



“The Imagined _____”

The TYCA-Pacific Northwest 2009 Conference
October 8-9, 2010
Whatcom Community College
Bellingham, Washington

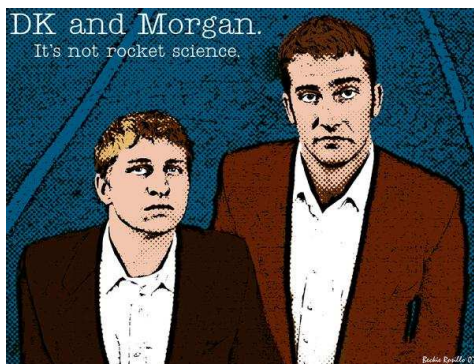
Featured Speakers and Special Guests



Friday, Friday, October 8th 3:00 to 5:00

Nancy Sommers will lead a two-hour workshop tentatively scheduled to focus on “The Evocative Object,” a workshop Professor Sommers conducted at the WPA Annual Conference in Minneapolis in Summer 2009 and presented on at the CCC in March 2010. Her appearance at TYCA-PNW, as well as the “Evening Out,” is through the generosity of

Bedford/St. Martin’s. The workshop is open to the first 50 registrants who indicate a desire to attend.



Saturday, October 9

How does Improv (theory and practice) relate to pedagogy? How can Improv improve our teaching and help us imagine possibilities? Join us and the nationally touring Improv group, *DK and Morgan* as they lead us in a morning workshop/presentation in the spirit of our conference theme.



Saturday, October 9th

Professor Charles Altieri, of the University of California, Berkeley, will be a featured speaker and address our conference theme. Professor Altieri served on the Executive Council of the Modern Language Association from 2005 to 2008 and is the author of ten books and dozens of articles on literary criticism and theory.