

## **Area A2: Written Communication**

Students will be able to:

- Analyze and evaluate print and online texts critically using a rhetorical approach to demonstrate an understanding that effective written communication is situated and contextual, responds to exigencies, is informed by audience, genre, and purpose, and accounts for the writer's and reader's ethical responsibility.
- Reflect on ways in which interpreting and composing texts are impacted significantly by the language, culture, and status of the reader and the writer.
- Respond to multiple rhetorical situations by generating, drafting, revising, and editing texts.
- Distinguish between written products and processes, using revision as an essential writing practice.
- Demonstrate intentional consideration of knowledge of conventions, linguistic structures, and usage as determined by the rhetorical situation.