Introduction to Graduate School Writing

Winter Quarter 2019 – Register for 4 units

Humanities, Arts, & Social Sciences Section: UWP 298-5, CRN 53791
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Writing guidance for in-process academic texts (such as journal articles, literature reviews, and/or grant proposals). Instruction in writing important secondary genres, such as conference proposals; application letters; personal statements; and correspondence with advisors, committee members, and editors. Discussion of particular genres in academic life; the role of these genres in graduate education; and the habits and practices that contribute to successful academic careers.

Courses will balance scholarly practice with ideas to help students become more adept at the kinds of writing they will do in and beyond their graduate careers. Students will also receive guided instruction on revising and editing their own work and providing useful, constructive feedback on their peers’ work.

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