

# Researcher Development Programme

## Autumn Term – 2024

Accelerator Series (1st Year PGRs)			
Literature Reviews - where to start?	01/10/2024	17.30-19.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Introduction to Project Management	21/10/2024	14.00-15.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Speed Reading	05/11/2024	09.30-11.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Note Taking	05/11/2024	11.30-13.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Supervisor & PGRs - Building Successful Practice	12/11/2024	14.00-15.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Time Management	19/11/2024	13.00-14.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Increase your Productivity	22/11/2024	11.30-13.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Literature Reviews – where to start?	25/11/2024	14.00-15.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Supervisor & PGRs - Building Successful Practice	05/12/2024	10.30-12.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Research Practices and Methodologies			
Research Methods Series			
Qualitative Research 1 – Epistemologies and data collection	30/09/2024	15.30-17.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Quantitative Data Collection and Analysis	07/10/2024	15.00-17.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Qualitative Research 2 – Methodologies and analysis	14/10/2024	13.30-15.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Advanced Quantitative Data Analysis: Regression, Anova and Manova	15/10/2024	17.30-19.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Qualitative Research 1 – Epistemologies and Data Collection (priority to Part-timers)	26/10/2024	10.30-12.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Graphical Representation of Qualitative and Quantitative Data	28/10/2024	14.00-16.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Quantitative Data Collection and Analysis (priority to Part-timers)	29/10/2024	17.30-19.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Qualitative Research 2 – Methodologies and analysis (priority to Part-timers)	09/11/2024	10.30-12.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Meta Analysis Research: a how to guide	11/11/2024	16.00-18.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
How to Write Up Qualitative Research Findings?	19/11/2024	17.30-19.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Mixed-Methods Research Design, Data Collection and Analysis	23/11/2024	10.30-12.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Involving Experts as Contributors to the Research Process	05/12/2024	14.00-16.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Further Research Practices			
Active Listening for Interviewing	14/10/2024	11.30-13.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Qualitative Research Practices: Interviewing and Oral History Methods	16/10/2024	13.00-14.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Fieldwork Abroad: How to plan and what to expect	23/10/2024	13.00-14.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Working in Research Teams	18/11/2024	14.00-15.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
A (beginners) Guide to Data Handling: what is mean, mode, median and range?	26/11/2024	11.30-13.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Qualitative Research Practices: Interviewing and Oral History Methods	27/11/2024	13.00-14.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Reflexivity in Research	02/12/2024	14.00-15.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Writing Support			
Writing Series			
Long Documents: practical tips, structuring your work, signposting	30/09/2024	13.30-15.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Paragraphs: the building blocks of your thesis	04/10/2024	09.30-11.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Academic Writing: what is it and how to prepare for it	07/10/2024	10.00-12.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Writing Sentences: starting strong	11/10/2024	09.30-11.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Finding, Reading, and Quoting Research	14/10/2024	16.00-17.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
How to Respond to Feedback	18/10/2024	09.30-11.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Paragraphs: the building blocks of your thesis	21/10/2024	11.00-12.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Representing other research fairly, organising your reading, filling the gap	25/10/2024	13.30-15.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Academic Writing: what is it and how to prepare for it (priority to Part-timers)	02/11/2024	10.30-12.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Writing and Giving Conference Papers	11/11/2024	18.00-19.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Writing Introductions and Conclusions	16/11/2024	10.30-12.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Writing Proposals and Abstracts	30/11/2024	10.30-12.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Extra Writing Support			
Get your Writing Organised - Stage 1: storyboards	01/10/2024	09.30-11.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Advanced Writing: How to Edit Effectively	18/10/2024	12.00-13.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Advanced Writing: Writing an Article for Publication	23/10/2024	11.00-12.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Get your Writing on Track	04/11/2024	11.30-13.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Get your Writing Organised - Stage 2: signposting & mapping	12/11/2024	09.30-11.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Advanced Writing: Writing an Article for Publication (priority to Part-timers)	25/11/2024	18.00-19.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Making your Thesis Easier to Read for your Examiner	02/12/2024	09.30-11.00	<a href="#">Book</a>

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Writing Tips (45-60min sessions)			
Writing Tips - Punctuation: an overview	07/10/2024	13.00-14.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Writing Tips - Hypotheses: the conditional, the future perfect, the subjunctive	22/10/2024	13.30-14.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Writing Tips - The passive voice: what is it and when should I use it?	28/10/2024	18.00-19.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Writing Tips - Academic Hedging: advantages and pitfalls	04/11/2024	18.00-19.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Writing Tips - Focus on Style: How to be more Detailed	21/11/2024	18.00-19.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Writing Tips - Focus on Style: How to be more Concise	03/12/2024	18.00-19.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
PhD Essentials			
Preparing for your Upgrade	16/10/2024	10.30-12.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Research Planning for your First Year	17/10/2024	11.00-12.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Preparing for your Viva	25/10/2024	11.30-13.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
A Beginners Guide to your PhD – IN PERSON/ON CAMPUS	30/10/2024	10.30-12.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
A Beginners Guide to your PhD	07/11/2024	11.00-12.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Part-time PhD - Part time responsibilities: How to juggle work, life & research	15/11/2024	11.30-13.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Research Planning Part 2 - research aims and objectives	19/11/2024	10.30-12.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Research Impact	26/11/2024	09.30-11.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Research Planning for your First Year	26/11/2024	14.00-15.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Preparing for your Upgrade	28/11/2024	10.30-12.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Preparing for your Viva	02/12/2024	11.30-13.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Communicating Research			
Writing for Social Media	09/10/2024	13.00-14.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Communication Styles: creating positive working relationships	11/10/2024	11.30-13.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Research Poster Design	12/10/2024	10.30-12.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Presenting your Research	12/11/2024	11.30-13.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Design for Academics 1	13/11/2024	13.00-14.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Design for Academics 2	20/11/2024	13.00-14.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Using Storytelling to Communicate your Research	29/11/2024	11.30-13.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Productivity & Wellbeing			
Write More this Week: action planning for the week ahead	30/09/2024	11.30-13.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
7 Steps to PhD Completion	01/10/2024	11.30-13.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
How to Manage Change	08/10/2024	17.30-19.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Get Prepared, Get Organised - starting your PhD	14/10/2024	09.30-11.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Goal Setting	15/10/2024	13.00-14.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
How to Deal with Stress	21/10/2024	16.00-17.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Beating Writer's Block with Creative Writing	22/10/2024	11.00-12.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Dealing with Impostor Syndrome	24/10/2024	12.00-13.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Visualising your Research	30/10/2024	13.00-14.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Emotional Intelligence for Researchers	11/11/2024	14.00-15.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Tackling Perfectionism	14/11/2024	12.00-13.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Get Prepared, Get Organised - starting your PhD	18/11/2024	11.30-13.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
What Resilience Means for Researchers	25/11/2024	16.00-17.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
How to Prevent Burnout During your PhD	04/12/2024	15.00-16.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Career Planning			
How to use SkillsForge for your Professional Development	23/10/2024	15.00-16.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
Finding your Dream Career	30/10/2024	14.30-16.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Preparing for a Job Interview	31/10/2024	13.00-14.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
PhD in a 2 <sup>nd</sup> Language Series			
PhD in a 2nd Language: things to consider	03/10/2024	13.00-14.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
PhD in a 2nd Language: things to consider – IN PERSON/ON CAMPUS	30/10/2024	13.00-14.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
PhD in a 2nd Language: Navigating Communication Challenges in English	06/11/2024	13.00-14.30	<a href="#">Book</a>
PhD in a 2nd Language: Editing and Proofreading	13/11/2024	10.30-12.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
PhD in a 2nd Language: Conferences & Networking	20/11/2024	10.30-12.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
PhD in a 2nd Language: Presenting in Another Language	03/12/2024	12.00-13.30	<a href="#">Book</a>