

CSU *Writes*

write early. often. better. together.

May your writing be brief, frequent, low-stress, & highly rewarding on a project you enjoy.

Inspired by Joli Jensen's *Write No Matter What*



WRITING TIP

3 Keys to Writing Productivity:

SCHEDULE

LOG

ACCOUNTABILITY

As we sight the end of summer and look forward to the beginning of the FALL 2018 semester, we can was our way into successful semester of writing by remembering the 3 keys to writing productivity: **schedule, log, be accountable.**

These methods are simple, but powerful. These 3 Keys, according Robert Boice, Paul Silvia, Helen Sword and other scholarly writing

experts, set the foundation for organizing, tracking, and maintaining our writing practice. When we **schedule**, we can anticipate next steps and make progress--little by little--on large projects. If we **log** our time, words, pages completed each session, we can see our writing in new ways. We can also reconsider current projects and assess future projects better with data about how we actually write. And, finally, if we are held accountable (not just by deadlines) but by others (writing group, productivity package, online support) who ask us about our progress, we are even more likely to meet our writing goals.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

FACULTY *Writes*

1.5-Day Retreat--Late Summer

AUG 10-11 (Fri--3-5pm
Sat--8:30-4:30)

GRAD *Writes*

2-Day Retreat--Late Summer

AUG 13-14 (Mon--Tues--8:30-4:30)

show up & write.

aug 6 - 15

M/W

EDUC 1 8-10am
EDUC 1 10a-12pm
EDUC 105B 12-2pm
EDUC 105B 2-4pm

T/R

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fall 2018: sept 4 -dec 6

FALL 2018 EVENTS

to be announced

August 13

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APPLY FOR A CSU WRITES GRADUATE STUDENT INTERNSHIP

CSU Writes has two Graduate Student paid internships available for 2018-19. Each internship pays \$1,000 for the academic year and requires three to five hours per week.

Applicants should have an interest in research/scholarly writing support, writing groups, or in higher education programming.

For an application or for more information email Dr. Quynn: quynn@colostate.edu

Applications Due: Sept 4, 2018



Summer Retreats

Pilot August for late-summer, pre-semester writing

Summer writing retreats for faculty, postdocs, and graduate students continue into August this year. The **FACULTY Writes** 1.5-Day Retreat runs August 10-11 on Friday (3-5pm) & all-day Saturday (8:30-4:30). The **GRAD Writes** 2-Day Retreat runs August 13-14 (8:30-4:30). **Postdocs or visiting scholars** may attend which ever retreat suits their schedule.

A popular request, this is the first

time CSU Writes will offer an August retreat to support faculty and graduate students who wish to wrap up summer writing and get a jump start on their FALL 2018 projects.

Currently, there are still spaces available in the FACULTY Writes weekend retreat, but only a couple left in the GRAD Writes retreat.

You can apply to attend at: the [CSU Writes Retreat webpage](#).

show up & write. CALL FOR PROCTORS FALL 2018 sept 4 - dec 6

show up & write. is one of CSU Writes's most unique writing productivity offerings. Quite simply, it affords writers a place to write together for a couple of hours a day, Monday - Thursday starting the second week of the semester. Each **show up & write.** session is proctored by a graduate student, postdoc, or faculty

volunteer who "shows up" so that other writers can join and write more together.

If you would like to proctor a session, on M/W or T/R (between 1.5 & 2 hours), contact Dr. Quynn and let her know your preferred times. You can either proctor sessions or sign up as an alternate substitute proctor! All welcome!

We can accommodate multiple schedules & locations. Email: csuwrites@colostate.edu.

show up & write.
(drop-in writing sessions)

