

EN 102 - Honors: Writing for Change

Winter 2009: Section 2314

Tues/Thurs 12:45-2:15

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This section of English 102, Composition II, will explore issues pertaining to the social change. As in all composition courses, the overall focus will be on student writing in many modes. Additionally, our learning goals will include employing writing as a tool that can make a difference in a variety of communities. Basically, you'll learn how to "write for change." Our readings, discussions, and compositions will include a wide variety of issues. You'll have opportunities to connect your learning to the community by participating in course-related service. Students who sign up for this section should be interested social issues at local, regional, and global levels. Students should also have an interest in using writing to make social impact. The class will include an Academic Service-Learning (ASL) opportunity. Students participating in the ASL work will produce written documents useful for our class community partner.

If you have a g.p.a. of 3.5 or higher, or you have been recommended for this course by a faculty member at GRCC, you simply need to:

- 1. Contact Penni Weninger, 234-4547 or 316 Main and give her your student ID#,**
- 2. enroll yourself into the course (after completing step 1)**

Note: Although this is an Honors Course, at this time, you do not need to be part of the Honors Program to enroll. However, if you are interested in learning more about the Honors Program for the future, please contact **Kate Byerwalter** at 23-4405 or kbyerwal@grcc.edu.