

Communities and Contact Zones: Doing Justice

CAROLINAS WRITING PROGRAM ADMINISTRATORS 14TH ANNUAL FALL CONFERENCE

September 18-20, 2017
Wildacres Retreat Center
Little Switzerland, NC

Monday, September 18

4:00-5:30pm Check-In | **North Lodge Lobby** | Light snacks will be available in the **Studio**

6:30 Dinner | **Cafeteria**

7:45 **Studio**

Collie Fulford | Welcome & Opening Session

David and Sherry Lovett | "Need-to-know stuff" & the history behind Wildacres
Retreat Center

Featured Speakers: **Emma Howes & Christian Smith** | Coastal Carolina University
"Intersections of Contemplative and Antiracist Pedagogies in the Contact Zone"

Collie Fulford | Carolinas WPA President's Report

9:00 Social/Networking | **Studio**

Tuesday, September 14

8:00am Breakfast | **Cafeteria**

9:00 Collie Fulford | Announcements & Agenda | **Studio**

Workshop Facilitators: **Emma Howes &/or Christian Smith** | "Attention, Mindful
Reading, and Critical Literacies"

10:00 **Concurrent Session I (A&B)**

Session A Roundtable

Amanda Wray | UNC Asheville | "Willful Interruptions: Revisiting Theresa Enos'
'Gender Roles and Faculty Lives in Rhetoric and Composition'"

Jessica Ulmer & Sylvia Basiles | Midlands Technical College | "Building Bridges to
Foster Community between Technical Colleges and Universities in South Carolina"

Session B Roundtable

Casie Fedukovich & Kendra Andrews | NC State University | "GTAs in the Contact Zone: Teacher Preparation and the Trump Effect"

Margaret Chapman | Elon University | "Code-switching, Conventions, and the Composition Classroom"

11:00 **BREAK**

11:15 **Concurrent Session II (A&B) | Studio**

Session A: Roundtable

Denise Comer | Duke University | "The Role of Personal and Reflective Writing in a Mindfulness Based Course about Identity and Stress"

Patrick Bahls & Jessica Pisano | UNC Asheville | "Writing into Community in Linked First-Year Courses"

Session B: Workshop

Jan Rieman, Cat Mahaffey, Joan Mullin, & Suzanne Thomas | UNC Charlotte | "Doing Justice Within: Aligning Our Human and Professional Values"

12:30pm Lunch | **Cafeteria**

1:45 *Workshop Facilitators: Emma Howes &/or Christian Smith* | "Breakout Contemplative Sessions: Embodied Movement and Social Action" | **Studio**

2:30 Write/Hike/Retreat | Carolinas WPA Board Meeting

5:00 **Concurrent Retreat Activities | Studio**

Activity A: Brandon Hardy & Kerri Bright Flinchbaugh | Eastern Carolina University | "Writing for Change: Position Statements"

Activity B: Joshua Lundgren | Eastern Carolina University | "A Walk Through the Contact Zone"

6:00 Dinner | **Cafeteria**

7:15 *Workshop Facilitators: Emma Howes &/or Christian Smith* | Discussion of day's writing | **Studio**

9:00 Bonfire/Retreat/Networking/Music | **Bonfire Pit: Below South Lodge**

Wednesday, September 20

8:00am Breakfast | **Cafeteria**

9:00: *Workshop Facilitator:* **Emma Howes &/or Christian Smith** | Final thoughts and discussion | **Studio**

Collie Fulford | Update from the Board

10:00: Departures

Please return your lanyards to Collie Fulford