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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 – 11 February 2022  
9:30 am – 4:30 pm

Face-to-face at GSP or Online via Zoom  
(Depending on the situation)

Participation **only with prior registration** until **25 January 2022**  
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The number of participants is **limited to 16**.

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



## CONTENT

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 two-part workshop is built around examples from the participants' draft articles, and covers the use of English for scholarly purposes, presenting an argument and addressing international audiences, as well as practical issues on what editors look for, the peer review process, and the afterlife of a journal article. The second day of the workshop includes a practical session (run as a mock-conference) in which the participants have the opportunity to rehearse the delivery of sample presentations, handle questions and receive feedback.

## PREPARATION

Participants should send back a **pre-course questionnaire** (attached in email) and will need to prepare a **short (5-minute) sample presentation** on some aspect of their research for delivery on the second day, which will be run as a mock-conference, with students delivering their sample presentations, taking questions from the other participants, and giving each other feedback afterwards. The presentations should be representative (in miniature) of the type of paper they would expect to give in due course at a real conference, using PowerPoint etc. as appropriate.

## 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: 25 January 2022

Submitting questionnaire: 31 January 2022

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