## **News and Announcements**

The Summer Seminar in Rhetoric and Composition, Millikin University, June 7-12, 1998. The purpose of the seminar is to introduce college teachers to composition theories, pedagogies, and practices in ways that allow participants to apply these ideas at their home institutions. Keynote Speaker: Ira Shor. Workshops with: Peter Elbow, Patricia Bizzell, Tony Silva, Randy M. Brooks, Nancy DeJoy, and Krista Ratcliffe. For more information contact Nancy DeJoy, Director, Summer Seminar in Rhetoric and Composition, Millikin University, 1184 W. Main St. Decatur, IL, 62522-2084. Registration fee is \$675.

**Reflections: Practice, Theory, Reflection, and Action: Transforming Classrooms, Schools, and English Studies.** June 18-20, 1998, Seattle, Washington. Keynote Speakers: Sondra Perl and Dan Kirby. For more information call NCTE's Professional Development Services at 217-328-3870 x203 or email pds@ncte.org.

Call for Proposals: 22nd Annual CAWS (CUNY Association of Writing Supervisors) Conference will be held Friday, October 30, 1998, in Manhattan. Conference theme: For the Sake of Our Students. Marilyn Sternglass (author of *Time to Know Them*) will be the keynote speaker. Proposals sought for papers, panels, workshops, and roundtables. Submit abstract and title to: George Otte, Director of Writing Programs, Baruch College/CUNY, 17 Lexington Ave, New York, NY 10010. Deadline: July 1, 1998.

**Call for Papers: The 1998 Conference on Fundamental Controversies in Rhetoric and Composition** will be held at the University of Arizona, November 12-13, 1998. Richard Miller will be the keynote speaker. Send title of paper or session proposal and one-page abstract to: Terrel Ratchford, Dept. of English, University of Arizona, Modern Languages 445, Tucson, AZ 85721. e-mail: ratchfot@u.arizona.edu. **Deadline: July 1, 1998.** 

**Conference Announcement: E.G.A.D. (English Graduates for Academic Development)** will hold its **8th Annual Interdisciplinary Symposium July 25, 1998, at Texas A&M University-Commerce**. Contact: Colin Charlton (EGAD), Dept. of Literature and Languages, Texas A&M University-Commerce, Commerce, TX 75429-3011; e-mail charlton@boisdarc.tamu-commerce.edu or phone 903-886-5208 for more information.

The Thomas R. Watson Conference on Rhetoric and Composition, "Multiple Literacies for the 21st Century," will be held October 8-10, **1998, at the University of Louisville, Louisville, KY**. Featured speakers include Arthur Applebee, Charles Bazerman, Deborah Brandt, Sarah Freedman, Shirley Brice Heath, Glynda Hull, Min-Zhan Lu, John Ogbu, and Cindy Selfe. Conference website is at http://www.louisville.edu/~watson. For information and registration contact: Annie Tarbox, Asst. Dir., 502-852-1252; e-mail WATSON@HOMER.LOUISVILLE.EDU.

Call for Papers. Working-Class Studies: Class, Identity, and Nation, the Fourth Biennial Conference of the Center for Working-Class Studies at Youngstown State University. Conference dates are June 9-12, 1999. Proposals sought for presentations, panels, workshops, performances, exhibits, and readings that address issues and/or representations of class, race, gender, sexuality and nation in workingclass life and culture. Submissions of 250-300 words, describing proposed projects with suggested presentation format. Contact: John Russo, Labor Studies Program, Youngstown State University, Youngstown, Ohio, 44555; fax 330-742-1459; or e-mail Sherry Linkon at sjlinkon@cc.ysu.edu. The CWCS website is at http://as.ysu.edu/as/ cwcs. Deadline for proposals: January 8, 1999.