

Portfolio Reflection

UWP1Y / Winter 2022

***This assignment prompt is available in an alternative format**

Purpose

The Portfolio Reflection connects to the UWP1Y learning outcomes of reflecting on rhetorical choices and critically self-reflecting on reading and composing processes.

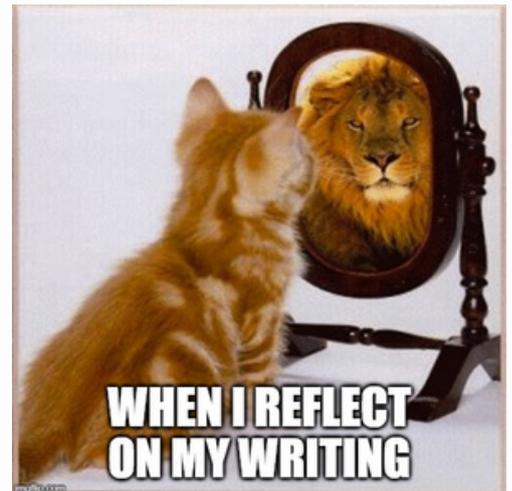
The purpose of the Portfolio Reflection is to synthesize all of the learning about reading and writing you've done this quarter and to **make an argument for how your portfolio provides evidence that you've met the UWP1Y learning outcomes**. The Portfolio Reflection will be included in the six attachments you submit for your final Academic Research Article portfolio.

Genre

Think of this Portfolio Reflection as the culmination of all the self-reflection you've been doing this quarter in your Reading Response Journals and process memos. This is not a formal genre with an introduction and conclusion, and the only source you need to cite is the evidence from your own writing that you've met the UWP1Y learning outcomes.

In the Portfolio Reflection you will:

- Make an argument for how you've met the UWP1Y learning outcomes
- Support your argument by citing specific examples from the drafts in your portfolio and the work you've done throughout the quarter
- Describe what further revisions you would make if you had more time
- Consider how what you learned about reading and writing in UWP1Y could apply to your future writing contexts



EXAMPLES OF TYPES OF EVIDENCE YOU CAN USE

- Information from your reading and writing survey answers
- Information from your Reading Response Journals
- Information from Virtual Class Activities
- Information from your process memos
- Information from feedback you gave your peers in the peer response workshops
- Information from revisions and edits to your Academic Research Article drafts

Format

Since this is reflective writing, you don't need a formal introduction and conclusion. You can use headings and divide your Portfolio Reflection into seven sections:

- One section for each of the five UWP1Y learning outcomes (five sections total)
- One section about what further revisions you would make if you had more time
- One section about how what you learned about reading and writing in UWP1 could apply to your future writing contexts

Write a paragraph or two in response to each question. The Portfolio Reflection should be around **1,200-1,500 words**.

Assessment

The Portfolio Reflection is one component of your Academic Research Article Portfolio, and the Academic Research Article Portfolio is one of the categories of the grading contract. To get an "A" in that category, your portfolio will need to meet the guidelines for "Proficient" in the **UWP1Y Portfolio Rubric**. Portfolios that meet the guideline for "Advanced" in the UWP1Y Portfolio Rubric will result in a "+" being added to a student's final grade. This portfolio rubric is used by ALL UWP1 sections. The UWP1Y Portfolio Rubric is available in the first module of the class Canvas site.

Important Dates

You will do some brainstorming for the Portfolio Reflection in week 10 and I will also provide you with an example reflection essay from a former UWP1Y student.

The Portfolio Reflection will be one of the six attachments you upload in the final Academic Research Article assignment link in Canvas before Saturday, 3/19.

