



# Teaching Writing: The Bridge to Academic Success

**Fifth Annual Write Connection  
Conference**

**Hosted by Alcorn Writing Project  
Alcorn University  
School of Business Building  
15 Campus Drive  
Natchez, Mississippi**

**Sponsored by Mississippi  
Writing/Thinking Institute  
June 11-12, 2010**

*Teaching writing provides students the sure way to academic success through learning critical thinking and analyzing skills. Sound writing instruction ensures outstanding schools. Writing Projects develop teachers and administrators who understand and can implement strong, effective writing instruction across the curriculum, from Kindergarten through University levels. We can show you how! Come join us.*

## Local Hotels

**Natchez Eola** 110 N. Pearl St., Natchez,  
601-445-6000—\$75

**Days Inn**, 109 Highway 61 South, Natchez,  
601-445-8291—\$66.75 state rate for 1-2  
people; \$70 for 3-4 people

**Quality Inn**, 337 D'Evereaux Dr. Natchez,  
601-446-5500—\$65

**Red Carpet**, 271 D'Evereaux Dr. Natchez,  
601-442-3686 —\$55

**SAVE THE DATE**

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## EVENT SCHEDULE

### Registration

**Friday**, June 11, 11:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.

Natchez Community Center  
215 Franklin St., Natchez

**Saturday**, June 12, 7:45–8:15 a. m.

Alcorn School of Business  
15 Campus Drive, Natchez

### Writing Marathon

**Friday**, June 11, 2–6 p.m.

Depart from Natchez Community Center  
215 Franklin St., Natchez

### Opening Session and Social

**Friday**, June 11, 7–9 p.m.

Natchez Community Center  
215 Franklin St., Natchez

### Saturday Sessions

June 12, 8:30 a.m.–4:00 p. m.

Alcorn Univ School of Business Building  
15 Campus Drive, Natchez

8 a.m. ....Breakfast

8:30 a.m. ....Concurrent sessions

9:40 a.m. ....Concurrent sessions

11 a.m. ....General session

12:15 p.m. .... Lunch session

1:30 p.m. ....Concurrent sessions

2:40 p.m. ....Concurrent sessions

Registration: \$100

Ask about CEU Credit

**Administrators attend free with  
registration of five teachers!**