

How I Work with Writers

Consult	Consultations are collaborative conversations about strategies for revising your work in progress and improving your writing process. They last an hour and take place via phone or Skype.
Comment	My detailed written review of your draft focuses on its argument and voice. Through both a headnote letter and marginal comments, I suggest specific, concrete approaches to revision, but do not make any changes myself.
Edit	I edit in "track changes" so that you can accept or reject each change individually. Developmental editing addresses structure and rhetoric, while sentence-level editing focuses on clarity, concision, and style.

Common Combos

The Writing Gym

One, two, three, or four consultations a month for in-depth conversations on your work in progress and support in changing your writing habits, setting realistic goals, and holding yourself accountable.

Comment + Consult

I write comments on your article or chapter draft and then we consult about revision strategies. A great option for writers who are drafting or revising a book and have few concerns about their writing process.

Comment + Edit

I write comments on your draft, you revise, and then I edit the revised version on the sentence level. A good choice for writers who have a complete book draft and prefer written comments over consultation.

The Nitty-Gritty

- Confidentiality: I keep your work in progress and our work together private; I only add projects to my website with the writer's express permission.
- Ethical editing: I do not take on projects that would require creating content rather than editing it.
- Flat rates for consultation include reading your draft before we meet.
- Commenting and editing rates are based on the project's scope and word count.
- Once we have decided how best to work together, I will provide a written quote with a flat rate for your particular project.