

## Client Guide for the Nature Research Academies

Publishing is an integral part of the research process. However, it is not enough to simply publish research, it needs to be published in the appropriate journals to reach the right audience and be communicated clearly to have impact. Coupled with increasing competition, researchers need to develop the right skills to be successful in publishing their work. By doing so, researchers will not only increase their chances of publication acceptance, but also their international reputation in the field.

**Title:** *Getting Published: Effectively Communicating Your Research*

### Summary and objectives:

The goal of publishing a study is to ensure that the field understands the significance and impact of the author's research. Doing so will not only help advance the field, but also establish the reputation and influence of the author amongst their peers. These virtual workshops will provide practical insights and strategies to help authors achieve this goal.

These webinars contain numerous interactive elements and activities to stimulate engagement among the participants. A **Participant Guide** will be available for the attendees to download before the first webinar begins, and **recordings** of the webinars will be available for the attendees to review for 30 days after the last webinar has concluded.

### Participant Feedback

We will collect feedback from participants in the form of a survey after the last webinar has ended. The team will collate this feedback into a **wrap-up report**, which will be shared with you within 2 weeks of the virtual workshop.

### Agenda:

#### June 24 (Thursday)

14:00 – 16:00      Effective Academic Writing

#### July 8 (Thursday)

14:00 – 16:00      Logical Manuscript Structure (physics/engineering)

#### August 5 (Thursday)

14:00 – 16:00      Logical Manuscript Structure (social sciences)

## **Technical FAQs for Participants**

During the webinar, a facilitator will provide support to participants who are experiencing technical difficulties. In the lead-up to the webinars, the FAQs below might be useful:

### **Q What equipment do I need to participate in the webinar?**

**A** You will need a desktop computer, laptop or large-screen mobile device and a good headset for audio. The training will be conducted in English.

### **Q What's the best way to view the webinar?**

**A** For the best viewing experience, we recommend accessing the webinars using a desktop computer or laptop. If you are planning to join on your mobile device, please ensure that you download the GoToWebinar app ahead of time.

### **Q Is there anything I need to do before the webinar?**

**A** You should download the workbook and review the activities ahead of time. We encourage you to try and complete them, and then you can revise your answer(s) if necessary, during the webinar. This will help us go through the activities more quickly during the webinar. We also encourage you to review the Participant Guide as well before the webinar begins.

### **Q How do I register for the webinar?**

**A** You will need to register directly for the webinar. You will receive an e-mail ahead of time inviting you to register. Registering will take just a couple of minutes.

### **Q How do I join the webinar on the day?**

**A** Joining is easy and takes just a few seconds. Simply click the link in the email invitation to join the webinar at the specified time and date. You will proceed to the session immediately. Remember that you will need to have registered before the session begins. An excellent step-by-step guide with screenshots can be found at:

<https://support.goto.com/webinar/how-to-join-attendees>

### **Q GoToWebinar won't work on my computer or device...**

**A** For information on system requirements for attending a GoToWebinar session, please visit this page: [www.gotomeeting.com/en-gb/webinar/online-webinar-support](http://www.gotomeeting.com/en-gb/webinar/online-webinar-support)

### **Q I'm not able to register or join the webinar...**

**A** If you have any issues with registration or accessing the webinars, please email [nras.webinars@nature.com](mailto:nras.webinars@nature.com)