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# WORKSHOP

## Writing Articles for International Publication in Peer-Reviewed Journals in the Humanities and Social Sciences

with

**Josie Dixon**  
**(Lucian Consulting)**

10 – 12 February 2021

10 am – 4:30 pm

Online via Zoom

Participation **only with prior registration** until **4 December 2020**  
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The number of participants is **limited to 16**.



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The workshop will be a mixture of Zoom sessions for presentation and whole-group discussions, offline writing exercises, and pair work which will be either online in breakout rooms on Zoom, or exchanging drafts by email for mutual feedback. The programme is as follows:

### Workshop Day 1 (10:00 – 16:30)

- Why publish, and where to publish?
- What journal editors look for
- Defining your original research contribution
- Addressing your readership
- Writing tips: opening sentences

### Workshop Day 2 (10:00 – 16:30)

- Writing an abstract: Quickfire drafting exercise
- Revising and editing your abstract
- Presenting a scholarly argument
- Case studies and their larger implications

### Workshop Day 3 (10:00 – 16:30)

- Use of secondary scholarship
- Developing stronger forms of citation
- What makes a strong conclusion?
- Making the most of peer review
- Checklist and action plan

## PARTICIPANTS

The workshop is for up to 16 participants, and is best suited to those in the later stages of a PhD, who are working on a draft article, or at least developing a section of their project suitable for article publication. Josie Dixon can take up to 10 draft articles before the workshop, enabling her to create a tailored set of workshop materials, making use of examples from the participants' own writing samples. That leaves some additional places for non-submitting participants, so that researchers who are not yet ready with a draft article can still benefit from the workshop.

**Please state in your registration email if you would like to submit a draft article.**

## TIMELINE & PREPARATION

**Registration: 4 Dec 2020**  
**Submitting draft articles: 21 Dec 2020**

We will send the Zoom links and the materials in given time.

## ABOUT

<http://www.lucianconsulting.com/writing-articles-for-international-publication.html>