FAST MULTIMEDIA COMPOSITIONS :
Nine Ideas.

1. **Annotate an ordinary object**. See Gustav Peebles' "A Wicked Cheat: ATMs and the Neo-Feudal Economy" (*Harper's* June 2004).

2. **Create an interactive, annotated map.** Google Maps > Create a Custom Map > Add placemarks and search results > (& images & commentary…)

3. **Crowdsource the research process**. Use SurveyMonkey & social media to create a unique inquiry and data set.

4. **Create an annotated, embeddable slide show**. Almost any photo-hosting platform allows this (see Flickr, for instance).

5. **Write a satirical news story**. See *The Onion*, "New Report Finds Climate Change Caused by 7 Billion Key Individuals" (and a zillion other examples).

6. **Create a gif essay**. See, for example, this Tumblr, "I'm Having an Essay Crisis."

7. **Create a meme.** Look at memegenerator.net for ideas and tools.

8. **Create an infographic.** Piktochart is excellent, free, and allows students to create visually attractive graphic representations of nearly any kind of writing.

9. **Create a comic narrative or argument or annotated bibliography.** Try StripGenerator or BitStrips.

Think of these tools as ways to *adapt* writing projects, *invent* materials for writing, or *reflect* on writing projects.