



Academic Writing and  
Presentation Skills

Online Stream

Atlantic Language is a premium English language school based in Galway city on the West coast of Ireland. A market leader in language education in Ireland, Atlantic has received several awards including the prestigious Language Travel Magazine Award for the **Best English Language School Europe 2009**.

## Academic Writing and Presentation Skills

### Course Outline

This course focuses on the development of the writing skills required both to publish and present academic material in internationalised educational institutions. It prioritises the development and refinement of skills required by senior professionals writing and presenting through English. The objectives of the course are to assist Academics who want to publish material while improving language skills and developing strategies for presentations. There is a focus on the participants' written production in English, with tailored workshops and practical language input sessions appropriate to their identified needs and priorities.



### Who is it for?

Scientists, researchers, PhD candidates and other academic staff who wish to improve their academic publication skills and move into higher citation indexing.

### Course Content:

- Setting Objectives
- Improving Structure, Organisation & Cohesion in Academic Writing
- Practical Academic Writing Skills
- Presenting Information & Handling Questions
- Individual Feedback

**Minimum Level of English:** B1 on the CEFR (Intermediate)

**Location of Course:** Online

**Timetable:** Courses run for 5 days (Monday to Friday), consisting of 15 hours of on-line seminars & workshop as well as off-line tasks and assignments  
A sample timetable is included below.

## Funding

Participation on the course can be funded through the use of the following:

- Erasmus+ STT grant from your academic institution.
- KA1 funding from Erasmus 2021

## Pricing

Course Price: **€270**

For efficacy of workshops only a limited number of applications can be admitted on the first apply, first served basis.

Registration Fee: **€30**

## Certification

The organiser, Atlantic Language, will provide required documents including:

- STT invitation
- EUROPASS
- Work Plan (on request)
- Certificate of Participation and Attendance
- CEFR level certificate (on request)

Course Objectives	
Overall Objectives of the Mobility	Participants will improve communicative and written competence in English by completing an intensive course delivered by expert trainers in an EFL context, with tangible development of skills and confidence.
Added Value of the Mobility	The course equips participants to build confidence in their writing abilities so that their work may be published and understood internationally. It will also allow participants to build competence and confidence as speakers when presenting their work.
Activities to be Carried Out	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Input sessions on methodology and language complemented by skills-focused workshops</li><li>• Developing strategies for improving writing skills.</li><li>• Presentation preparation and delivery followed by personalized feedback.</li></ul>
Expected Outcomes and Impact	The course provides a professional development opportunity for participants which provides practice and tangible improvement in skills they will apply when writing in an academic context. The courses are tailored for activities typical in Higher Education institutions and a dissemination activity is inbuilt to allow participants to share their knowledge and skills acquired on the course with colleagues.

## Academic Writing & Presentation Skills Online Sample Timetable

Day 1 – Mon	Day 2 – Tue	Day 3 – Wed	Day 4 – Thu	Day 5 – Fri
09:00 – 12:30 CET	09:00 – 12:30 CET	09:00 – 12:30 CET	09:00 – 12:30 CET	09:00 – 12:30 CET
<b>Setting Objectives: Understanding and Presenting Information</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Orientation &amp; Icebreakers</li> <li>Setting of Learning Outcomes</li> <li>Stylistic conventions in academic writing</li> <li>Practical Academic Writing Skills</li> </ul>	<b>The Introduction</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conventions in research papers – method section</li> <li>Skills Workshop: Informal VS formal register and language</li> <li>Language analysis: caution &amp; hedging in academic writing</li> </ul>	<b>The Body</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Language Workshop: Informing Vs Persuading</li> <li>Skills Practice: Using source texts, developing information</li> <li>Presentation discussion &amp; preparation</li> </ul>	<b>Discussion and Conclusion</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Language Analysis: Data Commentary</li> <li>Language Workshop: Dependent prepositions, cohesive devices, linkers</li> <li>Skills Workshop: Analysing the nature of an argument</li> <li>Supporting your ideas-preparing for questions</li> </ul>	<b>The Beginning and the End-Review</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participant Presentation-presenting your work</li> <li>Peer and Trainer Feedback</li> <li>Assessment of Learning</li> <li>Review of Learning Objectives</li> </ul>
13:30 – 15:00 Individual Writing Feedback sessions	13:30 – 15:00 Individual Writing Feedback sessions	13:30 – 15:00 (flexible) Self-study task/assignment	13:30 – 15:00 (flexible) Self-study task/assignment	

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