The Office of Academic Writing and Publication Support

Writing, Research, and Publication Discussion Group

The Writing, Research, and Publication Discussion Group (The Writing Group) is a support group for faculty, graduate students, and alumni that meets for 2 hours on Sundays in the fall and spring semesters to discuss issues around writing for scholarly and professional publication and conference presentations.

This year the Writing Group will be focused on helping participants revise a manuscript and submit it for publication following the principles and tips in Rocco, T.S., Hatcher, T., & Associates. (2011). *The handbook of scholarly writing and publishing*. San Francisco, CA: Jossey-Bass. Other topics discussed are: CVs, manuscript submission and review process, addressing reviewers’ feedback, and anything related to writing the group is interested in or needs help with.

### 2014-2015 Schedule

**Fall**

September 14  
“Culling Manuscripts from the Dissertation”

October 12  
“Finding a Publication Outlet”

November 9  
“Publishing as a Graduate Student”

**Spring**

January 25  
“Preparing a Book Proposal”

February 8  
“Getting Multiple Articles from One Thesis”

March 1  
“Addressing Reviewers Feedback”

**Where:** ZEB330  
**When:** 4:30-6:30pm

**To register,** send an email to Dr. Tonette S. Rocco (roccot@fiu.edu). In the subject line, put “OAWPS RSVP Writing Group and your last name.” Space is limited so please RSVP early.

The Office of Academic Writing and Publication Support offers many services to help graduate students and faculty improve their writing skills and publish, including one-on-one consultations, writing and publication support circles, and many more.