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## Fundamentals of Writing Scientific Journal Articles

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The overall objective of this course is to offer practical guidance for writing scientific journal articles to researchers, academics and postgraduate students

### Specific Course Objectives

-  Understand the fundamentals of writing scientific journal articles
-  Explore preparation, planning, writing, submission and publication phases
-  Provide practical guidance for writing different sections of scientific articles
-  Provide guidance for navigating the article submission process
-  Offer tips for dealing with reviewers' comments and article revisions

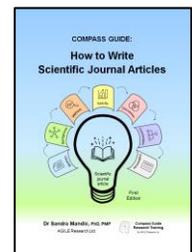
### Target Audience

Researchers, academics  
and Doctoral and Master's students

### Relevant Resource

#### [Compass Guide: How to Write Scientific Journal Articles](#)

Available in English,  
Spanish and Portuguese  
1-month complimentary  
viewing-only access



### Training Delivery Format

4 online sessions of 2 hours each  
delivered in real time

-  Presentations
-  Group discussions
-  Workbook activities
-  Online polls
-  Examples
-  Videos

### Meet the Facilitator:

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## Fundamentals of Writing Scientific Journal Articles

### Course Content

#### Session 1

**Fundamentals of writing scientific journal articles**



Considerations for writing scientific journal articles



Characteristics of high quality scientific journal articles



Overview of preparation and planning phases

#### Session 2

**Practical Guidance: How to Write Various Sections of Scientific Journal Articles**

##### Part 1:



Abstract



Background



Methods



Results

#### Session 3

##### Part 2:



Discussion



Conclusions



References



Writing style



Revisions

#### Session 4

**Navigating the submission and publication process**



Preparing your article for submission



Responding to peer reviewers' feedback



Questions to ask yourself if your article keeps being rejected

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