

Mary Dalton

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Dalton can put new TV shows in perspective and provide insightful comments about the latest feature films.

Biography

Mary Dalton is a Professor of Communication at Wake Forest University. She is the author of *Teacher TV: Sixty Years of Teachers on Television* and *The Hollywood Curriculum: Teachers in the Movies*. Dalton has also tracked the history of the situation comedy in her edited volume *The Sitcom Reader: America Viewed and Skewed*. She has written and directed nine documentaries, including *Martha in Lattimore* about the life of Martha Mason, who lived in an iron lung for most of her life, and most recently *Living in the Overlap*, a love story that advocates for marriage equality.

Areas of Expertise

Film, Hollywood Movies, Screenwriting, Documentary Films, Television Situational Comedies, Film Criticism, Teachers in Movies and Television, Film Production, Women in Film

Education

University of North Carolina at Greensboro

Ph.D. Cultural Studies

University of North Carolina at Greensboro

M.A. Broadcasting / Cinema

Wake Forest University

B.A. Speech, Communication, and Theatre Arts

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