

SD'02

Eng. 102⁰¹/MWF 2:00 P.M.-2:50 P.M./E 202/Roman Druker/RDRUKERR@CS.COM

Course Description

The course will help students to develop writing skills required for the purpose of developing academic essays of medium length. Students will learn how to summarize, paraphrase, quote, evaluate, analyze, and splice textual sources.

Course Objectives

To read a text critically
To take notes and respond to the ideas
To develop methods of research
To complete an essay---8 to 10 pages

Required Texts

The Scott, Foresman Handbook for Writers, 5-th edition by Hairston, Rusckiewicz, and Friend; Longman, 1999
Working by Studs Terkel; The New Press, 1990

Required Materials

Any device that would produce a type-written text; a tape recorder for interviews.

Student Responsibilities

Students are expected to come to class and to participate in writing exercises and discussions. Students must comply with the academic honor code outlined by Chaminade University.

Grades

Participation 10%; Writing Assignments 50% ; Final Paper 30%; Final Exam 10%

Activity Schedule

As attendance is mandatory, all class activities will be announced daily.