**Special Topics in Writing: Discourse Analysis**

## **Fall 2009**

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| **Week** | **Date** | **Topic** | **Read** | **Due** |
| 1 | **Aug. 21** | **Intro to Discourse Analysis** |  |  |
| 2 | **Aug. 24** | **Ideology** | **Intro** |  |
|  | **Aug. 26** | **What Texts Talk About** | **Chapter 1** |  |
|  | **Aug. 28** |  |  |  |
| 3 | **Aug. 31** | **Research Methods** |  |  |
|  | **Sept. 2** |  |  | **Written Analysis #1** |
|  | **Sept. 4** | **How to Tell a Story** | **Chapter 2** |  |
| 4 | **Sept. 7** | **NO CLASS** |  |  |
|  | **Sept. 9** | **Analyzing Narrative** |  |  |
|  | **Sept. 11** | **Metaphor** |  |  |
| 5 | **Sept. 14** |  |  | **Written Analysis #2** |
|  | **Sept. 16** | **Language in Text** | **Chapter 3** |  |
|  | **Sept. 28** |  |  |  |
| 6 | **Sept. 21** | **Rich Feature Analysis** |  |  |
|  | **Sept. 23** |  |  |  |
|  | **Sept. 25** |  |  | **Written Analysis #3** |
| 7 | **Sept. 28** | **Intertextuality** | **Chapter 4** |  |
|  | **Sept. 30** |  |  |  |
|  | **Oct. 2** | **Methodology** |  |  |
| 8 | **Oct. 5** |  |  | **Written Analysis #4** |
|  | **Oct. 7** | **Multiple Codes in Texts** | **Chapter 5** |  |
|  | **Oct. 9** | **Code-Switching** |  |  |
| 9 | **Oct. 12** | **Methods** |  |  |
|  | **Oct. 14** |  |  | **Written Analysis #5** |
|  | **Oct. 16** | **OCTOBER BREAK** |  |  |
| 10 | **Oct. 19** | **Multiple Media** | **Chapter 6** |  |
|  | **Oct. 21** | **The Page** |  |  |
|  | **Oct. 23** | **Analysis** |  |  |
| 11 | **Oct. 26** |  |  | **Written Analysis #6** |
|  | **Oct. 28** | **How Texts Come to Be** | **Chapter 7** |  |
|  | **Oct. 30** | **Collecting Texts** |  |  |
| 12 | **Nov. 2** | **Observations** |  |  |  |
|  | **Nov. 4** |  |  |  |  |
|  | **Nov. 6** |  |  | **Written Analysis #7** |
| 13 | **Nov. 9** | **Text and Talk** | **Chapter 8** |  |
|  | **Nov. 11** | **Situated Practice** |  |  |
|  | **Nov. 13** |  |  | **Written Analysis #8** |
| 14 | **Nov. 16**  | **Rhetorical Analysis** | **Chapter 10** |  |
|  | **Nov. 18** | **Textual Analysis** |  |  |
|  | **Nov. 20** |  |  |  |
| 15 | **Nov. 23** | **Contextual Analysis** |  |  |
|  | **Nov. 25, 27** | **THANKSGIVING** |  |  |
| 16 | **Nov. 30** | **Catch Up/Practice** |  |  |
|  | **Dec. 2** | **Catch Up/Practice** |  | **Portfolio Due** |
|  | **Dec. 4** | **DEAD DAY** |  |  |
| 17 | **Dec. 9** |  |  | **Final Project Due by 1:00pm** |