

And Now for Something Completely Different

A Revolutionary Alternative to the Reference Desk

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Mock consultation

- Research process as integral to writing process
- Sum up consultation - breakdown, integrated literacies explanation and strategies



**Over what
time?**

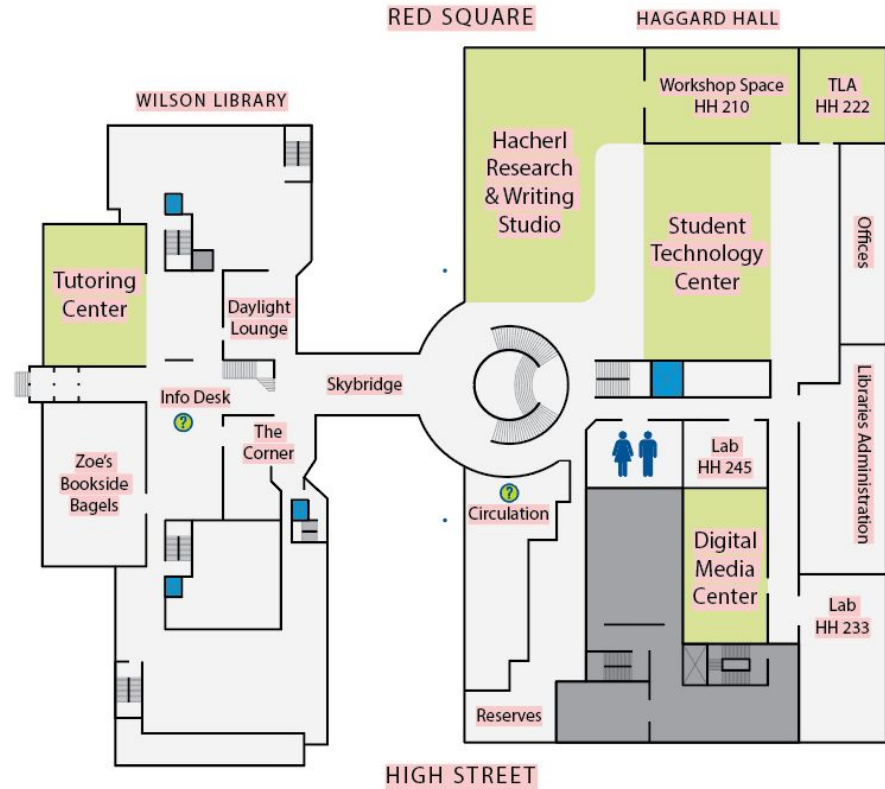
**What
media?**

**Has media coverage
changed over time at
a PWI?**

**How
represented?**

Which PWI?

Studio history & model



Philosophy



- Outcomes
 - Inquiry
 - Agency
 - Collaboration

- Integrated Literacies
 - Reading
 - Writing
 - Research
 - Speaking
 - Listening

Inquiry

Use and value inquiry for gaining and sharing knowledge.



- Building a strong inquiry question
- Questioning the questions and the strategies
- Scaffolding learning process

Agency

Demonstrate a sense of agency for managing own learning.



- Table Tents
- Movable whiteboards
- Creating flow in consultations
- Focus on metacognition

Collaboration



Collaborate as respectful, productive, and ethical members of a diverse and inclusive intellectual community.

- Group work facilitation by Studio Assistants
- Movable chairs, whiteboards
- Studio Assistants as co-creators of Studio pedagogy and practice

other programs



Integrated Literacies Workshop Series



- **3-part series:**
 - Getting Started
 - Finding & Using Sources
 - Revising & Editing
- **Strategy based**
- **Encourage:**
 - engagement in the inquiry process
 - collaboration
 - student agency

Research-Writing Practicum Class



- 1-3 credits per quarter
- Practicum team approach
- Learning plan customized to a student's learning goals

Activity



1. Gather at the table of your choice:
 - *Agency*
 - *Inquiry*
 - *Collaboration*
2. Share in discussion
3. Share out

reflections & suggestions



Q & A



Thank you!

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