

Short Course Writing Groups for GSGS

Topic	Two writing groups for GSGS PhD students
Participants	Up to 5 participants per group.
Venue	Online - Zoom
Date & Time	First meeting to set up in October 2023 (Date to be agreed with participants) Second Group to be set up in December 2023 (Date to be agreed with participants)
Aim	Regularly attending writing groups can not only serve as a source of motivation and bolster a writer's confidence but also enhance skills in: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• giving and receiving peer-review feedback• understanding writing as a supportive group activity• strengthening communication skills while refining and rehearsing your argument• exploring diverse perspectives and styles
Content & Format	The writing group will meet virtually 2-3 times (depends on requirements) for 90 minutes. There will be a two week break between every meeting. Between the sessions, the group members will send a text (max. 1,000 words) to all other members of the group (1 st week after first meeting). Each text will be peer-reviewed by one of the other group members, who will provide written feedback (within 3 working days of having received text). Questions resulting from the feedback can be discussed in the next group session. The facilitator will also provide feedback on the texts.