



SWCA-VA SUMMER DIRECTORS MEETING

WELLNESS AND THE POST-PANDEMIC WRITING CENTER



Tuesday, June 8, 2021

10:00am to 1:00pm

Virtual Meeting via Zoom

Hosted by the William & Mary Writing Resources Center

RSVP by Sunday, June 6

Through presentations by invited guests and discussions, meeting participants will explore the concept of wellness and its role in writing centers. Questions that will shape our agenda include: How do writing centers contribute to student wellness? How can writing centers support the wellness of tutors? How can we nurture our own wellbeing and flourish in our roles? How can wellness, broadly imagined, be incorporated into our writing center missions? How does a wellness mindset affect the role of the writing center in our various institutions?

There is no cost to attend the Directors Meeting. SWCA membership is encouraged. For more information, contact Lori Jacobson at ljacobson@wm.edu.

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INVITED GUESTS

Kelly Crace -- "Flourishing During Burnout Conditions"

Dr. Crace is Associate Vice President for Health & Wellness at William & Mary and Director of the Center for Mindfulness and Authentic Excellence (CMAX)

Nicole Emmelhainz -- "Guided Meditation in Tutor Training"

Dr. Emmelhainz is Associate Professor of English at Christopher Newport University and Director of the Randall Writing Center

Peter Varga -- "Self-Efficacy and Inspiration in the Writing Center"

Mr. Varga is a graduate student in Psychological Sciences at William & Mary and Lead Consultant in the Graduate Writing Resources Center.

