



The Canadian Writing Centres Association and the University of Victoria are pleased to announce a one-day conference on May 31st, 2013, with support from

- Ⓢ Royal Roads University
- Ⓢ Vancouver Island University
- Ⓢ Camosun College
- Ⓢ North Island College, and
- Ⓢ Vancouver Island Education Developers Alliance.

Writing @ the Centre

CONFERENCE INFORMATION

What best practices actually work? And what about next practices? How exactly can we do more with less? This conference will provide a forum for discussion, presentation, and sharing of our Writing Centre work, including:

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| Best practices for the use of technology | Tutor training: Lessons learned |
| Writing Centre start-up and management | Writing assessment strategies |
| Running a Writing Centre on a small budget | How to design writing assignments for success |
| Best practices in assignment feedback | The Writing Centre in the community |
| The role of Writing Centres in the curriculum | The writer & the writing: tutoring best practices |
| Social media in the Writing Centre | Academic integrity |
| Working with faculty | |

In addition to presentations and workshops, the conference will feature ample opportunities to network, share ideas, and ask questions of other Writing Centre professionals.

CALL FOR PAPERS

We welcome your proposals on the above topics or ones related to them. There are three formats:

- Ⓢ 30-minute papers
 - Please plan for a 15-20 minute presentation to allow for discussion.
- Ⓢ 60-minute workshops
 - Workshops should be interactive and appeal to a wide audience.
- Ⓢ 90-minute panel discussions
 - Please submit your discussion topic along with names of presenters. If you are keen to discuss a topic but do not know others interested in leading a discussion on it, please let us know. We may be able to group people with similar topics.

To submit a proposal, send the name of the proposed session, the kind of session it is, the name(s) and affiliation(s) of the presenter(s), a 75-word abstract, and a 250-word proposal. Please specify any AV or room requirements. Email proposals and inquiries to proposal@uvic.ca. Proposals are due midnight PST on December 11th, 2012.