



Comprehensive 3-day training publishing in peer-reviewed journals

Customers about this training:

"Really brilliant structure, quality was very high. Very good training book with very good exercises, also helpful for later work."

"I walk from this course with a recipe for writing a paper!"

"Writing my paper and its sections was always the hardest thing for me to do but with your guidelines I will now be able to make it."

TRESS  **TRESS**
improving academic performance

We are an international consulting firm dedicated to improve the academic performance of academics, universities and research institutes across subject areas. We offer skill-building training in academic key competences such as peer-reviewed publishing, PhD studies and interdisciplinary research. Our activities are based on substantial research on success and fail factors in these areas.

You are writing a paper and want to make sure it gets published in an international peer-reviewed journal?

Why take this course?

If you are currently preparing or writing a paper for an international peer-reviewed journal this 3-day comprehensive training is ideal for you. During the training, you will improve your manuscript in progress or draft concrete ideas for a manuscript.

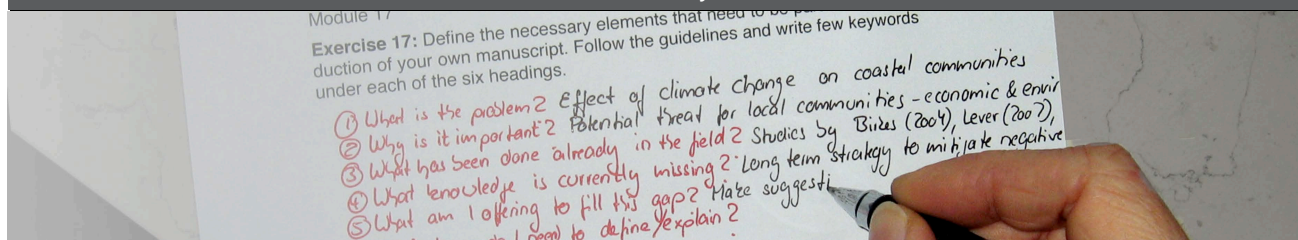
The three days of the training take you from planning and preparing to writing and submitting a paper. You also receive in-depth advice on how to tackle the peer-review process and deal with reviewers and editors. You learn to understand the implicit rules of the peer-review publishing system and receive concrete advice how to overcome the various hurdles of this system with your particular paper.

If you have previously tried to write and publish a manuscript for a journal, this training will strengthen your expertise and confidence in getting published. You learn the relevant writing techniques to substantially improve the quality of your paper and lead it through to publication success.

Training aims

The training provides an in-depth explanation of key aspects of peer-reviewed publishing. You learn step-by-step how to write a manuscript that gets published. Your particular training benefits are:

- 1) to set up a publication strategy to increase publication output of your research activities.
- 2) to develop a detailed publishing plan for your current paper in progress.
- 3) to draft main sections of your manuscript.
- 4) to know for each section what it needs to include.
- 5) to know how to identify a suitable journal for your paper submission.
- 6) to get answers on your individual questions regarding paper writing.
- 7) to have clear instructions for completing your manuscript after the training.
- 8) to submit your manuscript following up on the concrete suggestions of the training.



Target group

- Authors who are currently preparing or writing a manuscript for a peer-reviewed journal.
- Authors who got manuscripts rejected.
- Authors who want to significantly increase the success rate of papers they submit to peer-reviewed journals.

Preconditions

You benefit most from this training when:

- a) you are in the process of writing an academic paper or
- b) you have a first draft/ideas of a paper.

The training provides a solid basis for you to improve a current manuscript or to start on a new manuscript after attendance.

Content

The training includes detailed explanation of all relevant aspects such as:

- selecting a paper topic
- selecting an appropriate journal
- preparing the writing process
- basic writing rules
- defining authorship
- defining paper objectives
- manuscript structure and sections
- writing process
- style, format and journal guidelines
- common mistakes
- impact factor and other performance indicators
- manuscript submission
- characteristics of the peer-review process
- review criteria
- editorial process
- revision process
- responding to editors and referees
- publishing stages
- publishing ethics

Outcome

You increase confidence and efficiency in the writing and publishing process. You know what most papers do wrong, how to avoid these mistakes and how to correspond with editors and reviewers. You have drafted elements of the main sections of your paper and got clear instructions for how to complete your paper after the training.

Training mode

The training includes a well-balanced mixture of interactive lectures, discussions, practical exercises and gives good time for your specific questions. The training makes use of many real examples of manuscripts and editorial questions. You are encouraged to bring along your own manuscript in preparation, review reports or other editorial correspondence that you received.

Why train with us

As instructors, we provide an effective and diversified learning experience. We hold PhD degrees and have 12 years of international research and teaching experiences at research institutes and universities in the United Kingdom, Germany, The Netherlands, and Denmark. We work as editors, editorial board members, referees and authors for major international publishing houses. We gained extensive experiences with publishing, reviewing and editing papers for peer-reviewed journals and books. In our own research, we have systematically analysed the requirements for publishing papers in journals across subject areas. We are keen on seeing you becoming a successful and experienced academic writer.

TRAINING TYPE

Comprehensive: 3 days
Available as Open Training or as In-House Training

START/END

Day 1: 09:00-17:00
Day 2: 09:00-17:00
Day 3: 09:00-16:00

PARTICIPANTS

max. 12

TRAINING LANGUAGE

English

CREDITS

3 ECTS

OPEN TRAINING

This training is regularly offered for interested individuals as open training. It is held at a comfortable training location in the attractive setting of Greater Munich, Germany. Please see our website for current training dates, fees and conditions.

IN-HOUSE TRAINING

For the comfort of an academic group (department, research project, research school), this training can also be held at your home institute. Please see our website for more details.

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