



RICE

Program in Writing and Communication

Accessing the Results of the Composition Exam – Summer 2021

Students and their advisors will be able to access the placement decision of the Composition Exam that students took this summer by O-week. The exam is used to determine the best placement for incoming students in our first-year writing-intensive seminar (FWIS) courses. Based on exam evaluations, students will either be placed directly into a fall or spring FWIS seminar course that satisfies the graduation requirement; or into FWIS 100 Introduction to Academic Writing in the fall, and a FWIS seminar in the spring.

The following information will guide students and advisors through the steps needed to access the Comp Exam essay and placement decision.

Student Instructions

To see your Comp Exam results, you will need to go to the Comp Exam Web site and follow the steps below:

1. Please go to <https://compexam.rice.edu/>
2. Click Log in Here; then enter your NetID and password.
3. Click the Comp Exam 2021 (or 2020, if you deferred) link to view your placement decision and FWIS semester assignment.
4. If you wish to save and print your results, click Download as PDF

An e-mail will be sent to your Rice e-mail address when the results are available.

Advisor Instructions

Advisors will be able to retrieve the results of the Comp Exam of each of their advisees by following the steps below:

1. Please go to <https://compexam.rice.edu/>
2. Click Log in Here; then enter your NetID and password.
3. Under Exams to Review, click the exam year (2021 or 2020 if the student deferred). You will see an alphabetical listing of all students who took the exam. This list also includes each student's FWIS semester assignment (fall, spring, or FWIS 100 (fall) and spring FWIS).
4. Click View Essay to see the submitted essay and the placement decision.
5. If you wish to save and print the student's decision, click Download as PDF.

If you have any problems or questions, send an e-mail to Shar'-Lin V. Anderson [sva1@rice.edu].