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# Writing Center

Summer Semester 2021  
Workshops



# About us

Dear students,

The focus of the Writing Center is to support you in writing your Bachelor's or Master's theses. We offer workshops and advice – in German as well as English – to rouse interest in writing and improve your ability to write solid and professional academic texts.

In our **Academic Writing Workshops** you will receive useful tips and do practical exercises, so that what you learn can be put into practice right away. The workshops are held by staff who work at the Writing Center, and external writing professionals.

Besides the workshops, we also offer needs-based **Individual Consultations for writing projects** you are working on. Just send us an email ([schreibzentrum@fh-wien.ac.at](mailto:schreibzentrum@fh-wien.ac.at)) to book a session. All services offered by the Writing Center are free for all students of FHWien der WKW. We are looking forward to seeing you at our workshops or for an individual writing consultation.

## YOUR WRITING CENTER TEAM

Registration  
for the Workshops

Please register for the workshops on Moodle:  
♦ [Writing Center Registration for the workshops](#)

— ACADEMIC WRITING WORKSHOPS (held in English) —

## Focus and structure: How to develop a research question

Thursday, 25 February 2021 | 17:30–20:00

e-learning

**Instructor:** Marcela Hubert, BA

Narrowing down your topic and research question specifies the scope and focus of your BA or MA thesis. This will depend on existing research in the field and your own data or material. The aim of this workshop is to work with your own topics and establish how to develop and phrase your research question as well as the objectives and the aim for your thesis. Subsequently, you will get some general tips for next steps to outline and structure your thesis. To get the most out of this workshop, you could prepare by getting an overview of the literature in the field of research for your topic and by thinking about your research interest as well as your access to data or material.

## How to (re-)write a paragraph

Wednesday, 14 April 2021 | 17:30–20:00

e-learning

**Instructor:** Marcela Hubert, BA

An effective paragraph has to be convincing and it has to »flow«. The structure and flow of your main argument plays a key role in achieving this and will be a common theme in this workshop. The first objective is to be aware of the principal patterns to build an argument. By looking at sample texts, we will gather key points that make up an effective paragraph. The second objective is to establish which (multilingual) drafting strategies to use. The final objective is to consider revision strategies for your paragraphs on all three levels (content, structure, style), highlighting formal style and register of Academic English.

# WRITING CENTER

## **We offer (in German and English language)**

- ▶ Individual Writing Consultations (online via zoom)
- ▶ Various Workshops and Events for academic, professional and creative writing

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