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Maps/Boundaries create and govern frontiers, assist or inhibit collaboration and/or creation. They inform visual and intellectual concepts and patterns.

Historically and politically, Maps/ Boundaries represent anxieties about identity. Maps/Boundaries encourage the formation of mastery and control, naming, and imaginative communication.

These possibilities and limitations continue to function in the contemporary world. Disciplines as wide ranging as theology, philosophy, literature, and history, among others, engage in the production and imagining of Maps/ Boundaries.

We invite you to join us as we explore such questions as:

- What are the traditional definitions, uses, and/or perceptions of Maps/Boundaries?
- How do Maps/Boundaries construct or deconstruct identity?
- How does the physical or psychological presence of Maps/Boundaries impede or assist creative writing?
- How do textual or visual representations imagine, create, disrupt or deconstruct Maps/Boundaries?
- How does the body (re)configure (re)present (re)constitute Map/Boundaries?
- What are the intersections or interventions of Maps/Boundaries within academia?
- What is the effect of technology on Maps/Boundaries in the classroom?
- What is the role of pedagogy in creating or disrupting Maps/Boundaries?

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