

**Carolinas Writing Program Administrators**  
**Writing Research and Program Preservation**  
**in Tight Financial Times**

**Wildacres Retreat, Little Switzerland, NC**

**Monday, September 21st**

- 4:00 Check-In, North Lodge Lobby
- 5:00 Opening Social
- 6:30 Dinner
- 7:30 Opening Session
- 8:30 Networking and Bonfire

**Tuesday, September 22nd**

- 8:00 Breakfast
- 9:00-10:00 Panel - *Downsizing as an Opportunity: Program Revision in a Budget Crisis*, Chris Warnick, Amy Mecklenburg-Faenger, Meg Scott-Copses, and Jennifer Burgess, College of Charleston
- 10:15-11:45 Small discussion groups

*Small Group Discussion Topics:*

- Sustaining Writing Programs
- Writing Intensive and WAC Programs
- Writing Centers
- Digital Literacies
- Sophomore Composition
- Plus others introduced at the conference!

*Scheduled Discussion Presenters:*

- Will Banks, East Carolina University
- Dee James, University of North Carolina – Asheville
- Jessie Moore, Elon University
- Anne Oxenreider, Montreat College
- Lynn Rhodes, University of South Carolina – Aiken
- Wendy Sharer, East Carolina University

- 12:30 Lunch
- 1:45-3:00 Groups report back to larger group
- 3:00 Networking and Outdoor Time
- 6:00 Dinner
- 7:00 Panel - *Making Lemonade: Budget Crises as Opportunities for Positive Change*, Susan Miller-Cochran and Dawn Shepherd, North Carolina State
- 8:00 Social

**Wednesday, September 23rd**

- 8:00 Breakfast
- 8:45-9:45 Closing Session
- 9:45-10:30 Board Meeting