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Writing for Publication Workshop



09h00 – 16h00



13 – 14 April 2026



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WORKSHOP OVERVIEW

Whether you're just starting your research or you are about to complete your thesis, this workshop equips you with the essential skills and strategies to transform your work into publishable articles. We'll explore effective writing techniques, demystify the peer-review process, and provide insider tips for targeting reputable journals. Facilitated by senior academics, this workshop is your roadmap to navigating the complex world of academic publishing. From crafting impactful manuscripts to understanding journal submission processes, we'll cover every step of the journey towards publication success.

FACILITATOR: PROFESSOR SARASVATHIE REDDY

She is an Associate Professor in the discipline of Higher Education Studies and serves as the Academic Leader of the Education and Development Studies Cluster at the School of Education, University of KwaZulu-Natal.

Her academic work is centred on diversity in higher education, curriculum development and design, doctoral education, academic staff and student development, assessment of learning among other themes within the higher education context. Professor Reddy has successfully supervised 12 Master's and 12 PhD students to graduation and has authored over 35 peer-reviewed publications in the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning. She is also the Managing Editor of the Transformation in Higher Education journal. In recognition of her outstanding contributions to teaching, Professor Reddy received both the UKZN College of Humanities Teaching Excellence Award and the School of Education Teaching Excellence Award in 2019. In addition to her academic achievements, she is an Advanced Life Support Paramedic and was honoured with the National EMRS Lifetime Achievement Award in 2023. Outside of her professional life, Professor Reddy is an accomplished ultra-distance athlete, having completed 11 Comrades Marathons, 14 Two Oceans Marathons, and over 100 other local and national marathons. Her passion for adventure extends to mountaineering, where she has successfully summited Mount Kilimanjaro (5,900m), Mount Mera (6,400m), and reached the base camp of Mount Everest (5,900m).