Academic Writing Workshop Thursday 9/12

On Thursday, the CTRE will welcome Drs. Sonja Foss and William Waters to lead the first of this year’s Writing for Success workshops:

“Academic Writing from Research to Publication”

This workshop will explore the academic writing process from start to finish, including developing a research plan, strengthening the literature review, writing and revising, and targeting a journal for publication.

The workshop will take place Thursday, September 12 from 9:00 to 3:00 in LIB 301; breakfast and lunch included.

To learn more about this and other upcoming writing workshops, visit http://bit.ly/csuwrite.
To register, contact James Kowalski at jkowalsk@csu.edu or 773-995-2498.

Clickers in the Classroom

Join the CTRE this Friday for a special presentation on using clickers in the classroom.

Thomas Phibbs from Turning Technologies will present “Polling Students During Lectures Using Clickers and/or Mobile Devices” and show how to use clickers to effectively engage students and informally assess for understanding.

This presentation will take place on Friday, September 13 from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. in LIB 301.

To learn more, contact James Kowalski at jkowalsk@csu.edu or x2498.
Looking Forward

CTRE Writing Workshops

This fall, the CTRE is excited to help you explore writing in new ways and with fresh perspectives with its 2013-2014 faculty development theme, “Writing for Success.”

“Academic Writing from Research to Publication”
with Drs. Sonja Foss and William Waters
September 12, 2013
9:00-3:00 / LIB 301

“Scholarly Communication: New Models, Services, and Engagement”
with Stephanie Davis-Kahl and Sarah Shreeves
September 23, 2013
10:00-2:00 / LIB 301

“Grant Writing Workshops”
with Dr. Kenneth Henson
October 15 & 16, 2013
10:00-2:00 / LIB 301

(NOTE: Both dates cover same topics; choose one.)

To register, contact James Kowalski at jkowalsk@csu.edu or 773-995-2498.

Soft Skills Roundtable

Next month, the CTRE will be hosting “Cultivating Student Soft Skills in the Classroom and Beyond: A Faculty Roundtable Discussion.” This event will be an opportunity to discuss challenges and strategies to helping students develop soft skills. It will take place on Monday, October 21 from 12:30 to 2:30 in LIB 301.

Writing for Success

Visit bit.ly/csuwri to learn more about these and other workshops in the Writing for Success series.

EDUCAUSE 2013 Conference

Higher education professionals from 39 states and four countries have already registered for the EDCAUSE Virtual Annual Conference taking place October 15-18. Join them individually or with a group of peers to participate in the best thinking in higher ed IT—without leaving campus!

EDUCAUSE 2013 ANNUAL CONFERENCE

This conference offers 63 webcast sessions and 15 exclusive online sessions that explore a wide range of dynamic, current topics covering the use of IT in higher education.

To learn more or to register, click here.

Film Director Sonia Fritz at CSU

Prof. Sonia Fritz, the award-winning director of such films as America (2011) and Una historia común (2004), will be on campus to present “From Latin America to the Caribbean: Gender, Immigration/Migration, and Music through Films.”

Prof. Fritz’s presentation will take place today, September 9 at 2:00 p.m. in the Library Sunroom (4th floor).

Also, Prof. Fritz’s film, America will be featured on Tuesday, September 10 at 7:30 p.m. as part of CSU’s Movies in the Grazz. The screening will be followed by a Q&A. For more information, contact the Latino Resource Center at 773-995-2526 or email lrc@csu.edu.

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