## Papers to Write? Meet with an NKU Writing Center Consultant

Graduate and undergraduate students can use the Writing Center online or face-to-face

- Book appointments through <u>Tutortrac.nku.edu</u> from 1 day to 2 weeks ahead.
- For face-to-face, select "Writing Center" as the center within Tutortrac. For online, select "Writing Center Online".
- Profiles of consultants are on the <u>Writing Center website</u>.
- Additional resources: <u>Purdue OWL</u> explains APA, MLA and Chicago styles and has sample papers; <u>Hoonuit</u> in the Steely Library databases, has videos on formatting and references for APA, MLA and Chicago.
- Questions? Need help booking an appointment? Contact Writing Center Coordinator Wanda Crawford at <a href="writingcenter@nku.edu">writingcenter@nku.edu</a>.

## For Online Appointments

- Writing Center Online sessions use Google docs + phone.
- When you book through <u>Tutortrac</u>, please include your phone number in the notes. The day before your appointment, send your draft and assignment instructions/rubric to <u>writingcenter@nku.edu</u>. The Writing Center Coordinator will create a Google doc and send the link to you and the consultant.
- The Writing Center does not consult by email (i.e. writing electronic comments on a paper and sending it back to the student). We think conversation is the most effective and efficient way to provide feedback to writers.

## For Face-to-Face Appointments

- Book appointments through <u>Tutortrac</u> 1 day to 2 weeks ahead. The Writing Center is in Steely Library (3<sup>rd</sup> floor). Most appointments are for 45 minutes.
- A paper doesn't have to be finished for a Writing Center session to be useful. Bring in one section or a partial draft. We can even help you plan your paper before you start writing.
- We have drop-in times most days, but be aware that the drop-in service is first come, first served. Drop-in times are visible in Tutortrac. We also tweet each day's drop-in times (@NKUwc).

