Preliminary Program CATTW/ACPRTS Learned Societies University Prince Edward Island May 24-26, 1992

Sunday, May 24

9:15-10:30 Lilita Rodman, University of British Columbia

"The You-Attitude: Text and Context"

Jacqueline Bossé-Andrieu, University of Ottawa

"La promotion de la lisibilité au Canada: aperçu de la question"

10:30-10:45 coffee

10:45-12:00 Janet Giltrow, Simon Fraser University

"Literacy and Genre: Implications for Revising for Plainness"

Diane Bodnar, The Plain Language Institute

"Teaching the Reluctant Practitioner: A Study of the Real-World Practicalities in Teaching the Conceptual Ideals of Writing in Plain Language

12:00-1:15 lunch

1:15–2:15	Aviva Freedman, Carleton University
	invited speaker on genre theory

2:15-2:30 coffee

2:30–4:00 POSTER SESSION

Monday, May 25

9:15-10:30 Diana Wegner, Douglas College

"Theories of Value and the Formation of Standards: the Criterion of "Objectivity" in Technical Writing"

Bruce Lundgren, University of Western Ontario

"Protocols, Genres and Voice: Representing the 'Real World'"

10:30-10:45 coffee

10:45-12:00 Michele Valiquette, Simon Fraser University

"Voices of Authority: Collective Agreements and the Phenomenon of 'Competent Readings'"

Charles Horne, University of Victoria

"Social Relations inscribed in and Constituted by the Textual Practices of Government Officials" 12:00–1:15 lunch

1:15-2:30 PANEL SESSION: "Analyzing Technical Texts"

2:30-2:45 coffee

2:45–4:00 Annual General Meeting

Tuesday, May 26

9:15-10:30 Michael Jordan, Queen's University

"Openings in Very Formal Scientific Texts"

Candace Séguinot, York University "Representing Medical Information"

10:30-10:45 coffee

10:45–11:45 Karen Schriver, Carnegie Mellon University invited speaker on research methods

11:45-1:00 lunch

1:00-2:15 Christine Parkin, University of British Columbia

"Do the Canadian Charter and Provincial Human Rights Acts Impact Upon the Preparation of the Resumé and the Conducting of the Job Interview?"

Maureen S. Bogdanowicz, Southern Alberta Institute of Technology

"Communication and Decision Making: Individual and Group Thinking, Planning, and Problem Solving"

2:15-2:30 coffee

2:30-2:45 Louise Larivière, Université de Montréal et Université Concordia

"Situation de la rédaction professionnelle dans l'entreprise"

Ruth Ellen Greenwood, Humber College

"'How Do You Address a Cat?': Salutations in Application Letters"

Geoff Cragg, University of Calgary, and Anne Parker, University of Manitoba

"Towards a Definition of Technical Writing or Can Technical Writing Be Defined?"