

**GeoDays 14.-17.3.2023, Kumpula Campus, Helsinki**  
**– Short Course on Scientific Writing on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> March**



*The content of the short course on scientific writing deals with the overall structure of a research article, its introduction section and “writers block”. The short course includes lectures, a writing exercise and communication between peers. The course is aimed for PhD students but participation of the MSc level students and post-docs are welcome.*

**Overview of the content**

***The structure of your research paper:** What are the chapters in the research paper? How should I organize the content? What is the difference between results and discussion? What are the alternatives to show the results? Why is the discussion always a challenge?*

***Writing an effective introduction:** What are the main aims of my paper and how do they relate to earlier work within the field of study? How can I introduce my paper in an understandable and interesting way? What needs to be told about the implementation?*

***How to get rid of “writer’s block”:** Are you unable to proceed with writing? Why is it challenging to start the writing process? Why to suffer “empty paper” syndrome? Various ways to overcome writer's block will be discussed.*

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The course will be organized for minimum of 8 registered participants.