



WAC Faculty Workshop

Acculturating Students to Source-based Writing

Wednesday, February 21, 2007
12-2 pm, LLC 515

Tentative Agenda:

- 12:00- 12:15** *Introduction and Lunch
- 12:15- 12:45** Questionnaire and library presentation
- 12:45- 1:05** *Evaluating sources
- Handout (from Sophia Wong) and follow-up discussion on the advantages, disadvantages, and gray areas of different types of sources (news organizations, popular magazines, academic journal articles, blogs, etc.)
 - Review Sarah Blazer's worksheet, "Responsibly and Critically Evaluating Sources"
- 1:05- 1:15** *Summary and Commentary
- Double-entry journal
 - Integration of quotes from source materials
- 1:15- 1:25** -Sample transitions between segments of commentary (Summer Institute handout)
- 1:25- 1:30** *Mechanics of Citation
- Basics of citation and review of common errors