

# **James Williams, PhD**

**Professor of Rhetoric and Linguistics at Soka University**

Aliso Viejo, CA, US

Professor Williams examines education using Baudrillard's perspective on consumerism and simulacra

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## **Biography**

James Williams focuses on neoliberalism and higher education, classical rhetoric, writing pedagogy, psycholinguistics.

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## **Areas of Expertise**

Classical Rhetoric, Psycholinguistics, Assessment, Neoliberalism, Higher Education, Writing Pedagogy, Cognition, Syntax, Education Policy

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## **Affiliations**

NCTE, AERA

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## **Education**

**University of Southern California**

Ph. D. Rhetoric and Linguistics

**San Jose State University**

M. A. English

**San Jose State University**

B. A. English

**San Jose State University**

Community College Credential (life) Language Arts and Literature

**San Jose State University**

Secondary Credential (life) English

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## **Accomplishments**

**Finalist, editorship of College English**

2015

**Finalist, with Honorable Mention, Glimmer Train International Short Story Competition, ?An Alaskan Education.?  
2014**

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