Humanities Research & Writing Workshops

The Graduate Writing Center
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Research@UCLA Library
Learn to navigate the Library’s Web site, book catalogs, and article databases.
Three times: 1) Wed., Sept. 29th, 12-1:00pm; 2) Tues., Oct. 5th, 10-11:00am; 3) Thurs., Oct. 7th, 1-2:00pm
Location: Research Library East Electronic Classroom, room 21536

Research/Reference Management (learn how to do this early!)
- EndNote - Learn the basic features of EndNote software to manage research and bibliographies.
  Three times: 1) Tues., Oct. 12th, 1-2:00pm; 2) Thurs., October 21st, 2-3:00pm; 3) Wed., Oct. 27th, 12-1:00pm
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- Zotero - Receive an overview of the features of this free FireFox extension to manage references.
  Monday, October 18th, 12-1:00pm / Location: Research Library East Electronic Classroom, room 21536

Teaching and Writing: What Teachers & TAs Need to Know
This workshop will cover how to help students improve their writing and review how to teach writing concepts, such as thesis statements, organization, and summary versus analysis. The workshop will also cover appropriate ways to respond to student writing, including etiquette for commenting on student papers and best practices for one-on-one meetings with students.
Thursday, October 14th, 5-7pm / Location: Conference Room 4, Student Activities Center (basement level)

Strategies for Writing the Humanities Dissertation Prospectus
This workshop is geared towards giving prospectus writers the tools to write their prospectus. We will discuss literature review and argument development as well as how to turn the different pieces of a prospectus into a coherent document. Nota bene: this is meant to be an addition to—not a substitution for—serious discussions with your advisor about what is expected of you in your home department.
Thursday, October 21st, 5-7:00pm / Location: Conference Room 4, Student Activities Center (basement level)

Writing the Humanities Course Paper
Learn strategies for writing and revising graduate-level humanities course papers.
Tuesday, November 9th, 5:00-7:00pm
Location: Conference Room 4, Student Activities Center (basement level)

Writing the Qualitative Course Paper
Learn strategies for writing and revising graduate-level qualitative course papers in the social sciences.
Two times: 1) Tuesday, November 2nd, 5:00-7:00pm; 2) Friday, November 5th, 12:00pm-2:00pm
Location: Conference Room 4, Student Activities Center (basement level)

How to Make an Argument
The workshop will discuss how to make, situate, and qualify arguments in graduate-level academic writing.
Friday, November 12th, 12-2:00pm / Location: Conference Room 4, Student Activities Center (basement level)

Workshops in Later Quarters Cover: Dissertation Writing, Conference Presentations, Writing & Publishing Articles, and many other topics...

Resources for Thesis and Dissertation Writers
During winter and spring quarters, the Graduate Writing Center offers workshops and facilitated writing groups for students writing master’s theses. Writing groups are facilitated by a trained GWC writing consultant who provides tips on general writing and revision strategies as well as specific aspects of a thesis. We also have special workshops and multi-session summer programs on dissertation writing and dissertation proposals.
Writing group information on website: http://gsrcl.ucla.edu/gwc/writing-groups/

Please consult our website for up-to-date schedule information

**Workshop schedule and location details are subject to change.**
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