

Wayne County Community College District

COURSE SYLLABUS

ENG 275 Advanced Expository Writing

CREDIT HOURS: 3.00

CONTACT HOURS: 45.00

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

An advanced course in expository writing which will build on the rhetorical and analytical strategies taught in ENG 119 and 120. The class will focus primarily on writing an effective argument.

PREREQUISITES: ENG 120

EXPECTED COMPETENCIES:

Upon successful completion of this course, the student will:

- 1. Write technical documents for a general audience
- 2. Write technical documents for an advanced audience
- 3. Write in a selected technical writing style
- 4. Design graphics for technical documents
- 5. Design page layout for technical documents
- 6. Use the Library
- 7. Search electronic databases and the internet
- 8. Interview content experts
- 9. Prepare surveys
- 10. Use documentation format in preparing technical documents
- 11. Incorporate results of research project into technical document (report based on research)
- 12. Copy-edit technical documents

ASSESSMENT METHODS:

Student performance may be assessed by examination, quizzes, case studies, oral conversation, group discussion, oral presentations. The instructor reserves the option to employ one or more of these assessment methods during the course.

GRADING SCALE:

90%-100% = A

80%-89.9%= B

70%-79.9%= C

60%-69.9%= D

<60% = E