

Whitney Kurtz-Ogilvie, MFA

Education

MFA Writing	School of the Art Institute of Chicago, 2005
BA English/Writing	University of Maryland, Baltimore County 1999

Academic Employment

2017-Present	Senior Lecturer and Academic Writing Specialist, University of Kentucky College of Nursing, UK HealthCare
2010-2017	Lecturer and Academic Writing Specialist, University of Kentucky College of Nursing, UK HealthCare
2009-2010	Instructor, University of Kentucky Writing Program
2005-2009	Instructor in Professional Writing, First Year Writing and Oral Expression, Columbia College Chicago, Chicago IL
2003	Instructor in Public Speaking, Spencerian College, Lexington KY
2002	Instructor in Developmental Studies, Lexington Community College, Lexington KY
2001-2002	Head Writing Instructor, Tutor Trainer and ACT Preparation Instructor, Sylvan Learning Center, Lexington KY
2000-2001	English Teacher, Orange County High School, Hillsborough NC
2000	English Teacher, St. Frances Academy, Baltimore MD

Professional Writing/Editing

2020	“Integrating Writing Skills in Distance Education,” textbook chapter, <i>Education Compendium for Distance Education of Advanced Practice Nurses</i> , SLACK
2019-Present	Writer/Cohost, Podcast True Crime Campfire
2015	Writer, short film “The One That Got Away,” go90 web series <i>threads</i>
2011	Copy Editor, CCNE Accreditation Self-Study project, University of Kentucky College of Nursing
2011	Copy Editor, Pathway to Excellence project, University of Kentucky Good Samaritan Hospital
2010	Copy Editor and Freelance Writer, Demand Studios (various online articles)
2009-2010	Editor, <i>Life, Death and Transformation: On the Nature of Ideas</i> by Dr. Don Gash, Alumni Professor and Chair, University of Kentucky Department of

Anatomy and Neurobiology

- 2009 Copy Editor, *M-I-N-D Not M-I-N-E: Some Memories Along the Journey Up from the Turkey Knob Coal Mine* by Marvin Mills
- 2005 Editor, *Art of Place*, collection of original poetry and fiction by graduate students at the School of the Art Institute of Chicago
- 2001-2003 Editor and Technical Writer, University of Kentucky Department of Anatomy and Neurobiology
- 2001-2002 Editor and Writer, *The Pensive Porpentine*
- 1999 Managing Editor Intern, *Maryland Poetry Review*, Barbara Simon Editor
- 1999 Editor, *Borders and Other Barriers* by George Bristol

Courses Taught

University of Kentucky

- NUR 924 Concepts, Theories and Models for Advanced Practice Nursing (co-taught with primary Instructor)
- NUR 520 Special Topics in Nursing: Scholarly Writing
- ENG 104 Writing: An Accelerated Foundational Course
- ENG 102 Writing: A Foundational Course

Columbia College Chicago

- Writing and Rhetoric II
- Writing Argumentative Essays
- Creative Nonfiction I
- Careers in Writing
- Oral Expression
- Reviewing the Arts
- Summer Bridge Program

Spencerian College

- Public Speaking

Lexington Community College

- Developmental Writing
- Developmental Reading

Other Credit and Non-Credit Instructional Activities

- 2019 Developer and Instructor, faculty development workshop for University of Kentucky College of Nursing faculty, "Making Peer Review Work"

2018-2019	Developer and Instructor, workshop for RICH Heart Writing Institute Conference, “Tips for Clearer Writing”
2017	Developer and Instructor, faculty development workshop for University of Kentucky College of Nursing faculty: “Facilitating Better Critical Thinking”
2016-Present	Host, YouTube channel “Whitney’s Writing Tips,” original workshops on writing and communication topics
2010-Present	Developer and Instructor, monthly writing and presentation workshops for nurses, University of Kentucky Chandler Medical Center and University of Kentucky Good Samaritan Hospital
2011-Present	Developer and Instructor, writing and critical thinking workshops for PhD and DNP students, University of Kentucky College of Nursing: “Keys to a Successful Paper,” “Composing Logical Arguments,” “Using Source Material,” “Writing a Literature Review,” and “Constructive Peer Review”
2015-Present	Developer and Instructor, Lunch and Learn workshop for University of Kentucky College of Nursing faculty: “Giving Effective Feedback on Student Writing: Maximum Impact, Minimum Time” (offered twice)
2012-2015	Developer and Instructor, monthly writing and English grammar workshops for ESL students in the PhD and DNP programs, University of Kentucky College of Nursing
2013-2014	Developer and Instructor, writing and presentation workshops for BSN Residency Program nurses: “Brainstorming and Pre-Writing,” “Creating an Effective Poster Presentation,” and “Making Effective PowerPoint Presentations,” UK HealthCare
2012	Author and workshop leader, “Promoting Critical Thinking in Student Writing,” Faculty Lunch and Learn lecture series, University of Kentucky College of Nursing
2010	Author and workshop leader, Professional Development Workshop “Bringing Public Speaking into the Composition Classroom,” University of Kentucky Department of Writing, Rhetoric, and Digital Media

Curriculum Development

2010-Present	Development of educational content for “Writing Resources” website and “Whitney’s Writing Tips” blog for graduate nursing students and faculty at the University of Kentucky College of Nursing and UK HealthCare nursing staff
2016	Development of writing-related content for graduate course NUR 924: Concepts, Theories and Models for Advanced Practice Nursing, University of Kentucky College of Nursing

2016	Development of writing-related module for graduate course NUR 915: Evaluating Evidence for Research and Evidence-Based Practice, University of Kentucky College of Nursing
2015	Development of writing-related resource materials (PowerPoint presentations and assignments) for Frontier University
2014	Development (with colleagues) of requirements for the DNP portfolio, University of Kentucky College of Nursing
2013	Course Developer and Instructor, graduate course NUR 520: Scholarly Writing for Nurses, University of Kentucky College of Nursing
2013	Collaboration with Doctoral Education Task Force on development of scholarly writing instructional material for PhD and DNP programs, University of Kentucky College of Nursing
2013	Development of a writing rubric for use in all DNP courses, University of Kentucky College of Nursing
2010	Co-course developer, graduate course “Scholarly Writing for the Nurse Researcher,” University of Kentucky College of Nursing (consulting work for UK College of Nursing, with Dr. Anne Mareck)
2007	Writing and Rhetoric Faculty Seminar, Columbia College Chicago
2007	Academic Bridge Program Assessment, Columbia College Chicago
2006-2007	Composition Colloquium, Columbia College Chicago: workshops on assignment development, student evaluation, field work and plagiarism, and selection of readings for First Year Writing courses
2000-2001	Assignment development and selection of readings for eleventh grade English courses, Orange County High School
2000	Curriculum design panel, St. Frances Academy

Service

2021	Judge, Student Scholarship Showcase, University of Kentucky College of Nursing
2018-Present	University Appeals Board, University of Kentucky
2018-Present	Advancement of Student Scholarly Affairs Council, University of Kentucky College of Nursing
2016-2017	Information/Communication and Instructional Technology Council, University of Kentucky College of Nursing
2013-2016	University Appeals Board, University of Kentucky

2014 Judge, Student Scholarship Showcase, University of Kentucky College of Nursing

Consultation and Mentoring Work

2014-2016 Consultant and Mentor to Frontier University writing specialist Gail Spake

Tutoring/Private Instruction

2010-Present Senior Lecturer and Academic Writing Specialist, University of Kentucky College of Nursing, UK HealthCare

2005-2006 Private Writing Instructor, Academic Writing and ESL, Chicago IL

2002-2003 Private Writing Instructor, Lexington KY

2001-2002 Head Writing Instructor, Tutor, Tutor Trainer and ACT Preparation Tutor, Sylvan Learning Center

1998-1999 Writing Center Tutor and Tutor Trainer, University of Maryland at Baltimore County Writing Center

Conferences and Workshops

2019 Presenter, "Improving Student Writing," Faculty Development Conference, University of Kentucky

2019 Presenter, "Making Peer Review Work," University of Kentucky

2018 Presenter, "Tips for Clearer Writing," RICH Heart Writing Institute

2017-2018 Presenter, "Facilitating Better Critical Thinking," University of Kentucky

2016 Presenter, "Giving Effective Feedback on Student Writing: Maximum Impact, Minimum Time," Faculty Lunch and Learn, University of Kentucky

2015 Presenter, "Facilitating Better Critical Thinking, Reading, and Writing Skills," Veterans in Nursing Retreat, Lexington KY

2015 Presenter, "Giving Effective Feedback on Student Writing: Maximum Impact, Minimum Time," Faculty Lunch and Learn, University of Kentucky

2012, 2013 Presenter, "Abstracts," Nursing Research Papers Day, Lexington KY

2012 Presenter, "Facilitating Better Critical Thinking," Faculty Lunch and Learn, University of Kentucky

2010 Professional Development Workshop "Community Research," University of Kentucky Writing Program

2004 Associated Writers and Publishers Conference, Chicago IL

2003	Workshop leader, Winding Road Writers' Workshop, Amherst Writers and Artists Method, Chicago IL
2001-2002	Workshop leader, Winding Road Writers' Workshop, Amherst Writers and Artists Method, Lexington KY
2000-2001	Workshop leader, Written Word Writers' Workshop, Amherst Writers and Artists Method, Chapel Hill NC
2000	Poetry Workshop with poet James Applewhite, North Carolina Writers' Network, Carrboro NC
2000	North Carolina Writers' Network Fall Conference, Raleigh NC

Publications

2019-Present	Writer/Cohost, Podcast "True Crime Campfire"
2020	Chapter "Integrating Writing Skills in Distance Education," <i>Education Compendium for Distance Education of Advanced Practice Nurses</i>
2018	Short stories "Patient Care," "Monster," and "Night Vision," performed on the podcast <i>Scare You to Sleep</i> by host Shelby Scott
2017	Creator, short film "The One Who Got Away," go90 web series "Threads," New Form Digital
2012-Present	Blog, "Whitney's Writing Tips"
2006	Poem, "A Year After," in anthology <i>Sculpture</i> , Friends of Community Public Art; Chicago, Illinois
2006	Poem, "X-Ray," contest winner, published on base of public art sculpture in Chicago, Illinois through project by Friends of Community Public Art
2005	Short story "Encyclopedia," in <i>ink: art, poetry and prose</i>
2005	Short story "Encyclopedia," in anthology <i>collected 2005</i> , School of the Art Institute of Chicago
2001-2002	Various articles, <i>The Pensive Porpentine</i> zine
1999	Review, "The Miraculous in the Mundane: George Bristol's <i>Borders and Other Barriers</i> ," Maryland State Poetry and Literary Society

Awards

2018	High Merit, University of Kentucky College of Nursing
2017	High Merit, University of Kentucky College of Nursing

- 2005 Short-list and publication, spring 2005 *ink: art, poetry and prose* writing contest
- 2003 First Alternate in Creative Writing, Jacob K. Javits Fellowship
- 1999 Winner, University of Maryland at Baltimore County Creative Arts Scholarship
- 1999 Summa cum laude, University of Maryland Baltimore County
- 1995 Winner, 1995 Johnson Controls Merit Scholarship

References

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