



UNIVERSITÀ  
DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

## SYLLABUS DEL CORSO

### Writing for Social Scientists

2324-103R-WSS

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#### Title

Writing for Social Scientists

#### Teacher(s)

Sonia Stefanizzi  
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#### Language

English

#### Short description

The purpose of this course is to instruct students on how to turn their research ideas into high quality research products, including dissertation prospectuses, conference presentations, and journal articles. The course discusses best practices for framing research questions, problem statements, and research results to specific types of audience; preparing good abstracts for conference papers; writing the dissertation prospectus; dealing with the double-blind review process of academic journals; and making effective presentations to fellow professionals at conferences. At the end of the course, students should be able to present their research questions and results, in

writing and orally, to a scholarly audience; condense their ideas into short, meaningful descriptions; develop a focused project; develop confidence and skill as a presenter. The course will also facilitate thinking that is logical, reading that is critical, and writing that is clear, simple and engaging.

### **CFU / Hours**

2 CFU/16 hours

### **Teaching period**

February/March

### **Sustainable Development Goals**

QUALITY EDUCATION

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