



Workshops

Writing clearly & succinctly
Writing research papers
Writing scientific reports
Writing grant proposals
Writing research proposals
Writing an academic thesis
Writing for the public
Writing scientific blogs
Writing in plain English
Writing and delivering a talk
How to be an efficient writer
Project management for writers

Workshop types

Open (0.5 – 2 days)
In-house (tailored) (1 – 3 days)
Lectures (1-2 hours)
Writing retreats (1-3 days)
Online workshops

Who can attend

Postgraduate students
Research scientists
Government researchers
Graduate scientists
Technical Officers
Science professionals
Science communicators
Non-fiction professional writers
(Any level of writing experience)
(All scientific disciplines)

About the presenter

Since 2005, Dr Marina Hurley has specialised in teaching scientific and professional writing through her *Writing Clear Science* training consultancy. Prior to 2005, Marina worked as an ecological scientist for 20 years. Marina is Visiting Fellow at UNSW teaching PhD students. Based in Melbourne, Marina regularly travels across Australia delivering workshops. au.linkedin.com/in/marinahurley/

Do you struggle with the amount of time it takes to write? When writing about science it is easy to drift onto related topics in the researching, planning and writing stages. Dr Marina Hurley shows you to stay on track and be more efficient at each stage of the writing process: 1. researching your topic, 2. planning your document structure, 3. identifying your audience & purpose 4. staying focused when writing and rewriting your early drafts.

Learn how to

- Get your thoughts down quickly and manage your time effectively
- Understand the writing process and the key factors leading to inefficient writing
- Focus and develop your core topic in your first draft
- Manage multiple writing projects and monitor your productivity
- Produce a content-rich first draft of a new document over the course of four weeks

Workshop structure

- Four modules delivered over four weeks, including 4 x live webinar Q&A sessions
- Each module contains 3-4 lessons plus additional training resources
- Complete at your own pace (lifetime* access).

Resources provided

- The *How to be an Efficient Writer* workbook (slides, worksheets & handouts)
- Lifetime* access to online lecture videos.
- All lecture notes, exercises and worksheets are available as downloads
- Bonus private online tutorial group

When is the next workshop?

The next online workshop opens Thursday 7th February 2019 2pm (AEST)

Bookings: <https://www.trybooking.com/YGKV>. Email info@writingclearscience.com.au to receive a detailed course outline or to request further information.

Cost

- \$395 (incl. gst). A special 50% discount is offered in return for joining the feedback program (includes one feedback survey per lesson plus 3 post-workshop surveys)

Testimonials from previous *Writing Clear Science* workshops

- *'An excellent workshop. I gained a lot of valuable information. The course was presented well by an enthusiastic trainer with outstanding knowledge of the topics.'*
- *'Fantastic and useful; I found it helpful to work through the practical exercises'*
- *'Thank you for the brilliant writing course. ...I am looking forward to practicing the writing skills I gained during the workshop.'*

***Lifetime** refers to the life of the *How to be an Efficient Writer* course. If the course is ever closed or restructured, all lecture videos will be made downloadable.