

WIP Course Proposals • 2020-21

Faculty name: _____

Franklin College department:

Email:

Course number and title:

Enrollment estimate:

Semester course will be taught: ___Fall 20 ___Spring 21 ___Unknown

1) Writing assignments the course will feature and goals for each:

(How will the assignments help students learn the course content and/or the disciplinary conventions of your field? These may involve informal writing-to-learn—“low stakes”—and/or formal writing-to-present learning—“high stakes”—activities.)

2) How will the course address the *process* of doing writing assignments and what specific opportunities will your course provide for planning, feedback, and revising (i.e., conferences about writing, peer review, written responses to drafts, and/or group work)? (Will students be taught a process for doing required assignments? Will writing assignments be sequenced or staged? Detail opportunities for feedback and revision.)

3) How will the course introduce and make effective use of a Writing Intensive Program teaching assistant?

4) For the 2020-21 academic year, the Writing Intensive Program will continue its Public Writing Initiative. WIP will match experienced community professionals with WIP courses and coordinate classroom visits, during which the guest speakers will talk to students about how they use writing on a daily basis.

_____ Yes, I am interested in participating in the Public Writing Initiative.
If you have a guest speaker in mind or a special request, please comment:

_____ No, I am not interested at this time.

Acknowledgements:

• Faculty whose proposals are selected will 1) attend a planning session in August (8/13/20) on assigning and responding to writing in the disciplines; 2) provide a syllabus for the course; 3) offer mentoring opportunities for WIP TAs; 4) participate in WIP assessment surveys; and 5) honor guidelines for successful writing-intensive courses.

If my proposal is selected, I commit to the above responsibilities, including the orientation session.

Sign or type your name:

• Department or Unit Head is aware of your submission. (The purpose of this acknowledgement is to allow departments or units to coordinate their proposals.)

Department or Unit Head's signature:

(If you submit this proposal electronically, please request your Department or Unit Head to email WIP Director Lindsey Harding (lharding@uga.edu) that he/she is aware of your submission.)