In this issue of *Basic Writing e-Journal*, we present reviews of three recent scholarly books. Jessica Schreyer reviews Shannon Carter's *The Way Literacy Lives: Rhetorical Dexterity and Basic Writing Instruction*, which provides a theoretical and historical context for much of the current pedagogy in the field of Basic Writing. Michael Chestnut reviews Tony Scott's *Dangerous Writing: Understanding the Political Economy of Composition*, which is a critical exploration of current composition pedagogy. Janice Walker reviews Mary George's *The Elements of Library Research: What Every Student Needs to Know*, a guidebook for undergraduates on the basics of library research. All three reviewers present critical and insightful examinations of these books that will leave you eager to pick up Carter’s, Scott’s, and George's books.

Read a good book lately? Have an urge to tell others about it? If so, please consider writing a review for *BWe*. We encourage reviews of a wide range of texts related to writing pedagogy, theory, scholarship. Reviews—or questions about possible texts to review—should be emailed to us at the addresses below.

In the meantime, enjoy Schreyer, Chestnut, and Walker's reviews!

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