



Workshop for Qualitative Researchers

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QUALITATIVE RESEARCH AND THE USE OF THE LITERARY

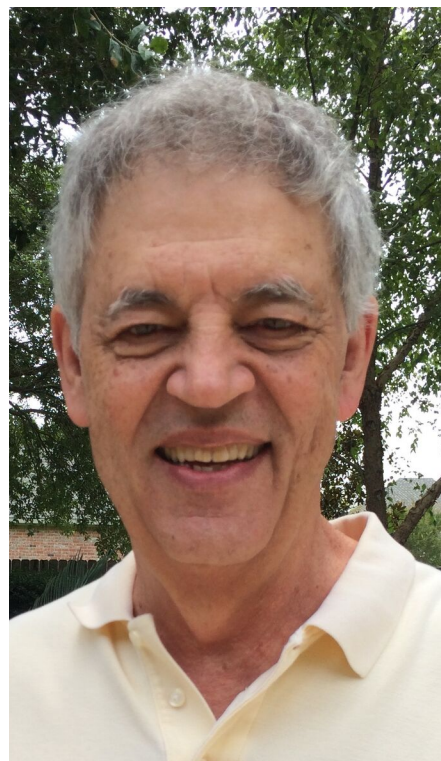
Featuring Workshop Leader:

DR. RONALD J. PELIAS

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How might the literary enhance written accounts of qualitative research? Tapping into the methodological logics of poetic inquiry, performative writing, auto-ethnography, and narrative inquiry and their associated literary genres, Dr. Ronald J. Pelias will show how calling upon literary techniques can turn research findings into more cognitively and effectively complex reports. Participants will engage in a series of writing exercises that demonstrate the power of creative writing techniques for research.



Ronald J. Pelias taught performance studies from 1981-2013 in the Department of Communication Studies at Southern Illinois University, Carbondale. His most recent books exploring qualitative methods are *The Creative Qualitative Researcher: Writing That Makes Readers Want to Read* (2019), *Writing Performance, Identity, and Everyday Life* (2018), *If the Truth Be Told: Accounts in Literary Forms* (2016), and *Performance: An Alphabet of Performative Writing* (2014).

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Time: 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Location: MSC 2708

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