Finding Journal Articles Online *Social Sciences focus*
Learn how to find full text articles online, discover the best databases for articles on a given topic, and how to use these resources effectively through online demonstration and hands-on instruction.
Thursday, April 9th, 2:00-3:00 p.m.
Location: Research Library East Electronic Classroom, room 21536

EndNote
This session offers a basic overview of the purpose, uses, and features of EndNote, a program that helps researchers manage references and produce bibliographies for projects large and small.
Tuesday, April 14th, 2:00-3:30pm
Location: Research Library East Electronic Classroom, room 21536

Strategies for Writing the Social Sciences Dissertation Proposal
This workshop will give an overview of the main components of a dissertation proposal in the social sciences and cover strategies for writing the introduction, literature review, methods, and significance sections. These strategies should be adapted to your department’s and advisor’s expectations about the structure and content of your proposal. Please bring two copies of your abstract to this workshop.
Thursday, April 23rd, 5:00-7:00pm
Location: Conference Room 4, Student Activities Center (basement level)

This workshop will focus on techniques for outlining, building, and presenting an effective 10-20 minute oral/video (e.g., PowerPoint) presentation as typically presented in the social sciences. We will discuss strategies for converting a written paper into an oral presentation, for using limited time effectively, and for incorporating multimedia elements into a presentation, among others.
Tuesday, May 12th, 4:00-6:00pm
Location: Conference Room 4, Student Activities Center (basement level)

Writing Successful Grant and Fellowship Applications
This workshop focuses on strategies for writing effective applications for grants and fellowships to support graduate study and research. We will discuss approaches common to the humanities, sciences, and social sciences, as well as specific suggestions for each academic area. Finally, we will briefly introduce major funding opportunities for graduate study from both UCLA and off-campus funding agencies.
Thursday, May 28th, 4:00-5:30pm
Location: Conference Room 4, Student Activities Center (basement level)

ATS Stats Consulting Groups Seminars:
The seminars that the ATS Stats Group will be offering next quarter are posted on their site: http://statistics.ats.ucla.edu/stat/Schedule/walk_in.htm towards the bottom of the page (see live seminars). The website also indicates whether or not a reservation is needed to attend a live seminar. There are also links to previously recorded seminars and information about drop-in statistical consulting services.

Writing Statistical Results
Whether writing the results section of a dissertation or publication, many people find writing the results section challenging, difficult and sometimes even painful. In this seminar, we will discuss ways of making this process easier and more manageable, including helpful preparation steps and resources for specific wording. General guidelines regarding what to include (and what not to include) in the results section will also be provided.
Note: this workshop is not being offered this quarter, but the materials and notes are online: http://www.ats.ucla.edu/stat/seminars/statistical_writing/