# Writing and Presenting Scientific Papers - EAAP/CUP Workshop

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#### Meeting venue

Sunday 28 August 2016 at Stranmillis University College, Stranmillis Rd, Belfast, BT9 5DY www.stran.ac.uk Accommodation is available at Stranmillis for the whole EAAP 2016 conference if you book via the EAAP2016 website. http://www.eaap2016.org/travel-accommodation/

## Sunday 28 August 2016

**08.00 – 08.15** Check-in for the workshop and receive name badge (at entrance of the workshop room).

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08.15 - 18.30 Workshop (for programme, see below)

### **About the Workshop**

Communicating science is as important to the scientific process as designing, conducting and analysing the experiment itself. The workshop focuses on essential techniques for effective writing and presentation of scientific information: reviewing sections of a paper, improving a table and figure, practicing an oral presentation, and reviewing posters. The workshop is in the format of active learning – each session consists of an informative PowerPoint presentation followed by a practical group task.

### **Workshop Materials**

Handout material will include notes from the PowerPoint presentations and the practicals. The book for the workshop is Writing and Presenting Scientific Papers by Birgitta Malmfors, Phil Garnsworthy and Michael Grossman, 2nd ed., Nottingham University Press (2004).

To register for the full-day workshop, please complete the relevant section on the EAAP registration form. Note that there is an additional fee of £80 to attend the workshop.

### **Programme**

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08.15 Introduction

Programme and participants

Importance of science communication

09.00 Techniques for scientific writing:

Sections of a scientific paper Criteria for effective writing

Coffee/Tea/Juice/Fruit break

Group activity: Improving title & abstract

11.00 Techniques for scientific writing

Designing tables and figures

Group activity: Improving tables and figures

12.30 *Lunch* 

13.30 Oral presentation and visual displays

Group activity: Prepare and deliver an oral presentation

Coffee/Tea/Juice/Fruit break

16.45 Poster presentations

Group activity: Review posters

17.40 Ethics in scientific publication

18.00 - 18.30 General discussion & Workshop evaluation

Please send email queries relating to this workshop to info@eaap.org



