

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Upcoming Conferences

### March 3-6, 1988

THE 8TH ANNUAL SOUTHEASTERN WRITING CENTER ASSOCIATION CONFERENCE will meet in Charleston, South Carolina, March 3-6, 1988, at the Omni Hotel at Charleston Place. Conference theme is THE COMPOSING/COMPUTER CONNECTION, but any subject that has to do with writing centers and effective writing will be considered. We encourage participation by professional and peer tutors as well as administrators. Please submit proposals by January 1, 1988, to Angela W. Williams, The Writing Center, The Citadel, Charleston, SC, 29409 (803-792-3194). Submit three copies; include your title, department, home and office telephone, equipment needs, and a brief biography or resume.

### April 29-30, 1988

THE 7TH ANNUAL INDIANA TEACHERS OF WRITING SPRING SEMINAR, "Writing and Critical Thinking," features Professor Lee Odell. At the Seasons Lodge in Nashville, Indiana, the two-day seminar includes a Friday evening address and a Saturday morning workshop of activities that involve critical thinking and writing. For further information, contact Myriam Revel-Wood (812/339-2598).

### May 6-7, 1988

THE TENTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE WRITING CENTERS ASSOCIATION, EAST CENTRAL will be held May 6-7, 1988, at Indiana University of Pennsylvania, Indiana, Pennsylvania. The conference theme is "Collaborative Pathways." Sessions will focus on ways in which school or college writing centers collaborate with other schools, departments, or community organizations. Sessions may also address collaboration within the writing center, especially in areas of tutor preparation, tutor-tutee interaction, and the use of computers. Proposals, due Feb. 15, 1988, may be for individual presentations, panel presentations, workshops, and topical discussion sessions. Innovative session designs are welcome, and

we encourage tutors to send proposals. Special meetings for educators in middle and secondary schools will be arranged, as will general sessions for tutors. For further information, write or call (412-357-3029) Lee Masiello or Mike Williamson, Department of English, 110 Leonard Hall, IUP, Indiana, PA 15705.

### **October 21-23, 1988**

THE THIRD MIAMI UNIVERSITY CONFERENCE ON THE TEACHING OF WRITING, "The Writing Teacher as Researcher: Learning From Our-Students," invites proposals for papers, demonstrations, and workshops on any topic related to class-based research in writing. It will especially welcome studies in which (1) teacher-researchers become learners within their own classrooms in order to be educated by their students and (2) students themselves play an important and conscious role in the research.

The Conference will be held October 21-23, 1988, on the Miami University campus in Oxford, Ohio. Keynote speakers are Lucy McCormick Calkins and Donald W. Murray. Deadline for one-page abstracts is April 15, 1988. Abstracts should indicate whether you prefer 15-25 or 40-50 minutes for a paper or demonstration, or 1, 2, or 3 hours for a workshop. Send abstract to Donald A. Daiker, Chair, Program Committee, Department of English, Miami University, Oxford Ohio 45056. (513) 529-7110.

### **Publications**

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