2017 CCCC Election Results

Vershawn Ashanti Young, University of Waterloo, Ontario, was elected to the post of Assistant Chair of the Conference on College Composition and Communication. He will succeed, in accordance with the CCCC Constitution and Bylaws, to the posts of Associate Chair, Chair, and Immediate Past Chair. Six colleagues were elected to three-year terms on the CCCC Executive Committee: Christina Cedillo, University of Houston Clear Lake; Eli Goldblatt, Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Jay Jordan, University of Utah, Salt Lake City; Leslie Roberts, Oakland Community College, Farmington Hills, Michigan; Donnie Johnson Sackey, Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan; and Karrieann Soto Vega, Syracuse University, New York. Jennifer Wingard, University of Houston, was named Chair of the 2018 CCCC Nominating Committee. Other colleagues elected to the Nominating Committee were Franny Howes, Oregon Institute of Technology, Klamath Falls; Andrea Malouf, Salt Lake Community College, Utah; Steve Parks, Syracuse University, New York; and Andrea Riley Mukavetz, Grand Valley State University, Allendale, Michigan.

Call for Nominations

The 2018 CCCC Nominating Committee invites nominations for the posts of CCCC Assistant Chair, Executive Committee member (seven members), and 2019 Nominating Committee (five members). The Nominating Committee seeks to identify CCCC members who are committed to the organization and willing to do its work. The post of Assistant Chair involves a four-year commitment, beginning in December 2018. During the first year of the term, the Assistant Chair also serves as Program Chair for the 2020 CCCC Convention. He or she becomes Associate Chair (December 2019), Chair (December 2020), and Immediate Past Chair (December 2021). Members of the Executive Committee are expected to make a three-year commitment to serving CCCC, beginning in December 2018. The Executive Committee meets for a full day immediately prior to the CCCC Annual Convention in the spring as well as for two days at the NCTE Annual Convention in the fall. Executive Committee and Nominating Committee members are chosen to represent a mix of institutions and regions. The officers and Executive Committee are committed to increased recruitment, representation, and participation.
of members of historically underrepresented groups in every aspect of the committee’s work as well as throughout its activities. Please send nominations, with biographical information, by February 20, 2018, via email to cccc@ncte.org. Members and previous candidates are encouraged to nominate themselves.

Fellowship Opportunity
Cultivating New Voices among Scholars of Color (CNV) invites fellowship applications for its 2018–2020 cohort. This NCTE Research Foundation–supported program provides early career scholars of color with support, mentoring, and networking opportunities. In the program, doctoral candidates and doctoral graduates who have completed their dissertations up to two years prior to application cultivate their ability to draw from their own cultural/linguistic perspectives as they conceptualize, plan, conduct, and write their research. For more information on the program and guidelines on submitting an application, go to http://www.ncte.org/research-foundation/cnv. Completed applications are due March 15, 2018.

TYCA Fame Award Nominations
The Two-Year College English Association is accepting nominations for the 2018 TYCA Fame Award. Nominations should be representations of two-year students and faculty that reflect truthfully on the community college at its best. The mentions or portrayals of two-year colleges must have been made publicly between March 2017 and March 2018 and in verifiable form—a news story, magazine reference, movie scene, or TV remark. The winner for the 2018 award will be decided during the 2018 CCCC Convention, to be held in March in Kansas City, Missouri. Submit nominations online by March 8, 2018, at http://www.ncte.org/tyca/awards/fame, by tweeting an article using #TYCAFame2018, or by mail to Samantha Krag, TYCA Fame Award, Fullerton College, 321 E. Chapman Avenue, Fullerton, CA 92832.

NCTE Promising Researcher Award Competition in Recognition of Bernard O’Donnell
The 2018 Promising Researcher Award Competition is open to individuals who have completed dissertations, theses, or initial, independent studies after their dissertations between December 1, 2015, and January 31, 2018. Studies entered into competition should be related to the teaching of English or the language arts (e.g., language development, literature, composition, teacher education/professional development, linguistics, etc.), and should have employed a recognized research approach (e.g., historical, ethnographic, interpretive, experimental, etc.). In recognition of the fact that the field has changed in recent years, the Standing Committee on Research invites entries from a variety of scholarly perspectives.
Candidates must submit a manuscript based on their research. Manuscripts should be written in a format, style, and length appropriate for submission to a research journal such as *Research in the Teaching of English, College Composition and Communication, Curriculum Inquiry, Teaching and Teacher Education,* or *Anthropology and Education Quarterly.* Manuscripts normally range between 25 and 50 double-spaced pages.

Manuscripts can be sent to NCTE, Promising Researcher Award Competition, 1111 W. Kenyon Road, Urbana, IL 61801-1010, Attention: Linda Walters-Moore, or can be emailed to researchfoundation@ncte.org. Manuscripts **must** be received on or before March 1, 2018.

For more complete information on manuscript preparation and submission, please visit http://www.ncte.org/second/awards/pra.

**Call for Nominations for the 2019 CCCC Technical and Scientific Communication Awards**

CCCC is accepting nominations for outstanding books and articles in technical and scientific communication in the following categories:

- Best Book in Technical or Scientific Communication
- Best Original Collection of Essays in Technical or Scientific Communication
- Best Article Reporting Historical Research or Textual Studies in Technical or Scientific Communication
- Best Article Reporting Qualitative or Quantitative Research in Technical or Scientific Communication
- Best Article on Philosophy or Theory of Technical or Scientific Communication
- Best Article on Pedagogy or Curriculum in Technical or Scientific Communication

The awards competition is open to works published in calendar years 2017 and 2018 for the 2019 award. **The deadline for nominations is June 1, 2018.** To be eligible for the awards, a nominee must be a member of CCCC and/or NCTE at the time of nomination. To nominate a work for the awards, the author, editor, publisher, or reader must be a CCCC and/or NCTE member.

To nominate a book or article, send an electronic copy of the article or the full citation information for a book to the email address below and indicate to which category the submission belongs. Include the author’s name, telephone number, mailing address, and email address. Any work originally written in a language other than English must be submitted in translation. Each submission may be nominated in only one category; individuals submitting nominations are encouraged to consult with authors about the category most appropriate for their work. Self-nominations are permitted.

If you have questions, please contact the CCCC Liaison at cccc@ncte.org. **Send nominations and entries to: cccc@ncte.org.**
Search for the Next Editor of CCC

CCCC is seeking the next editor of *College Composition and Communication*. The term of the current editor Jonathan Alexander will end in December 2019. Interested persons should send a letter of application to be received no later than January 15, 2018.

Letters should be accompanied by (1) a CV, (2) one published writing sample (article or chapter), and (3) a statement of vision, to include any suggestions for changing the journal as well as features of the journal to be continued. Applicants are urged to consult with administrators on the question of time, resources, and other services that may be required. NCTE staff members are available to provide advice and assistance to all potential applicants in approaching administrators about institutional support and in explaining NCTE’s support for editors.

**Finalists will be interviewed at the CCCC Annual Convention in Kansas City in March 2018.** The applicant appointed by the CCCC Executive Committee in spring 2018 will effect a transition in 2018–19, preparing for his or her first issue in February 2020. The appointment term is five years.

Applications should be submitted via email to kaustin@ncte.org; please include “CCC Editor Application” in the subject line. Direct queries to Kurt Austin, NCTE Publications Director, at the email address above or call 217-328-3870, extension 3619.