Writing and Publishing Research Articles: 
the Structured Approach

Addressees:
Doctoral Candidates of Hamburg University of Technology (TUHH)

Goals:
The goals of this two-day workshop are to facilitate and accelerate writing and publishing processes. We structure processes in steps and practise techniques that increase both writing efficiency and text quality. We start with planning the project, and move on with outlining, drafting, revising and publishing.

Content Outline:
• What to write: focus and message
• Where to publish: journal selection
• How to team up: collaboration with co-authors
• How to organise information: sections, paragraphs, sentences
• How to write drafts: getting started, keeping momentum
• How to revise: clarity, conciseness
• How to achieve acceptance: coping with rejection, persuading editors
• How to be productive: motivation and self-management

Methods:
Lectures and exercises alternate in the workshop. Participants explore different techniques and discuss their usefulness. Every participant works on his or her research article and prepares a preliminary title and a tentative conclusion in advance. In preparation of the workshop, every participant also should choose three potential target journals.

Language:
This workshop will be held in English. Good English skills are of advantage but are not a requirement.

Trainer:
Dr. Philipp Mayer, www.science-textflow.ch

Philipp Mayer is trainer and coach for scientific writing and related skills. He has broad experience in research and in adult education.

Date:             Thu 22 and Fri 23 August 2019, 09:00 a.m. to 05:00 p.m.
Place:            TUHH, Channel 4 (Harburger Schloßstraße 28 ), Room CH4-0.21

Registration:
Due to a limited number of participants a binding registration is necessary. Please ask your supervisor for permission to participate and then address your registration to https://intranet.tuhh.de/anmeldung/research_articles.

For registered participants attendance at the entire workshop is obligatory.

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