

How to Write an Academic Article in English?

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One of the most important aims of graduate school is professionalization into the academic field, which can be achieved by publishing our research in scholarly journals. If we want our findings to be available to a large number of people - students and fellow academics alike - we might want to consider writing our papers in English. If we are non-native speakers of English, and sometimes even if English is our first or main language, writing a piece of scholarly research in our second (or third!) language can be daunting. During the writing process, there are two main questions that we must always keep in mind: What am I trying to communicate? Am I communicating my ideas in a language that is clear and accurate?

This workshop will help participants navigate through the intricacies of Academic English writing, by “dissecting” the format of a scholarly article in English and by analyzing a few journals’ guidelines or instructions for authors, since most journals provide very specific information about an article’s length, its structure and formatting, and even about its content.

Participants are encouraged to share articles they are working on, so as to receive feedback during the workshop.