

ENG-613(1)

Scientific Writing (EDCH) (1) (Fall)

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Cursus	Sem.	Type
Chemistry and Chemical Engineering		Opt.

Language of teaching	English
Credits	1
Session	
Exam	Project report
Workload	30h
Hours	24
Lecture	24
Number of positions	10

Frequency

Every year

Remark

Next time Fall 24

Summary

To make researchers aware of good scientific writing To help them structure their articles To point out pitfalls in scientific writing To enable researchers to face their writing with confidence To deal with specific problems in writing research proposals

Content

Comparing different styles in scientific writing

Turning clumsy, wordy writing into clear understandable English

Editing a badly written article

Each participant will write a title, abstract and introduction which will be commented on by all participants and trainer. The emphasis is on structure and readability

The discussion and results section will be dealt in detail with by commenting on published ones.

Day 4 : presentations

Day 5: individual sessions of 30 minutes; participants can bring any writing of their own choice.

Note

325CHF cost - invoiced to lab. Pre-approval by PhD advisor needed by email to edch@epfl.ch

Learning Prerequisites**Important concepts to start the course**

as from 2 year and in the process of writing an article