

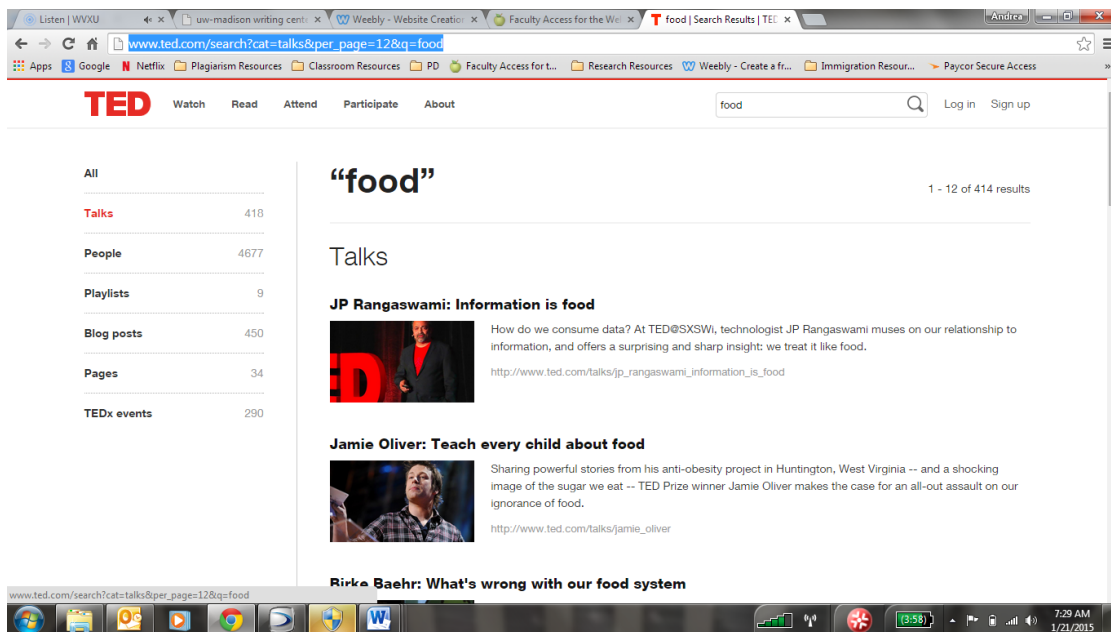
# Blog Writing: TED and Food Issues

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For our food unit, I'd like y'all to do some research about issues surrounding our food system, as well as to watch some folks who are practiced in public speaking do what they do best.

Thus, please do the following:

1. Visit TED's "Browse Talks" site (<https://www.ted.com/talks>); type in "Food" to the search box (see the image below)
2. From there, you can browse the talks and find **one** that piques your interest.
3. Watch this talk; take some notes as you watch it, focusing on these questions:
  - a. What are the intricacies of this food issue? How do they connect to you as a consumer? (of food and in the economy)
  - b. What is effective / ineffective about the speaker's presentation in terms of verbal and nonverbal communication?
4. On your blog, please write about this talks. Respond to the questions above in a paragraph or so of writing. Be sure that you name the speaker and the title of the talk.



TED talks on food when you search "food"

**This blog is worth a 30-point blog entry. I'll assess you based upon**

- Your use of specific examples from the talk for each part of the paragraph
  - Your blog layout (I.E. paragraph structure)
- Your writing conventions (spelling, grammar, punctuation, usage)