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2026 SPRING WORKSHOPS

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	Monday **16:00-17:00** **On Campus (CB01.05.01)**	**Tuesday** **17:30-18:30** **Online via Zoom**	**Wednesday** **12:00-13:00** **On Campus (CB01.05.01)**	**Thursday** **17:30-18:30** **Online via Zoom**	**Friday** **15:00-16:00** **Online via Zoom**
Week 2	3 Aug How to Write in Academic Style	4 Aug How to Analyse and Plan Your Assignments	5 Aug How to Manage Course Readings	6 Aug Understanding Academic Integrity, AI and Plagiarism	7 Aug How to Study Effectively
Week 3	10 Aug (16:00-17:30) Writing for Business	11 Aug (17:30-19:00) Writing for Humanities and Social Sciences	12 Aug (12:00-13:30) Writing for Health	13 Aug (17:30-19:00) Writing for Law	14 Aug (15:00-16:30) Writing for IT and Engineering
Week 4	17 Aug Developing Arguments in your Assignments	18 Aug Critical Thinking for Assignment Writing	19 Aug How to Improve your Sentence Structure	20 Aug How to Analyse and Plan your Assignments (R)	21 Aug How to Write a Literature Review
Week 5	24 Aug (16:00-17:30) Writing for IT and Engineering (R)	25 Aug (17:30-19:00) Writing for Health (R)	26 Aug (12:00-13:30) Writing for Humanities and Social Sciences (R)	27 Aug (17:30-19:00) Writing for Business (R)	28 Aug (15:00-16:30) Writing for Science
Week 6	31 Aug	1 Sep	2 Sep	3 Sep How to Give an Excellent Presentation	4 Sep
Week 7	7 Sep	8 Sep	9 Sep	10 Sep	11 Sep
Week 8	14 Sep	15 Sep	16 Sep	17 Sep	18 Sep
STUVAC (21 – 25 September)					
Week 9	28 Sep	29 Sep Understanding Academic Integrity, AI and Plagiarism (R)	30 Sep How to Write a Literature Review (R)	1 Oct How to Write a Reflective Paper	2 Oct
Week 10	5 Oct	6 Oct	7 Oct	8 Oct	9 Oct
Week 11	12 Oct	13 Oct How to Give an Excellent Presentation (R)	14 Oct	15 Oct	16 Oct
Week 12	19 Oct	20 Oct	21 Oct	22 Oct How to Prepare for your Exams	23 Oct
STUVAC	26 Oct	27 Oct How to Prepare for your Exams (R)	28 Oct	29 Oct	30 Oct

***(R) = repeat session**

Workshop Descriptions (alphabetical order):

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Critical Thinking for Assignment Writing • What it means to think, read and write critically in an academic context • Analysing examples of critical writing • Using your academic voice	**Developing Arguments in your Assignment Writing** • What is an argument in the academic context? • What is a strong and sound argument? • How to evaluate, synthesise and present evidence from your sources	**Faculty Specific Workshops (Business, Health, Human and Social Sciences, IT and Engineering, Law, and Science):** • Learn the basics of academic writing in the context of your faculty • Examples of effective academic writing • How to plan and structure your writing • Addressing the task requirements and marking criteria		
How to Analyse and Plan Your Assignments • How to unpack an assignment question • Understanding the marking criteria • How to plan from start to finish	**How to Give Excellent Presentations** • How to structure a presentation • Effective use of visual aids • Targeting your audience • Use of body language and non-verbal communication	**How to Improve your Sentence Structure** • Strategies for correcting common writing problems, including: ○ Sentence structure ○ Grammatical errors ○ Lack of evidence to support claims	**How to Manage Course Readings** • How to manage your readings • How to read academic texts such as journal articles • How to read efficiently and critically • How to make notes while reading for assignments or exam revision	**How to Prepare for Your Exams** • How to revise and prepare for your exams • Different exam question types and how to answer them • How to plan strategically so you can perform well in exams
How to Study Effectively • A practical session on exploring evidence-based strategies for studying effectively at university • How to deal with procrastination • Learn about useful tools and resources you can use to help with your studies	**How to Write in Academic Style** • Characteristics of academic writing • Understanding lecturers' expectations • Where to find resources to help you with academic writing	**How to Write a Literature Review** • How to review literature in a systematic manner • How to structure a literature review • How to integrate ideas in a literature review	**How to Write a Reflective Paper** • Understand the genre of reflective writing in terms of purpose, language and structure • To learn the essential stages of reflective writing • Become a reflective practitioner in your current studies and future field	**Understanding Academic Integrity, AI and Plagiarism** • What is plagiarism and academic integrity? • Strategies for avoiding plagiarism • Resources for developing academic writing skills

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