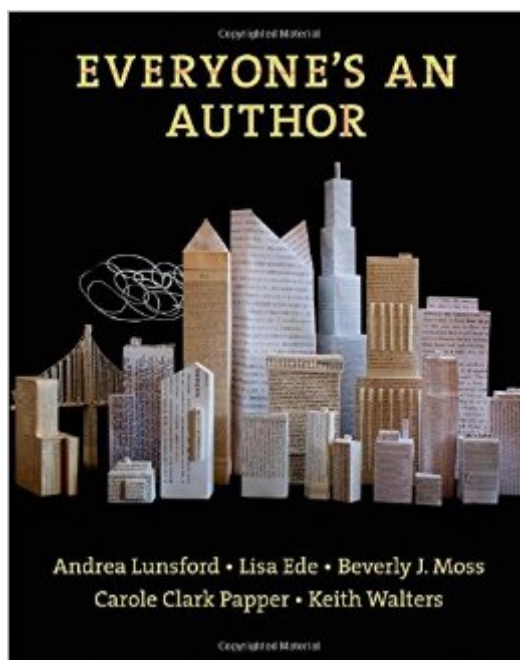


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The way information is presented in this book is both good and bad. First off: The Good.... This book isn't just another "do things like this" text. It actually uses reasoning and presents evidence to support its argument, (that grammar is somehow important to text.) I firmly believe that when it comes to a great essay, the manner in which it is presented and the information or story it is composed of is truly the only important thing. So as assumed I struggle with the "little stuff" as my professor calls it. This book helped me in that sense that instead of banging my head against a wall for countless hours trying to think of how to word a stupid thesis statement, I can simply read a chapter or two and be given examples on ways of how to construct my own sentence in any sort of situation. Now the bad: Organization is the downfall of this text. The only complaint I had while using it would be that I would be having trouble understanding a certain concept at first. When this happened to me the first time I was reading through the text with the inability to shake the feeling that I was missing a important piece of prior knowledge. I immediately came to the assumption that the text has assumed I knew the information. I learned like always assumption leads to a surprising outcome, in this case very surprising. I found the key part I was missing in a forward chapter! Later in the book! As if the people writing this had accidentally put the information in the wrong order. I would have certainly just wrote it off as a simple mishap but it occurred repeatedly until I brought the matter up with my professor and was informed I could make a list of the occurrences for the rest of the class...

Was not the current version, although it has the same cover. This is edition 1 (edition 13 is the most current). It did not have the information I needed compared to edition 13. There was no way of contacting the seller to exchange for the current edition. Very unhappy. I would not recommend this version, especially if you are using it for college courses.

Required for college classes...not the best book but okay for what's needed. Writers Inc. and On

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