

## Nancy Christine Foreman

### EDUCATION

**Texas A&M University-Commerce**, Commerce, Texas

Ph.D., English, December 2007

Concentration: Composition/Rhetoric

Dissertation: *Negotiating Meaning in Context: How First Year Composition Students Make Sense of Writing Assignments*

M.A., English, December 2003

**Louisiana State University**, Baton Rouge, Louisiana

B.A., English, May 1997

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**Adjunct Instructor of English**, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2014-present

#### Courses Taught:

ENG 1301: College Reading and Writing

ENG 1302: Written Argument and Research

**Instructor of English**, Louisiana State University, 2009-2014

#### Courses Taught:

ENG 1001: English Composition (freshman level)

ENG 2000: English Composition (sophomore level)

ENG 2001: Advanced Composition

*\*courses above frequently include a service learning component*

ENG 2025: Introduction to Fiction

ENG 2027: Introduction to Poetry

**Instructor of English**, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2007-2008

#### Courses Taught (face to face and online):

ENG 100: Introduction to College Reading and Writing

ENG 101: College Reading and Writing

ENG 102: Written Argument and Research (*included a community engagement component*)

ENG 333: Advanced Writing: Non-fiction

ENG 675: Teaching Freshman Rhetoric

**Teaching Assistant**, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2002-2007

ENG 100: Introduction to College Reading and Writing

ENG 101: College Reading and Writing

ENG 102: Written Argument and Research

### ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

**Associate Director of the University Writing Program**, Louisiana State University, 2011-2013

**Interim Director of First Year Composition**, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2007-2008

**Interim Director of the Writing Center**, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2005-2006

### AWARDS

Selected as a Service-Learning Faculty Scholar, CCELL, LSU, 2012

Nominated for the Center for Freshman Year Teaching Award sponsored by the Tiger Athletic Foundation, 2010

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Honors Professor of the Year, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2008  
St. Martin's Award for Outstanding Doctoral Student in English, 2004

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

"Scoring a Six: A Reflection of Good Writing?" Conference on College Composition and Communication (CCCC). Louisville, KY. March, 2010

"Composing a Virtual Identity: The Presentation of Self in Second Life." Thomas R. Watson Conference on Rhetoric and Composition. Louisville, KY. October, 2008.

"Critically Negotiating Their World: How First Year Composition Students and Their Instructors Make Sense Of Ethnographic Pedagogy." Conference on College Composition and Communication (CCCC). New Orleans, LA. April 2008.

"The In-World Writing Center: Virtual Tutoring in *Second Life*." South Central Writing Centers Association (SCWCA). Norman, OK. March 2008.

"Pursuing a Joint Enterprise: The Composition Classroom as a Community of Practice." Southeast Philosophy of Education Society Conference. Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, February 2008.

"Negotiating Meaning In Context: How First Year Composition Students Construct And Reconstruct Knowledge Through Discourse." English Graduates for Academic Development (EGAD). Commerce, Texas, October, 2007.

"What Were They Thinking: How First Year Composition Students Interpret Academic Writing Assignments." Federation Rhetoric Symposium. Commerce, Texas, February 2007.

"What to Expect When Writing Your Dissertation." Graduate Writing Seminar. Texas A&M-University-Commerce. October 2007.

## **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

Coffee Talk "Developing an Online Course: Voices of Experience" at the Faculty Technology Center, 2013

First Year Experience Faculty/Staff Book Group, 2011, 2012, 2013

LSU Faculty Colloquium on Using Brain Research to Orchestrate Learning: The Multiple Pathways Model, 2012

Fourth Annual ULS Serves Service-Learning Conference, 2009

## **UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

PARCC Committee, LSU, 2013

University Hearing Panel Pool, LSU, 2010-present

Instructor, Basic Sciences Residential College, LSU, Fall 2009, 2010, 2011

Group Leader, New Faculty Orientation, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2008

## **DEPARTMENT SERVICE**

Technology Committee, Department of English, LSU, 2013

Personnel Committee, Department of English, LSU, 2012

Service Learning Liaison, Department of English, LSU, 2010-2012

Professional Development Committee, Department of English, LSU, 2011, 2012

Assessment Committee, Department of English, LSU, 2009, 2010

Ad Hoc Committee (Rhetoric and Composition), 2008

Scholarship Committee, Department of Literature and Languages, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2008

Undergraduate Committee, Department of Literature and Languages, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2008

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

Reviewer for Journal of College Writing, 2013

Judge for The Triple EX Undergraduate Research conference, LSU, 2011-2013

Reviewer for Young Scholars in Writing, 2008.

Reviewer for Academy for Educational Studies, 2008.

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**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

College Composition and Communication  
International Reading Association  
Modern Language Association