

International workshop
18- 20 April 2023, Cagliari (Italy)

PLANNING, WRITING AND PUBLISHING SCIENTIFIC ARTICLES

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Tuesday 18 April 2023

15:00-16:00

Introduction:

Why publish? Ethics in publishing,
How to plan research considering publication
outcomes

16:00-18:00

How to recognize what is important enough to
publish; who is your intended audience, how to
choose a venue that will reach them

Wednesday 19 April 2023

9:00-12:30

Writing the manuscript: how to organize a
manuscript, use of outline, changes in plans,
collaborating with other researchers and with other
authors, integrating other authors' work into the
manuscript

LUNCH

14:30-18:00

English grammar styles, preparing figures, tables.
Supplementary material. Proofreading.
Exercises

Tuesday 20 April 2023

09:00-12:30

Submitting your work and navigating the editorial process: Choosing the right journal, drafting a cover letter

LUNCH

14:20-17:00

What happens to your paper once it has left you - the review process. What to do when it comes back to
you from review

Round table

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The school is primarily intended for PhD students and young researchers. Candidates should bring an idea or a draft of a manuscript they are planning, or already started to write, to work on during the workshop.

THEME

The workshop is intended to provide fundamental tools for successful production of a written product for submission to a peer-reviewed scientific journal, maximizing results, avoiding common errors and developing a coherent workflow from research to publication. It will combine informal lectures with practical exercises.

REGISTRATION

The workshop is free of charge, but participants should cover their travel and accommodation expenses. Two lunches and coffee breaks will be provided. The number of participants is limited to 20 on a first come-first serve basis. The wannabee participants should send their application- including info on research interests to Laura Pioli (laura.pioli@unica.it) by April 5.

VENUE

The workshop will be held in Cagliari (Sardinia, Italy), in the Cittadella Universitaria di Monserrato. Cagliari is connected with Italy and Europe's major cities with direct daily flights to the city airport, which is located at a few minutes train ride from the city centre.

THE TEACHERS

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