

Writing Workshops

The Warner School Writing Support Services Summer 2021 Workshops

Workshops will be only offered via Zoom. Please follow this link
<https://rochester.zoom.us/my/warnerwritingsupport>

Critical Reading of Academic Texts

Friday, June 11, 4:15 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

This workshop will focus on how to read academic journal articles and other texts efficiently and rhetorically. Participants will practice deconstructing academic texts by identifying arguments, pinpointing the author's position, evaluating evidence, asking questions, and taking notes. **NOTE:** This is NOT a speed-reading course, but rather the first step to unpacking academic writing.

Constructing an Argument in Academic Writing

Saturday, July 17, 10:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

Making arguments is the core function of many types of academic writing, from reading responses to critical commentaries, proposals, and longer texts such as theses and dissertations. This workshop will discuss how to develop an argument drawing on your ideas and research and other evidence.

How to Schedule and Prepare for an Appointment

1. Go to Writing Support Services scheduling webpage
<https://www.warner.rochester.edu/scheduling/wss>
2. Click on *My Warner* and use your NetID to log in.
3. Once you are logged in to the scheduling system, you can view the calendar to check our consultants' availability and make an appointment.
4. After you make an appointment, you will receive a confirmation email, informing you the place and time to meet your consultant.
5. **At least 24 hours before your appointment**, email a draft of your paper as an attachment to warnerwritingsupport@warner.rochester.edu and/or your consultant's email address. In your email, list two or three aspects of your paper that you would like to focus on during your appointment.

All workshops are free and open to any member of the community. For any accommodation needs, please contact Mary Judge Diegert at (585) 275-2454 or email at mjudge@warner.rochester.edu. Workshops are recorded via Zoom; Please contact the WSS coordinator at warnerwritingsupport@warner.rochester.edu for access to the recording. Free, one-on-one writing consultations are offered in summer. For more information on how to schedule and prepare for an appointment go to: <https://www.warner.rochester.edu/students/academics/writing/>