Project Title:

Reading and Writing Canada: Web Resource Guides in Research and Writing for Use in University Courses about Canada

Project Summary (150 words maximum)

Canadian Literature (CL) proposes the development of two online resource guides to enhance teaching and learning in undergraduate courses, particularly Canadian literature and Canadian studies, in year one, and to launch the guides in classrooms in year two. These guides will enable students and instructors to easily access CL's vast collection of academic criticism and its content-rich databases. The Canadian Author and Topic Resource Guide (Author/Topic Guide) will provide an online study guide to selected topics and Canadian literary authors and their works, including discussion questions, author information, and compilations of academic material published in Canadian Literature. The Concise Online Guide to Research and Critical Summary in Canadian Literature and Canadian Studies (Research and Summary Guide) will include the following elements: guidelines for searching out and evaluating scholarly articles in Canadian literature and Canadian studies; articles and sample critical summaries, and guidelines for planning, documenting and writing summaries.