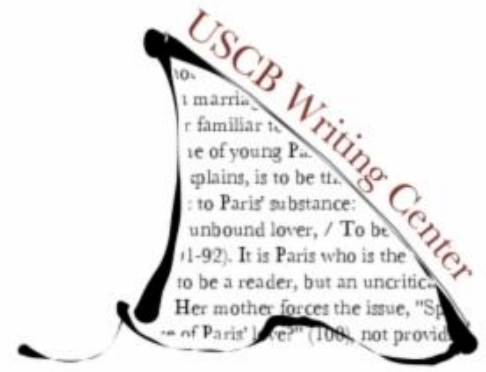


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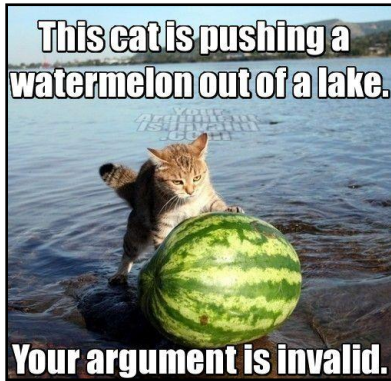
workshops

Short training sessions, followed by time to work with English instructors and Writing Center tutors on what's puzzling you. Bring your notebooks, tablets, papers, pencils, and drafts! Workshops last an hour.

(Visit <http://uscb.edu/writingcenter> for tutoring and more!)



**All Workshops meet in Hargray 204.
Wednesdays, 4:30–5:30.**

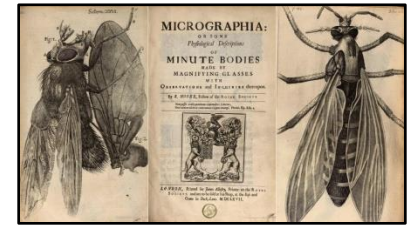


January 21 The Argument Generator

The basics of putting an argumentative essay together that works. A refresher on what went down in English 101. Bring an essay you're working on for a class.

January 28 and February 4 Microscopic Reading

What your instructor means by "close reading" or "analyzing" a literary text. Bring a poem, story, play, or any text that's making your head hurt.

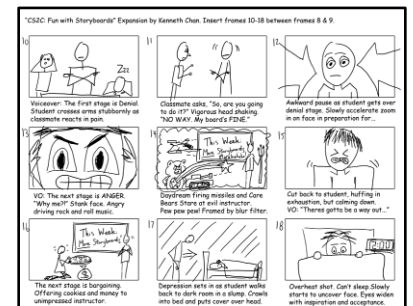


March 18 Research Resources and Tricks

How to start a research project, and how to use library resources to get what you need. Bring a laptop or tablet if you have one and ideas about a research project for a class.

April 1 Storyboarding

Now that you have all these pieces of research and analysis, how do you organize them? Explore drawing comic-book style outlines as a way to tell the story of your essay. Bring a laptop or tablet, or colored pencils and crayons!



April 15 and April 22 Putting it All Together

Page layout? MLA Style In-Text citations? Perfectly integrated quotes? Catchy but informative title, introduction, and conclusion? Clear but complex enough thesis statement? Strong body paragraphs with clear topic sentences and transitions? Claim, reasons, evidence? Counter-arguments acknowledged and rebutted? Properly formatted Works Cited page? If you've got all this covered, **don't** come to this workshop, otherwise bring your laptop, tablet, papers, and notes!

