

Multimedia Writing Semester Portfolio

Overview

English 419 is conceptualized as a **Portfolio course**. This means you will have the opportunity to complete the three major projects of the course and then **revise** them into a polished collection of multimedia artifacts. It is my goal that this portfolio will be useful to you beyond this class, and that you can use the contents of it as a means to progress in your professional development. The Portfolio is worth 250 points, which is 25 percent of your overall course grade.

Process and Revisions

You have been given this portfolio assignment during Week 1 of the semester so you are able to **conceptualize the next sixteen weeks as a holistic experience where every aspect of the work is connected to this final overarching portfolio**. After you are assigned each major project, you will receive feedback that you can then incorporate via the **revision process**. Everything you do this semester can be useful to your final portfolio, and we will use the last two weeks of the semester to focus on revision and the assembly of the portfolio. Keep track of the feedback you get from your instructor and your peers and this will make your overall process easier at the end of the semester.

Major Components

While the finished Portfolio will look different for each person in the class, it will still have the same basic components:

- Project 1: Your Revised Crafted Multimedia Narrative
- Project 2: Your Revised Multimedia Artifact Analysis
- Project 3: Your Revised Multimedia Creation
- Final Reading Journal
- Revision Notes for each of the four components

Final Deliverables

Since every portfolio will look different depending on the contents of your project, **everyone will have a different turn-in process**. As long as your deliverables are clearly labeled and able to be submitted via Brightspace, your deliverables should consist of the four major components listed above plus revision notes for each component.

There will be a more detailed assignment sheet provided at the end of the semester. Deadlines will be posted on the course Brightspace and in the course Discord.