## ENG 3300 Assignment Schedule Unit II: Writing a Collaborative Recommendation Report

Texts: Practical Strategies for Technical Communication (PSTC) Team Writing (TW) Canvas readings (C)

Unit II Major Assignment: Collaborative Recommendation Report due March 4

→ The reading listed under each date should be prepared **BEFORE** you come to class on that date.
→ All assignments should be uploaded to Canvas **BEFORE** class begins unless otherwise indicated.
→ Some assignments will be submitted on behalf of the team (T), and some assignments will be submitted individually (I). Be sure to confirm which assignments fall under which category.
→ Be sure to check Canvas & your Baylor email as assignments are subject to change.

## Monday, 2/8: Introduction to Collaboration

### Wednesday, 2/10: Recommendation Reports

Read: PSTC Chapter 13 (pp. 314-357) TW Chapters 1 & 2 (pp. 3-26) Be prepared for the possibility of a quiz (on Chapter 13 and Chapter 2).

### Friday, 2/12: Team Charter and Communication Styles

Read: TW Chapters 3, 4, & 7 (pp. 27-48, 80-103)

Submit: Progress Report #1 (team charter) and Task Assignment Worksheet by 11:59 PM (T) Progress Reports (save for the Individual Progress Reports) will be submitted by your team's Progress Reporter for your entire team.

#### Monday, 2/15: Proposals

Read: PSTC Chapter 11 (pp. 274-297) Submit: Progress Report #2 (project proposal) by 11:59 PM (T)

Wednesday, 2/17: Research and Data (Eileen Bentsen, guest lecturer) Read: PSTC Chapter 5 (pp. 79-104) Submit: Individual Progress Report by 11:59 PM (I)

Friday, 2/19: Conferences/ Library Work Day

**Bring to conference:** A general outline of the team's final report (identify individual options) (T) **Submit**: Progress Report #3 by 11:59 PM (T)

Monday, 2/22: Conflict and Options Read: TW Chapter 5 & 8 (pp. 51-58, 104-123) Submit: Progress Report #4 by 11:59 PM (T)

Wednesday, 2/24: Documentation Read: PSTC pp. 434-444 Submit: Individual Progress Report by 11:59 PM (I)

Friday, 2/26: Selecting a Recommendation
Read: TW Chapter 6 (pp. 59-79)
Submit: Individual options due by class time (to Canvas and to teammates) (I)
Submit: Progress Report #5 by 11:59 PM (T)

Monday, 2/29: Cohesion, Tone, and Ethical Language Read: Handout on Canvas (*Technical Communication* Chapter 9) (C) Submit: Progress Report #6 by 11:59 PM (T)

Wednesday, 3/2: Finalizing the Document (Work Day) Submit: Rough draft of entire report by 11:59 PM (T) Individual Progress Report by 11:59 PM (I)

# Friday, 3/4: Recommendation Reports Due (midway through class)

\*Turn in Recommendation Report on Canvas – one member of your group uploads \*Also, turn in hard copy in class in a folder (with appendices) – one per group