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# THE YEAR-2015 YRC MEETS JUNE 25-27, 2015 AT THE MONTEREY BEACH RESORT

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# COMPOSITION AND RHETORIC 2015: BLINDED BY THE LIGHT: REFLECTIONS AND INSIGHTS

THE YOUNG RHETORICIANS' CONFERENCE on college rhetoric and composition, part conference and part retreat, invites reflection and welcomes your ideas for encouraging and enabling students' skills and passions relative to all aspects of discourse—cognitive, pragmatic, and artistic. Until April 15, 2015, we are accepting proposals for general and concurrent sessions. In keeping with the sense of the conference, please show interplay of theory and practice—not privileging the one to the other. You may submit a proposal for either a whole 90-minute session (two or more persons) or for a place in such a session.

Please focus your idea(s) and supporting material to read 250 words (one page). See form for required information. Email as an attachment <u>ONE</u> copy of your proposal to Sterling Warner's email address <u>jsterlingw@comcast.net</u>. He will forward materials to other members of the YRC workshop selection committee for 2015. Be sure to include your various means of contact: address(es), affiliation(s), phone(s), and email. We look forward to learning of your ideas!



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**NOTE:** For the record, Sterling Warner bought the paper for this memo and printed it on his own LaserJet printer at home—NOT at Evergreen Valley College. He did not use EVC resources and materials to promote the National YRC Conference in Composition and Rhetoric which he organizes each year and chairs.



#### YRC 2015

# COMPOSITION AND RHETORIC 2015 Blinded by the Light: Reflections & Insights

Dates: Thursday, June 25, through Location: Monterey Beach Resort

Saturday, June 27, 2015

2600 Sand Dunes Drive Monterey, CA 93940 (831) 394-3321 (ask for YRC rates)

Website: http://youngrhetoriciansconference.com

This June, academics, writers, publishers, and lovers of language will converge as colleagues to explore the balance between the traditional and the contemporary in teaching, bringing the skills and joys of language to others. The Young Rhetoricians' Conference ("young" being a state of mind open to new possibilities) looks to issues and ideas that enable us to foster our students' skills and passions relative to all aspects of discourse—cognitive, pragmatic, and artistic. Bring your concerns — ideological and/or intuitive — to the beach as we gather to rejuvenate ourselves and ponder what we are about —where the Monterey Bay warmly greets general sessions, workshops, panels, and luncheons. Please join us!

#### Earn College Credit (Post-Baccalaureate)

Invest in your future! Earn up to five (5) quarter units of California State University Post-Baccalaureate English credit while you enjoy the YRC. Though these in-service units cannot be applied toward the master's degree, they are graduate level units and therefore applicable to ongoing faculty growth and development. These units are offered through **California State University, Bakersfield** at \$60 per unit. For Extended University application forms and details pertaining to the courses offered, visit the 2015 YRC Registration Table during the conference.

#### Two Options: Pre-registration and Walk-In Registration

**PRE-REGISTRATION:** The conference fee entitles attendees to two major meals: Thursday's barbecue on the beach and Friday's luncheon. Pre-register with the form below and mail it with a check payable to "YRC" or "The Young Rhetoricians' Conference"

· Full-time Faculty: \$100. · Adjunct Faculty/Students: \$85.

**WALK-IN REGISTRATION:** Walk-in Registration begins around 8:00 AM on Thursday, June 25, 2015, on the fourth floor of the Monterey Beach Resort. You can register before and between conference sessions on both Thursday and Friday.

· Full-time Faculty: \$115. · Adjunct Faculty/Students: \$95.

#### YRC 2015: Pre-Registration

Send with a check payable to: Young Rhetoricians' Conference 2015

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