UCONN STAMFORD Writing and Q Center

THE SOURCE FOR ACTIVE LEARNING (also known as “The Source”)  
website: s.uconn.edu/thesource

- “The Source” is located in on the first floor of the library in the back right corner of the library (room 1.74).
- Walk-ins are welcomed but scheduling a one-on-one appointment is encouraged.
- When first making an online appointment go to: NEXUS.UCONN.EDU and “schedule an appointment” for THE SOURCE FOR ACTIVE LEARNING.
- Contacts & Inquiries to:  
  for Q Center: Erica Granoff, Director of Student Services, 203-251-8487 [203-251-8491 |  
  for Writing Center: Serkan Gorkemli, Assoc. Professor of English and Writing Center Coordinator, 203-251-9585 | Assistant Director, Christopher Iverson at: christopher.iverson@uconn.edu

Writing and Q Center FAQ

- The Writing/Q Center tutoring will OPEN during the 3rd week of classes. The center does NOT operate during summer sessions or intersession.

- Attention Faculty: Request a Writing Center Tutor Talk. Tutors will stop by your class to introduce students to the services and resources of the Writing/Tutoring Center.

- The tutoring schedule for Writing, Math and Sciences will be announced at the beginning of the semester through the UConn Stamford student mailing list; make sure to check your UConn Gmail account for updates. Flyers will be available in the library when available.

- Make An Appointment: Go to: NEXUS.UCONN.EDU

  - Click on "Log In" and then login with your NetID and password  
    (if you don't know your NetID and password visit http://netid.uconn.edu to find out and activate it.  
    - Click "Schedule an Appointment" and then "Search by Department"  
    - Scroll to “The Source for Active Learning”  
    - Click on "Choose Person" and select your tutor  
    - Schedule you appointment (no more than two 30 minute appointments per day)  
    - When you make an appointment online, you will receive an email confirmation.  
    - You can meet with your writing consultant for a 30-minute one-on-one session in the library.

- You should bring the assignment sheet and instructions to your session, if coming for an assignment.
- Need to cancel an appointment? You can cancel your appointment online.

- Can’t schedule the right time? Email your essay or assignment to our UConn Stamford Online Tutoring Program email address: uconn.stamford.writing.center@gmail.com (see the online tutoring program guidelines)
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uconn.stamford.writing.center@gmail.com

Online tutoring dates available when the writing center/tutoring center is open in the Fall/Spring Semester.

- Are you in need of a writing tutor, but can’t visit the Writing Center during its scheduled hours?
- Between long school days and hectic work schedules, we know getting to the Writing Center can be a challenge, so now you have another option: UCONN Stamford’s Online Tutoring Program.
- With this program, you can receive help from a UCONN Stamford writing tutor directly via email.

-Have questions? Contact Dr. Gorkemli, Associate Professor of English & Writing Center Director, at 203-251-9585, serkan.gorkemli@uconn.edu or the Assistant Director, Christopher Iverson at christopher.iversson@uconn.edu

-To reach us, email your essay or assignment to:
*Please note: we require at least two days to review your assignment.

uconn.stamford.writing.center@gmail.com, along with the following information:

- What kind of essay/assignment are you submitting, and for what class?
- Was there a prompt given for this assignment? If so, include it.
- When is the essay/assignment due?

  o Reminder: we require at least two days to review your assignment.

- Select two of the following issues you would most like us to address:

  o Understanding the assignment
  o Coming up with ideas/Outlining/Planning
  o Thesis statement/argument
  o Focusing the subject
  o Audience
  o Support of main ideas
  o Introduction or conclusion
  o Using sources
  o Citations (MLA, APA, etc.)
  o Grammar/mechanics such as punctuation, sentence structure, etc.

- Tell us some of the strengths/weaknesses you see in the assignment.

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