

Anoka Ramsey Community College – Coon Rapids Campus
English 0950: Elements of College Writing
Fall 2010 / Sections 01, 03, 05

Professor: Scott Stankey
 Office: Humanities 131
 Phone: (763) 433-1396 (voice mail)
 Fax: (763) 433-1521

Email: scott.stankey@anokaramsey.edu
 Web: <http://webs.anokaramsey.edu/stankey>
 Blog: <http://teachingscott.blogspot.com>
 Wiki: <http://writingminnesota.pbworks.com>

REVISED Office Hours:

- 12:00-12:50 a.m. / Th
- **1:00-1:50 p.m. / M, W, Th, F**
- Other times by appointment

REVISED Requirements and Evaluation:

- Pre-class reading and preparation
- Attendance in class
- Daily in-class work and participation (live and online) = **15%**
- **Paper 1** (informal) = a statement of goals = **5%**
- **Paper 2** (formal) = an analytical essay about our own literacy = **15%**
- **Paper 3** (informal) = an evaluation of eFolio-Minnesota = **5%**
- **Paper 4** (formal) = an evaluation essay about the visiting writer’s book = **20%**
- **Paper 5** (formal) = a summary-and-synthesis essay, using research, about community colleges = **20%**
- **Paper 6** (informal) = an in-class essay = **5%**
- **Paper 7** (formal) = a final portfolio and a self-reflection/assessment piece = **15%**

REVISED Schedule: The following schedule is subject to change; any changes will be announced in class and online.

PAPER #4 / EVALUATING A BOOK OF SHORT STORIES

F 24 Sept.	DUE: Read <i>The Last Communist Virgin</i> – “Where the Poppies Blow” – pp. 9-34 (26) Quiz / Discussion / In-class writing
M 27 Sept.	DUE: Read <i>The Last Communist Virgin</i> – “Crush” – pp. 35-48 (14) Quiz / Discussion / In-class writing
W 29 Sept.	DUE: Read <i>The Last Communist Virgin</i> – “House of Anything You Wish” – pp. 49-58 (10) Quiz / Discussion / In-class writing
Th 30 Sept.	DUE: Read <i>The Last Communist Virgin</i> – “The Homecoming of an Old Beijing Man” – pp. 147-169 (23) / Quiz / Discussion / In-class writing

A FINAL NOTE: The course syllabus and schedule are subject to change, and all changes will be announced in class; significant changes will also be posted on D2L in the “News” section. You are responsible for any changes in deadlines or assignments announced during any class you miss.