



ENGLISH *at work*



Visiting Writers Series!

American poet [Claudia Rankine](#) visits via Zoom on February 10. She is the acclaimed author of “Citizen: An American Lyric” and “Just Us: An American Conversation.”



Students are encouraged to [join a reading group](#) and register for the [6:00pm evening presentation](#). There will also be a 12pm noon event –stay tuned for more details and registration link.

WHY STUDY ENGLISH?



[Survey of American Attitudes toward the Humanities](#)

“Eighty-one percent of respondents said they regularly use at least one humanities-related skill in the workplace.”

[Competencies Needed for the Workplace](#)

“Business executives and hiring managers widely report that a college degree is worth the investment of time and money. “

[Advice from Former English Students](#)

“You develop a careful eye for accuracy, for clear messaging, and most importantly, for communication in general. These are skills that seem like they should be “common sense,” but when you enter the workplace, you’ll be shocked at just how far ahead of the curve you are. “

WHAT CAN YOU DO WITH AN ENGLISH MAJOR?

Join us for a virtual conversation
with alums working as writers,
featuring Jeff Rutherford,
Alice Hastings, and Sierra Golden.

Wednesday, January 27

5:30-6:30pm

[ZOOM Link](#)



Stay tuned for more of this series as well as brown-bag
lunch Zoom workshops for thesis-to-resume ideas

❁❁❁ Winter Break Bingo Wrap-Up! ❁❁❁

Submit completed bingo cards to mcleanc@gonzaga.edu by 5pm, Friday, January 29
Join us at noon, Friday, February 5, for a conversation about your Winter Break Bingo and other
stories you read, watched, and/or created—look for a link via email next week!

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earn lower salaries
and find less rewarding work
than majors in STEM fields.

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