

# Welcome

Dear Conference Participants:

Welcome to the 2nd Annual Carolina Rhetoric Conference. This year's theme, "Perspective Remix," has brought students from Clemson University, the University of South Carolina, and the North Carolina State University together to share their research in Rhetorics and Composition across a variety of topics. As a graduate student conference, CRC provides us all with the opportunity to share our research in an informal setting so as to help us all become better presenters and receive feedback on this research. In sharing our research with each other, we hope to learn from each other and each others' perspectives on the research presented here. We look forward to sharing this experience with you through the presentations, conversation and experiences over these two days. We also hope that the friendships developed here will continue through our careers. Thank you for participating and we look forward to continuing this tradition in the future!

Sincerely,  
Sergio Figueiredo  
Conference Director



## PERSPECTIVE REMIX

Contemporary Visions  
through a  
Rhetorical Lens

Clemson, South Carolina

**February 20 - 21, 2009**

## Keynote Speakers

### Cynthia Haynes, Ph.D

Haynes has developed courses in "Serious Design," "Rhetoric, War, and Terrorism," "Digital Rhetorics," "Rhetoric and Philosophy in Conflict," among others.



Her publications have appeared in numerous edited collections and journals. At present she is working on her book, *Beta Rhetoric: Deconstruction, Technology, and the Politics of Infowar*.

### Jan Holmevik, Ph.D

Holmevik was co-editor of *High Wired*, and co-author of *MOOniversity*. His publications on the history of computing and science policy have appeared in journals such as *Annals of the History of Computing* and *Forskningsspolitikk*. He is currently working on an edited collection on professional communication in virtual worlds, and a single authored book on community design.



## Conference Schedule

### Friday, February 20, 2009

**Opening Remarks: Sergio Figueiredo**  
10:00 - 10:15

**Panel 1: Digital/New Media**  
10:30 - 11:45

**Lunch**  
11:45 - 1:00

**Panel 2: Pedagogy**  
1:00 - 2:15

**Panel 3: Play and Place**  
2:30 - 3:45

**Keynote: Cynthia Haynes**  
4:00 - 5:00

### Saturday, February 21, 2009

**Keynote: Jan Holmevik**  
10:00 - 11:00

**Panel 4: Public/Rhet. Discourse**  
11:15 - 12:45

**Lunch**  
12:45 - 1:45

**Panel 5: Pedagogy**  
2:00 - 3:15

**Panel 6: Inter/disciplinary Identity**  
3:30 - 4:45

**Closing Remarks: Sergio Figueiredo**  
5:00 - 5:15

## Conference Organizers

**Conference Director**  
Sergio Figueiredo

**Entertainment/Refreshment Coordinators**

Anthony Callomati  
Randy Nichols  
Josh Abboud

**Facility Coordinator**  
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Sergio Figueiredo

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Dev Bose  
Nicole Snell

**Participant Coordinator**  
Josh Hilst  
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**Program Coordinators**  
Nicole Snell  
Curtis Newbold

**Respondent Coordinator**  
Amanda Booher