

## Faculty Conversations About Teaching

## MARCH 2019 FACULTY CONVERSATION

Building Your Teaching Portfolio Wednesday, March 6, 2019 • 4:30 -5:45 pm • Fenwick 1014B

FACILITATOR BIOS

## Faculty Facilitator: Shannyn Snyder, M.A.

**Shannyn Snyder** is an Adjunct Faculty member in Global and Community Health & Social Work, CHHS. She received 2018 Adjunct Teaching Excellence Award from the Stearns Center. She obtained her received her Bachelor of Arts in Political Science and Master of Interdisciplinary Studies in Anthropology and Global Health, both through George Mason University. Shannyn also received a post-graduate certificate in Women and Gender Studies from George Mason University. Her research focuses on the importance of multiracial intersectionality and environmental practices, as well as issues involving environmental racism, particularly women's access to water resources. Shannyn regularly teaches upper-level undergraduate GCH and SOCW courses. Find out more about Shannyn at: <u>https://chhs.gmu.edu/profile/view/12348</u>

## Faculty Facilitator: Brian Fitzpatrick, M.A., M.F.A.

**Brian Fitzpatrick** is a Term Assistant Professor, Department of English, Composition Program, CHSS. Brian earned his Bachelor's Degree (in Psychology) from George Washington University, and his M.A. in Literature and his M.F.A in Poetry both from Mason. He has taught a range of writing classes, including ENGH 101 and ENGH 302. His teaching & research interests include: composition; workplace writing; writing transfer; writing in the disciplines; & online pedagogy. Brian is the co-founder of the Archive of Workplace Writing Experiences (<u>www.workplace-</u> <u>writing.org</u>) and co-recipient of the Conference on College Composition and Communication's (CCCC) Emergent Researcher Award in 2018. Find out more about Brian at: <u>https://english.gmu.edu/people/bfitzpa2</u>

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