Please note: Only students, staff, and faculty affiliated with Purdue's West Lafayette campus are eligible to sign up for our consultation services or group programs.

THINGS TO DO...

Virtual Grad Writers' Rooms
Oct 6 | 3 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Writers' Rooms are dedicated times and places for graduate writers to work on their academic writing projects (e.g., scholarly articles, dissertations, etc.) More information on grad writing events...

Workshop: Citing & Documenting Sources
Oct 20 | 2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Style guides and citations can be tricky to navigate. At this workshop, you will learn how to properly cite and document sources in your writing. More info on Workshops...

Writing Consultations
Monday-Friday until Dec 18 | 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Our consultants are standing by for face-to-face and remote, virtual consultations. You can choose an online (live chat), etutoring (asynchronous email), or a face-to-face appointment. (Limited evening appointments available. Check our online scheduler for more information.) More information on our consultation options...

English Conversation Groups
Monday-Friday

If you are a Purdue University student or scholar whose first language is not English, the Writing Lab's conversation groups are a terrific way to improve your fluency and expand your vocabulary. More info on English Conversation Groups...

- **Monday** 2:30 p.m. -3:30 p.m.
- **Tuesday** 2:30 p.m. -3:30 p.m.
- **Virtual Wednesday** 2:30 p.m. -3:30 p.m.
- **Thursday** 2:30 p.m. -3:30 p.m.
- **Friday** 2:30 p.m. -3:30 p.m.

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SPOTLIGHT ON...

MLA 9 Updates on the OWL

This 9th edition focuses on clarification, guidance, and expansion on MLA 8, an edition that featured extensive changes. The use of core elements for Works Cited was designed to be more user-friendly, with built-in flexibility that allows writers to cite their sources in ways that works best for their specific projects. MLA 9, however, provides more guidance and focus for those seeking it after the last update, especially warranted with emerging sources, digital and otherwise. While retaining the overhauled system of core elements for documentation of MLA 8, MLA 9 responds to feedback asking for clarification and expansion on the meaning of each category (1. Author, 2. Title of Source, 3. Title of Container, 4. Contributor, 5. Version, 6. Number, 7. Publisher, 8. Publication Date, 9. Location) in different contexts of documentation. **Read more...**

Want feedback on your writing? Sign up for a writing consultant using our online scheduler, MyWCO.

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Tuesdays, 11:00 - 12:00 PM	
AAARCC, 915 5th St	
NAECC	NAECC
Institutional Racism: Survival and Resistance at the Canton Asylum for Insane Indians, 1902-2015	**Visiting Artist: Melanie Sainz**
Oct 14, 5:00 - 6:00 PM	**Oct 19, 3:00 - 5:00 PM**
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