

**The Department of English
University of Washington**

Invites you to a talk by

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**“African Rhetoric, Indigenous Survivance,
Digital Technologies and Technical &
Professional Communications”**

Monday, February 27, 2023

3:30 p.m.

Via Zoom (link below)

Working with Indigenous people of Ga to revive culture and enact survivance, I draw on storytelling by briefly reclaiming ancient African rhetoric. I contend that storytelling does not need to illustrate core concepts only. Independently, storytelling could serve as a knowledge making praxis. Thus, by listening to the indigenous Ga of Ghana, I formed a relationship between Indigenous practices and the teaching of technical communication. Ga concepts drawn from visual rhetoric like the akpakpa (papaya) help us to think more of practicing collaboration: faculty working with faculty, students and faculty work together to think with and address community's problems through documentation and or applying the digital.

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