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ENGL 7/8805

Wednesdays 5:30-8:30pm

[English 7/8805: Foundations of Writing Studies](#)

Writing studies is an expansive field that varies in its foci, methods, and materials. This class will center questions about agency to examine how the subfields of composition, rhetoric, literacy, and technical communication have developed and where they're going today. Students will be asked to complete 3 major projects and a series of shorter response essays designed to help understand, apply, and synthesize key theories from our readings. Ultimately, we will explore what writing is, how it's produced, and what it can do.