

Course on
**Methodology of Writing
High-Quality Scientific
Papers**
for professors, researchers,
postgraduates & students

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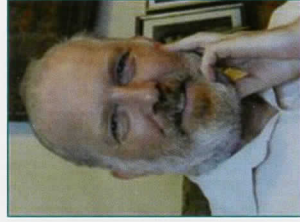
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The course aims to provide information on a range of skills that are essential to develop a career in scientific research. The course is independent of any academic subject, focusing more on the philosophy needed to make a successful career in research, whatever the subject.

A career in science is largely built on the (perceived) quality of publications that a researcher (or a team of researchers) offers his or her colleagues. If these publications are numerous and of high quality, they lead to research funding and employment.

Course outcomes:

- Understand what the objective of research should be
- Understand principles of good experimental design
- Understand the importance of considering all the factors
- Understand the importance of thinking before doing
- Learn how to reduce sources of error
- Appreciate the importance of data quality control
- Recognise when you have good quality science
- Understand that papers must have international interest
- Understand the requirements for different types of papers
- Learn how to follow the journal instructions
- Learn how to present information and results logically
- Learn how to improve the text



Lecturer - Prof. Dr Steve Quarrie

Prof. Dr Steve Quarrie has been a research scientist for nearly 50 years. For much of his UK-based research career he managed multi-partner international consortia of researchers, and has published his research in many of the leading journals in the plant sciences.

He teaches general research skills to PhD students at the Faculty of Biology, Belgrade University, including modules on good quality research and scientific writing, and for many years has given training courses to researchers around Europe on aspects of general research skills. In 2015 he gave training courses on these topics to PhD students and young researchers in Spain, Slovenia and Montenegro, as well as Serbia.

He has also been a visiting Professor at the Schools of Biology and Agriculture, Food and Rural Development, and the Business School, Newcastle University, UK.

His papers have been cited more than 2.000 times.



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