

5th Teaching Writing in Wyoming Lost in Transition Colloquium Sunday, April 7 - Monday, April 8, 2013 Casper

Summit Goals

- 1. Develop a better understanding of Common Core State Standards related to research.
- 2. Discuss characteristics of research literacies that build toward college and career readiness.
- 3. Discuss common struggles in promoting critical thinking in research projects.
- 4. Revise an existing research project assignment in response to conference discussion.

PTSB credit will be available.

Agenda

Sunday, April 7 FireRock Steakhouse and Grill 6:00p.m. - 8:00p.m.

Join us for dinner (provided by the Partnership) and discussion, led by special guest speaker, Michael Knievel, Associate Professor, English Department, University of Wyoming. (registration limited to 40)

Monday, April 8 UW Outreach Building, 951 N. Poplar, Room 150

8:00-8:30 8:30-8:45 8:45-10:00 10:00-10:15	Registration and lite breakfast Conference overview: objectives, participants, and structure Session 1: "College and Career Ready" research skills • Table Talk: What is your definition of college and career ready? • Table Talk: What is CCSS's definition of college and career ready? • Individual work: How well does your project promote research skills that lead to college and career readiness? Break		
10:15-11:30	Session 2.1: Room 150 Building interdisciplinary projects	Session 2.2: Room 151 Exploring and building towards college-level research assignment prompts	Session 2.3: Room 114 Moving past comprehension to synthesis/evaluation
11:30-12:15 12:15-1:15	Lunch Discussion and planning for afternoon session • What were key ideas from the breakout you attended? • What did you learn during breakouts that helped you rethink your project? • What did you learn in the preparatory reading that helps you rethink your project? • Individual work: In what ways do you think that you might expand critical thinking and motivation components of your project?		
1:15-2:30	Session 3.1: Room 150 Developing engaging purposes and audiences	Session 3.2: Room 151 Promoting critical evaluation of sources/Rethinking the research process	Session 3.3: Room 114 Promoting diverse perspectives through research
2:30-2:45 2:45-3:30	Break Discussion, wrap-up, and evaluations • Table Talk: What did you learn during the afternoon that helped you rethink your project? • Opportunities for further collaboration, development, support, etc.?		
Registration is free and required.			
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