

Course description

Course abbreviation:	KFR/MAW	Page:	1 / 4
Course name:	Academic Writing		
Academic Year:	2024/2025	Printed:	31.05.2024 02:12

Department/Unit /	KFR / MAW			Academic Year	2024/2025
Title	Academic Writing			Type of completion	Course-credit
Accredited/Credits	Yes, 6 Cred.			Type of completion	Combined
Number of hours	Seminar 2 [HRS/WEEK]				
Occ/max	Status A	Status B	Status C	Course credit prior to	NO
Summer semester	0 / -	0 / -	0 / -	Counted into average	NO
Winter semester	0 / 20	0 / 0	0 / 20	Min. (B+C) students	not determined
Timetable	Yes			Repeated registration	NO
Language of instruction	English			Semester taught	Winter semester
Optional course	Yes			Internship duration	0
Evaluation scale	S\N				
No. of hours of on-premise	0				
Auto acc. of credit	No				
Periodicity	K				
Substituted course	None				
Preclusive courses	N/A				
Prerequisite courses	N/A				
Informally recommended courses	N/A				
Courses depending on this Course	N/A				

Course objectives:

The aim of this course is to train students to read and write clearly, to learn how to philosophize in ways suitable to the various forms of writing that are prevalent in contemporary academia, and to practice making one's thinking and one's lines of argumentation clear as possible in one's writing. Thus, this course has both the practical aim of preparing students for a life within the academia, as well as fostering a fruitful philosophical reflection about the relation between form and style and the nature of argumentation in general.

The course will be examined continuously with writing assignments, an oral presentation, plus one academic essay at the end of the course.

Requirements on student

Content

Schedule

1. September 22 Introduction: Localizing the Philosophical Drama
2. September 29 The Academic Article and the Role and Nature of Argumentation
3. October 6 How to Read
4. October 13 Various forms of Philosophical Discourse (Dialogues, Dramas, Theses)
5. October 20 Source Documentation (referencing systems, quoting practices, etc.) & Academic Sources (books, journals, electronic databases)

6.	October 27	How to Write an Academic Essay
7.	November 3	How to Write an Abstract
8.	November 10	What is "Peer Review"?
9.	November 24	Power Point Presentations
10.	December 1	Master's Thesis Topics and Literature Search
11.	December 8	How to Write a Research Proposal
12.	December 15	Presentations of Master's Thesis projects

Literature:

Bailey, Stephen. Academic Writing: A Handbook for International Students. 3 edition. London; New York: Routledge, 2011.

Carver, Raymond. Call If You Need Me: The Uncollected Fiction & Prose. Edited by William L. Stull. London: The Harvill Press, 2000. (Excerpts from.)

Collingwood, R. G. An Essay on Philosophical Method. Edited by James Connelly and Giuseppina D'Oro. New Edition. Oxford: Clarendon Press, 2005. (Excerpts from.)

Montaigne, Michel de. The Complete Works of Michel de Montaigne: Illustrated. Translated by Charles Cotton, n.d. (Excerpts from.)

Plato. Plato: Complete Works. Edited by John M. Cooper and D. S. Hutchinson. Indianapolis, Ind: Hackett Publishing Co., 1997. (Excerpts from.)

Sinnott-Armstrong, Walter. "Begging the Question." Australasian Journal of Philosophy 77, no. 2 (June 1, 1999): 174-91. doi: 10.1080/00048409912348921.

Waters, Lindsay. Enemies of Promise: Publishing, Perishing, and the Eclipse of Scholarship. 1 edition. Chicago: Prickly Paradigm Press, 2004.

Above this, we will also read, and analyze, a selection of academic papers.

Prerequisites - other information about course preconditions

Competences acquired

Fields of study

Guarantors and lecturers

- **Guarantors:** doc. Anders Niklas Forsberg, Ph.D.
- **Seminar lecturer:** doc. Anders Niklas Forsberg, Ph.D. (100%)

Literature

Teaching methods

Assessment methods

Course is included in study programmes:

Study Programme	Type of	Form of	Branch	Stage	St. plan v.	Year	Block	Status	R.year	R.
Ethics and Political Philosophy	Follow-up study	Full-time	Ethics and Political Philosophy	1	2022	2024	Compulsory Courses	A	1	ZS

Study Programme	Type of	Form of	Branch	Stage	St. plan	v. Year	Block	Status	R.year	R.
Ethics and Political Philosophy	Follow-up study	Full-time	Ethics and Political Philosophy	1	2023	2024	Compulsory Courses	A	1	ZS
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English Language Teacher Education	Follow-up study	Full-time	English for Education	1	2024	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
English Language Teacher Education	Follow-up study	Full-time	English for Education	1	2020	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
English Language Teacher Education	Follow-up study	Full-time	English for Education	1	2023	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
English Language Teacher Education	Follow-up study	Full-time	English for Education	1	2022	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
English Language Teacher Education	Follow-up study	Full-time	English for Education	1	2021	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
English Philology	Follow-up study	Full-time	English Philology	1	2023	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
English Philology	Follow-up study	Full-time	English Philology	1	2021	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
English Philology	Follow-up study	Full-time	English Philology	1	2022	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
English Philology	Follow-up study	Full-time	English Philology	1	2020	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
English Philology	Follow-up study	Full-time	English Philology	1	2024	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
Ethics and Political Philosophy	Follow-up study	Full-time	Ethics and Political Philosophy	1	2023	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
Ethics and Political Philosophy	Follow-up study	Full-time	Ethics and Political Philosophy	1	2024	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
Ethics and Political Philosophy	Follow-up study	Full-time	Ethics and Political Philosophy	1	2022	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
Historical Sciences	Follow-up study	Full-time	Cultural History	1	2013	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
Historical Sciences	Follow-up study	Full-time	Cultural History	1	2013	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Gendery History	1	2022	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Gendery History	1	2024	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Gendery History	1	2021	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Gendery History	1	2023	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Historie - Dějiny literární kultury	1	2024	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Historie - Dějiny literární kultury	1	2021	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Historie - Dějiny literární kultury	1	2022	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Historie - Dějiny literární kultury	1	2023	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Historie - Kulturně historická studia	1	2024	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Historie - Kulturně historická studia	1	2023	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
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History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Historie - Kulturně historická studia	1	2021	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS

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History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Historie - Kulturně historická studia slovanských zemí	1	2024	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
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History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Historie - Péče o kulturní dědictví	1	2023	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Historie - Péče o kulturní dědictví	1	2024	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Historie - Soudobé dějiny	1	2022	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Historie - Soudobé dějiny	1	2024	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
History	Follow-up study	Full-time	Historie - Soudobé dějiny	1	2023	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
Philosophy	Follow-up study	Full-time	Philosophy	1	2021	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
Philosophy	Follow-up study	Full-time	Philosophy	1	2022	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
Philosophy	Follow-up study	Full-time	Philosophy	1	2023	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
Philosophy	Follow-up study	Full-time	Philosophy	1	2024	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
Resocialization Pedagogy	Follow-up study	Full-time	Resocialization Pedagogy	1	2023	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
Resocialization Pedagogy	Follow-up study	Full-time	Resocialization Pedagogy	1	2024	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
Resocialization Pedagogy	Follow-up study	Full-time	Resocialization Pedagogy	1	2020	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
Resocialization Pedagogy	Follow-up study	Full-time	Resocialization Pedagogy	1	2021	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
Resocialization Pedagogy	Follow-up study	Full-time	Resocialization Pedagogy	1	2022	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
Social and cultural anthropology	Follow-up study	Full-time	Social and cultural anthropology	1	2023	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
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Social and cultural anthropology	Follow-up study	Full-time	Social and cultural anthropology	1	2021	2024	Optional Courses	C		ZS
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