

### **Some preliminary information**

Welcome to the Writing Programme and to our module "Making Sense: Perspectives on interpretation". I would like you to take a few minutes to answer the following questions, which I hope will help me get to know you better and create for us all a more effective and pleasant learning environment. Please return this sheet to me on our first meeting attaching a passport-sized colour photograph of yourself. I do not have a very good memory and will need all the help I can get in learning very basic things like faces and names (and my way around campus). I thank you for your understanding and collaboration.

1. Your first and last names and the name by which you prefer to be called.
  
2. Your native language.
  
3. Your phone number and e-mail address.
  
4. Did you choose this module? Why? If you did not choose it, what were you looking for in a Writing Programme module?
  
5. Some important or interesting things that you know or have experienced about interpretation.
  
6. What are your favourite kinds of reading?
  
7. Your concentration at NUS?
  
8. Other courses you are taking that involve writing papers?
  
9. Anything you would like me to know about yourself, both in general (your strengths, limitations, concerns and interests) and regarding your relationship with writing?

10. What is the best piece of advice you have received about writing?

11. What do you most want to learn and to practice in a Writing Programme course?