

SENIOR THESIS WORKSHOPS WINTER 2013

Writing and Research

All workshops take place at **4:10** in **Coram 230**
(except where noted).

WRITING THE HONORS THESIS **TH 1/17**

Strategies for structuring your writing and techniques to keep your project on track.

In Peer Writing and Speaking Center, Ladd

WRITING AN ABSTRACT **TUE 1/22**

Polish your abstract for the honors deadline, and follow up during drop-in sessions.

Look for times and locations for drop-in feedback.

WRITING THE LITERATURE REVIEW **TH 1/24** **WED 2/6**

What should you include? How should you organize the material?

MAPPING THE MESS: MID-THESIS CHECK-IN **MON 2/11**

What remains to be done? Compare notes on your progress and make sense of your draft.

WRITING MT. DAVID ABSTRACTS **TUE 2/12**

Presenting on your thesis at Mt. David? Get advice on your abstract.

PLANNING THE ENDGAME: REVISING **TH 3/7**

Read your thesis with fresh eyes as you make final editing decisions.

Presenting Your Work

All workshops take place at **4:10** in **Coram 230**.

FROM PAPER TO PRESENTATION **WED 3/20** **TH 3/21**

Choose the most important information when presenting your thesis work at Mt. David.

DEFENDING YOUR THESIS **WED 3/27** **TH 4/4** **MON 4/8**

How can you prepare for the oral exam? Get advice on how to answer confidently.

Thesis Café

FRIDAY MORNINGS
9:00 to NOON
WRITING & SPEAKING CENTER

Have coffee, tea, chai, and pastries while you take dedicated thesis time in a quiet space.

Writing specialists are available for consultation.

Tech Tips

All workshops take place at **7:00 p.m.** in **Ladd 148**.

USING STYLES IN WORD **WED 2/13**

Styles save you time and make your document look good and consistent throughout.

SECTIONS AND PAGE NUMBERING **WED 2/27**

Divide a document into any number of sections or chapters and format each section independently.

CREATING A TABLE OF CONTENTS **WED 3/13**

Learn how simple it can be to instantly create a Table of Contents and keep it updated as your document changes.

Thesis SWAT Team

THURSDAY, 3/14
TUESDAY 3/19
6:00 to 10:00 p.m.
WRITING & SPEAKING CENTER

Get answers to reference, writing, and tech questions

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