

Re: question

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I am hoping to start them right at the beginning of the semester since it is a semester long project and will be due at the end of the semester. Maybe we can get in to the library that first week (Friday the 27th) or the next week Monday the 30th to get them started and then that can get the ball rolling. I will stop by sometime this week & show you the "Rubric" of what is involved in the portfolio and see what we can come up with. I was thinking of making a sample with me and let them view it so they have something to work from. The requirements are attached.

thanks

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>>> Yvette Davis 01/17/12 8:33 PM >>>

My thoughts are that you are wonderful, and Yola is a great idea! I would love to have you bring in your classes for instruction. I can teach you at the same time, and then you won't feel as if you have to be an expert the moment you get them started. Jeanette and I are hoping to get the whole faculty into Yola, so you can be a cheerleader for us.

Let me know when you'd like to get together. We can do some simple collaborating, and you can tell me about the tabs/pages you'd like them to include, and I'll create a sample shell for them. If you have a past student who has some great work he/she can contribute to the sample, that would make it more authentic for the incoming students. If you have others in your PLC who'd like to create portfolios, I'd be happy to work with them too.

I can't wait to get started!

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"The library is inhabited by spirits that come out of the pages at night." -Isabel Allende

>>> Melissa Evans 01/17/12 2:20 PM >>>

I am teaching a brand new class this coming semester and the students have to complete a career portfolio by the end of the class. I will most likely have about 25 students in there and want to try and save paper so I was thinking of having them do it on the yola site like the seniors do for their project. Is it pretty user friendly? It is similar in the portfolio for the senior project but geared more towards health care and they have a resume, cover letter, essay questions and things of that nature that needs to go on there so I was thinking this would be great. Some of the students are junior so it would also help them prepare for next year too.

just wondering what your thoughts were since I know you did a lot with that when you were in Senior English and still help quite a bit.

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