Can you tell me more about that?

Yeah, um, oh yeah .... This seminar will be divided between intensive reading/discussion meetings in which we engage theories and methods of oral history, practicum sessions on oral history and other interview-based research methods; and a writing workshop on how to integrate insights from oral history research in interdisciplinary scholarship.

And then what happens?

Well, as I recall... Practicum sessions will include interview training and practice among seminar participants; learning how interview-based research is archived and conducted at KU; and transcription and analysis of interviews. The seminar is designed for graduate students who intend to use oral history or qualitative interview-based research in thesis or dissertation. Projects may be at any stage—from planning stages to chapter-drafting—but equal participation will be expected of participants with new projects and those with advanced projects. We will conclude with a writing workshop with peer reviews of participants’ attempts to incorporate interview-based research into final papers.

Thank you for sharing your story. May I contact you if I have follow-up questions?

Sure! My email is sjtucker@ku.edu