

MSWCA CALL FOR PROPOSALS

TEAM WORK MAKES THE DREAM WORK:

COLLABORATION AND INCLUSION IN THE WRITING CENTER

The Writing Centers at Northwest Mississippi Community College and the Board of the Mississippi Writing Centers Association (MSWCA) invite proposals for the annual MSWCA Conference and TutorCon to be held in Senatobia, MS at Northwest Mississippi Community College on March 23-24, 2018.

Given the polarized socio-political climate in America, places of inclusivity and acceptance are all-the-more important for all stakeholders at institutions across our state and nation. We have therefore chosen that the conference theme be "Team Work Makes the Dream Work: Collaboration and Inclusion in the Writing Center," which invites questions and ideas about our writing center communities and identities. How do our writing centers interact and work with(in) other entities on our campuses and beyond to foster such inclusivity? How do writing centers foster inclusivity for students, faculty, and community members both inside and outside? How do our writing centers' identities either exclude or include those who we serve?

We are excited to receive proposals from administrators, tutors, writing professionals, and other writing center affiliates about the communities we serve, belong to, and shape; about identities in our writing center work; about the collaborative efforts we engage in; and about the activities and initiatives that we sponsor to promote inclusivity. We encourage you to explore this theme both widely and deeply, and welcome proposals both directly and indirectly related to the theme.

Types of Proposals:

Individual Presentations Workshops
Panel Presentations Roundtables
Poster Presentations Ignite Sessions

Submission Guidelines:

750 word limit — Panel proposals

500 word limit — Collaborative/interactive proposals

250 word limit — All other proposal types

Submit your proposal online:

https://goo.gl/forms/dPhg9VRPsNioMLCd2

MSWCA 2018 MARCH 23-24

Proposal Deadline

February 2, 2018

Location

Northwest Mississippi Community College Senatobia, MS

Keynote Speaker

Brian Fallon

Director of the Fashion Institute of Technology's Writing Studio.

Staying with us?

Hampton Inn Hernando 2675 McIngvale Road, Hernando, MS 38632

Ask for MSWCA group rate when booking.

\$104/night, 3/23-24 662.449.7737

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