Creating Space for Academic Writing

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What else do I do?

- Teach 2:2 courses
- Program Director for Post-Masters Certificate in University and College Teaching
- Program Coordinator for Learning, Design and Technology concentration in Educational Leadership
- Principal Investigator of Digital Safety NSF Grant
- Co-Principal Investigator of Preparing High School Teachers to Teach Programming Online NSF Grant
- Associate Editor for Online Learning Journal, Special Issue Editor for Journal of Research on Technology in Education
- Board Member, IBSTPI; Advisory Council Member NCVPS
- University/College/Department Service

Teaching

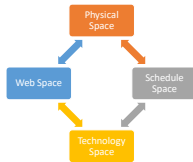Program Direction/Coordination

Principal Investigator

Journal Editor
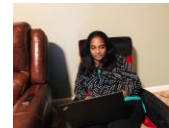
External Service

Internal Service

Creating Space

- Space - "a continuous area which is free, available, or unoccupied".

- Physical Space, Space in Schedule, Technology Space, Web Space,

Physical Space

Web Space

Schedule Space

Technology Space

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1. Physical Space

- I write from anywhere

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2. Space in Schedule

- Teaching/Research/Service – 40/40/20
  - Research Intensive Institution – 2:2

- 2 days/week
  - Including research meetings and writing time
  - 11 hours/this week with meetings for research
  - Biweekly meetings for research projects

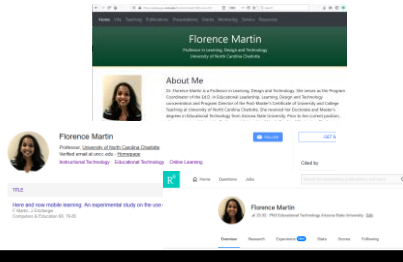- Not setting it aside for summer

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3. Technology Space

- Use tools to increase your efficiency
  - Dropbox (sometimes google drive)
  - Mendeley
  - Keep track of your projects - Word
  - Grammarly
  - Otter
  - Zotero
  - MaxQDA
  - CMA

Online First and In press	Under Review	In progress
X	X	X
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4. Web Space - Dissemination

- Faculty Website
- Google Scholar
- Research Gate
- Mendeley

My practices

- Topic is key
- Be passionate about what you write
- Going deep rather than going wide
- Don't go in too many directions on research topics
- Aim for high quality research
- Find collaborators who have similar interests
- Communicate biweekly with team
- Seek funding to support your writing
- Have a goal on number of publications for each year
- Juggle projects
- Be a life long learner

Good Luck