notes Responsibly, and					
Evaluating Sources pp 334-358						
Manuscript Format pp 479-482						
Extra						
□ I didn't get this on the schedule on time, but I highly suggest you check this out.						
a video on <u>Reading (and Using) Scholarly Articles</u> and goes over what parts to rea						
	and which parts to skip along with other important things about them as well as a					
few more search hints.						
Due						
Quiz 3						
Week 3 Discussion: We all know that you can't trust everything you read or hear, and figuring out whether a course is good or not is all about that . What are some						
and figuring out whether a source is good or not is all about that. What are som	2					
of the strategies that work best for you when you're trying to figure out whether						
something is a good source? These can be things you do on your own as well as						
things we read about for this week. Make sure to respond to at least two						
classmates and use your grammar tools. APA Format Assignment due on <u>Blackboard</u>						

Feb. 12-18	Prewritings are due next week, so make sure you are finding and reading your research.				
	Let me know if you need some help. If you want to turn them in early, just make sure				
Week 4	you do next week's readings early too.				
	Read Online				
Some	Commas or watch the <u>Video</u>				
grammar					
review.					
	Research Assignment, Source Prewritings, pp 5-8				
	When to Summarize, Paraphrase, and Quote				
More on	Documentation Overview: Mapping Your Sources (Video)				
sources and	Writing down the Basics, APA pp. 70-86				
citation.	<u>APA Citation Basics</u> (Video)				
	Grammarly Signup and Report (Video)				
	Read <i>Writer's Reference</i>				
	 Citing Sources; Avoiding Plagiarism Synthesize Sources and Documenting Sources 				
	pp 440-450				
	pb ++0-+30				
	Due				
	Quiz 4				
	 <u>Quiz 4</u> <u>Week 4 Discussion</u>: What sources are you finding helpful in doing your research and 				
	citation in addition to what we've gone over in class? Share anything you've found				
	helpful and help each other out. If it's a source for citation, tell what you like about				
	specifically.				
	Do the <u>APA Citation Review:</u> I have to put these grades in manually, so they won't				
	show up on Blackboard immediately.				
	Sign up for <u>Grammarly</u> . Make sure you're at <u>www.grammarly.com/edu/signup</u> and				
	use your EPCC email address!				

Feb. 19-25	Read Online				
	Misc. Punctuation: Hyphen, dash, ellipses, parentheses, brackets (Video)				
Week 5	Writing an Annotated Bibliography				
	How to Write a Summary				
	Stigma Busters (My video read-through)				
	Read Writer's Reference				
Writing an annotation.	Reviewing, Revising, and Editing – Proofread the Final Manuscript pp 19-31				
	Due				
	\Box Quiz 5				
Editing your work.	Week 5 Discussion: What have you found the most challenging in doing this so far				
	and what seems fairly easy? What things are you doing as when you actually sit				
	down to write that are helpful—they can be very practical, simple things.				
D	Sometimes those are the most helpful.				
Prewritings	Source Prewriting 1 with Grammarly Report due				
due!	Source Prewriting 2 with Grammarly Report due				
	 The Prewritings are due on the "Turn Research Assignments in Here" page. 				
	Note: Your draft is due next week for workshop feedback. It doesn't have to be				
	complete, but should be a substantial start on the essay so you can get some feedback				
	from classmates. I'll be getting back to you on the prewritings so you can also use that				
	advice as you finish up your paper.				

Feb. 26 - Mar.	NOTES:					
4	Remember, if you want to get writing center extra credit, you need to go at least one					
	day before the draft is due.					
Week 6						
	I HIGHLY recommend you go to the writing center. Don't wait until the last minute. It's					
Drafting your						
essay and	48 hour turnaround time.					
getting						
feedback.	Your work doesn't have to be done to get some feedback on it. They can help you with					
	what you have, and that will help as you go forward. The same goes for workshop.					
Workshop	what you have, and that will help as you go forward. The same goes for workshop.					
may take						
some time so	Read Online					
plan						
accordingly.	<u>Research Assignment: Workshop pp 9-17</u>					
	 As you work on your draft, use the grading criteria to make sure you're 					
	doing these things. If you can't find it in your essay, I probably won't be					
	able to either. So, use this as your final checklist as you work on getting					
	this ready to turn in.					
	 <u>Writing down the Basics</u> Argument Essays p 76 					
	 The Down-and-Dirty Method for Writing a 					
	Research Paper pp 80-81					
	Dead Minitar's Deference					
	Read <i>Writer's Reference</i>					
	Supporting a Thesis – Anticipating and Countering					
	Alternative Interpretations pp 437-440					
	Writing Arguments – Writing Guide: Argument					
	Essay,					
	рр 87-100					
	Due					
	Quiz 6					
	<u>Research Workshop</u> : Post a draft of your essay to the Research Workshop Group					
	discussion board. Use the file I attached there to respond to others' papers in your					
	group.					
	\circ The link for workshop is at the bottom of the Course Menu on the left of the					
	Blackboard class page. Get there by clicking on Research Workshop Group and					
	then Group Discussion board.					
	 Make sure to set aside some extra time for this. 					

Mar. 5-11	Read Online			
	Research Assignment: Research Draft, pp 10-15			
Week 7	_			
	Due			
Finishing up	Blackboard: Research Exam			
the Research	Research Draft due on Blackboard with Grammarly Report. Make sure to use			
Essay.	SafeAssign			
	Week 7 Discussion: What have you learned about writing a research paper? What			
	things slow you down or are challenging, and what things help you or can you do			
	for yourself to help out?			
NA				
Mar. 12-18	Read Online			
Week 8	Introduction and Overview to Writing about Film (Video)			
	Film Exam and In-Class Essay			
	□ <u>Writing about Film</u>			
Introduction	Yale Film Analysis Guide: Basic Terms, Mise-en-Scene			
to writing	□ Our Time is Up (Video)			
about film	Our Time is Up (Video)			
	Sample Essay: Life Does not Wait on Time and Video Walkthrough			
Learning MLA	<u>The Fridge Part 1</u> & <u>The Fridge Part 2</u> (Video)			
Format	Cinematography and <i>The Fridge</i> (Video)			
	Writing down the Basics, MLA format-Numbers in MLA, pp 54-69			
	Formatting MLA Papers (Choose one):			
	 <u>MLA Format: MS Word</u> (Video) 			
	 <u>MLA Format: Google Docs</u> (Video) 			
	 <u>MLA Format: Open Office</u> (Video) 			
	 MLA Format: Apple Pages (Video) 			
	 <u>MLA Format: Word for Apple (Video)</u> 			
	<u>MLA Format Assignment</u>			
	Due			
	 Blackboard: Quiz 7 			
	 <u>Discussion</u>: Use one of the questions from the <u>Film Exam and In-Class Essay</u> page 			
	and write a paragraph about one of these films we watched for this week. It's just			
	practice, so, just throw an idea out there. Give some feedback on others' ideas too.			
	 MLA Format Assignment due on Blackboard 			
	The 18 th – the 22 nd is Spring Break			

3/26 – 4/1	Read Online		
	Yale Film Analysis Guide: Cinematography		
Week 9			
	□ <u>A Good Shot</u> □ This sets a stice in <i>A Coord Chat</i>		
*As we go	<u>Things to notice in <i>A Good Shot</i></u>		
through film	*Sample Essay:		
and fiction, I	 <u>Video Walkthrough: Calm to Frantic</u> 		
will include	 Essay: <u>Calm to Frantic</u> 		
Video	My Name is Lisa		
Walkthroughs with most of	Things to notice in My Name is Lisa		
the samples.	Sample Essay:		
There I read	 <u>Video Walkthrough: Who Are You?</u> 		
and discuss	 Essay: <u>Who Are You?</u> 		
the sample.			
-	Lovefield		
Make sure	Things to notice in <i>Lovefield</i>		
you check	*Sample Essay:		
out	 <u>Video Walkthrough: The Bigger Picture in Lovefield</u> 		
at least one	 Essay: <u>The Bigger Picture in <i>Lovefield</i></u> 		
version			
of the	□ <u>10 Minutes</u>		
sample	Things to notice in 10 Minutes		
essays.	Sample Essay:		
-	 <u>Video Walkthrough: Sound, Color and Lighting Speak Louder than Words</u> 		
	 Essay: <u>Sound, Color and Lighting Speak Louder than Words</u> 		
	Due		
	Blackboard: Quiz 8		
	Discussion: Use one of the questions from the Film Exam and In-Class Essay page		
	and write a paragraph about one of these films we watched for this week. It's just		
	practice, so, just throw an idea out there. Give some feedback on others' ideas too.		

4/2 - 8	Read Online				
Week 10	Writing down the Basics, Writing about Film, pp 102-104				
	Yale Film Analysis Guide: Editing and Sound				
	Pretty Dead Girl Part 1 & Part 2 (Make sure to watch the whole thing)				
	Things to notice in <i>Pretty Dead Girl</i>				
	Sample Essay:				
	 *<u>Video Walkthrough: Sound Changes Everything</u> 				
	 Essay: Sound Changes Everything 				
	Delusions of Modern Primitivism Part 1 & Part 2 (make sure and watch it all)				
	Things to notice in <i>Delusions of Modern Primitivism</i>				
	Sample Essay: <u>Peeling Back the Layers</u> : <i>Delusions in Modern Primitivisim</i>				
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	A professional sample: <u>Modernity and Mise-en-scene: Terry Gilliam and Brazil</u> (pdf				
	version)				
	Film Essay Homework (This isn't due until next week, but it helps you outline your essay, so you might want to take a look at it now. You can do it early.)				
	essay, so you might want to take a look at it now. You can do it early.)				
	Due				
	Blackboard: Quiz 9				
	 Discussion: Use one of the questions from the Film Exam and In-Class Essay page 				
	and write a paragraph about one of these films we watched for this week. It's just				
	practice, so, just throw an idea out there. Give some feedback on others' ideas too.				
4/9 – 15	Watch Online				
-, <i>y</i> = 13	 <u>Wrecked</u> You will write your essay about this movie for your essay. 				
	 Extras: 				
Week 11					
	 <u>A form you may want to use to help you make notes as you watch</u>—it gives some of the most prevalent things to look at. I hand this out in class for students to make 				
	notes as they watch the movie. (rtf file)				
	 Video: <u>Some post-Wrecked</u> watching tips and thoughts—I go through some key 				
	things to notice, and at the end <i>talk about some important technical aspects</i> of writing				
	about this film.				
	The handout referred to in the video above				
	Review Writing down the Basics, Argument Essays p 76—keep in mind that this is				
	the basic structure for this type of essay.				
	Due				
	Film Essay Homework (Use this to draft your essay.)				
	□ <u>Film Exam</u>				
	Film Essay				

4/16 – 22	Read Online
	Fiction Exam and In-Class Essay
Week 12	<u>Literature (Fiction)</u>
	<u>The Necklace</u>
	 Video: <u>Developing a Literary Argument: The Necklace with the Sample</u>
April 18 th , last	<u>"(Un)Making Mathilde</u> ,
day to drop/	∘ OR
withdraw	 <u>Developing a Literary Argument: The Necklace (PDF)</u> and
	 Sample Essay: <u>(Un)Making Mathilde: Description as Character in Guy de</u>
	Maupassant's "The Necklace"
	Read <i>Writer's Reference</i>
	 Reading to form an Interpretation, pp. L3-L8 (Lit section, <u>online version</u>, pp. 3-8)
	Reading to form an interpretation, pp. 15 to (tit section, <u>online version</u> , pp. 5 b)
	Due
	Blackboard: Quiz 10
	Discussion: Choose ONE of the questions and answer it. Respond to someone
	else's comments with either an explanation of why you agree or why you see it
	another way using further examples or quotes from the story.
	 Questions on Blackboard Week 12 discussion
	Research Final due April 28 th , midnight
4/23 – 4/29	Read Online
	□ <u>A & P</u>
Week 13	Sample Essay: <u>Why Sammy Really Quits</u>
	<u>The Tell-Tale Heart</u>
	Sample Essay: <u>"The Tell-Tale Heart": A Nineteenth Century Emotional Rollercoaster</u>
	(PDF)
	How to Integrate Quotations from a Work of Fiction
	How Thug Notes interprets "The Tell-Tale Heart" Notice the use of quotes and
	specific quotes in the analysis to support the point.
	Read <i>Writer's Reference</i>
	 Observing the Conventions of Literature Papers, pp. L12-L14 (Lit section, <u>online</u>)
	version, pp. 15-16)
	Due
	Blackboard: Quiz 11
	Discussion: Choose ONE of the questions and answer it. Respond to someone
	else's comments with either an explanation of why you agree or why you see it
	another way using further examples or quotes from the story.
	 Questions on Blackboard Week 13 discussion
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4/30 – 5/6	Read Online					
	A Good Man is Hard to Find					
Week 14	□ Where are You Going? Where Have You Been?	Where are You Going? Where Have You Been?				
	□ So, where's the connection and why did you have u	is rea	<u>ad these horrible stories,</u>			
	Kelli? (Video)					
	□ Sample Essay: <u>A Good Grandma is Hard to Find</u> (Pl	DF)				
	Fiction Essay Homework (This isn't due until next w	Fiction Essay Homework (This isn't due until next week, but you might want to				
	check it out and get started or do it early.)	check it out and get started or do it early.)				
	Due					
	Blackboard: Quiz 12					
	 Discussion: What do you think about the moments 	of a	race in these stories as I			
	discussed in the <u>video</u> ? Do you buy my reading? If so, why? Do you read it another					
	way? If you checked out any of the other articles I linked in the description to the					
	video, do you buy any of those?					
5/7 – 5/15	Read Online		<u>"Wall"</u> –You will write your			
	<u>The Woman Who Tried to Be Good</u>		final essay about this story.			
Week 15 and	□ <u>The Door</u>		Here are the <u>questions and</u>			
16	Dude, what is up with that wacky story, Kelli?		reminders for the final			
	Sample Essay: <u>Changing of the Doors</u>		essay.			
**Note that			Tips			
the essay is	Read Writer's Reference		\circ Read the story through			
due by	□ Planning the Paper-Writing the Paper, pp L-8 – L-		<i>before</i> reading the			
Wednesday,	12 (Lit section, <u>online version</u> , pp. 9-1—[pdf		questions. Then take			
5/15.**	pages 14-16])		some time away from it.			
			$\circ~$ When you come back,			
	Due by 5/15Wednesday		re-read the questions			
	<u>Fiction Homework</u>		and decide which one			
	<u>Fiction Exam</u>		you'll answer, and go			
	<u>Fiction Essay due</u>		through the story and do			
	Discussion: Overall, what have you learned to do to		the Film Homework to			
	help yourself approach writing in the future? What		layout your basic draft.			
	things have helped? What things stall you in writing?					