2020 Academic Writing Workshop

MALCS Summer Institute | July 29 & 31
Washington State University | Pullman, WA

The MALCS 2020 Summer Institute Writing Workshop is a joint endeavor of the MALCS organization and *Chicana/Latina Studies: The Journal of MALCS*. Motivated by a feminist editorial praxis, this formal mentoring session seeks to cultivate scholarship by and about Chicana, Latina, Afro-Latina, Native American and Indigenous women. The workshop follows the spirit and mission of MALCS, and it is designed to create a publishing community and energize knowledge production through collaboration and institutionalized mentorship.

We encourage applications from writers at all professional levels, including tenured or mid-career professors. Alejandra Elenes (C/LS co-editor, 2014-2017) and Cecelia Aragón will facilitate the workshop.

Applicants must submit a final draft of a manuscript and a brief cover letter by May 15, 2020 at 5:00 pm PDT to alejandra.elenes@malcs.org with the subject heading “Academic Writing Workshop Application 2020.” Submissions must adhere to *Chicana/Latina Studies*’ mission of publishing feminista Chicana/Latina scholarship to be considered. Preference will be given to scholars who would benefit from this type of mentoring. The two-day workshop hosts up to 6 participants. Participants must be current paid members of MALCS and must register for the Summer Institute.

Upon acceptance, applicants must provide evidence of membership and registration payment to MALCS, as well as complete all pre-workshop activities. Participants must commit to attend both meeting sessions and agree to peer review and comment on all submitted manuscripts. After the workshop, each participant will understand the internal publication criteria of *Chicana/Latina Studies*, gain direction regarding revision, and obtain first-hand knowledge of the journal’s editorial production process.