



UNIVERSITÀ  
DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

## SYLLABUS DEL CORSO

### Comunicazione Scientifica in Medicina

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#### Aims

Effectively communicate with your intended reader  
Prepare texts more efficiently than previously  
Review documents constructively  
Compile & use checklists to facilitate both text preparation & review  
Ensure that high quality documents are produced

#### Contents

The course will provide a basic knowledge on  
Substantive & technical aspects of medical writing & editing  
Brief review of key punctuation points affecting meaning & readability  
Structuring texts, considering logic & text flow  
Improving readability  
More on improving readability & avoiding distractions for your reader  
Document review & working within a team  
Tips & tools to improve the medical writing & reviewing process, including proofreading

#### Detailed program

Scientific publication is only the “tip of the iceberg” of a clinical study, yet it represents the only valid tool to spread, with charisma, the results of the study at an international level. It is essential for professionals in the field of clinical research to know the basic structure of a scientific publication, to be able to read it critically and to know how to evaluate the methodology, in order to be able to appreciate its validity.

The main objective of the course is to provide an overview of the methods of evaluating the methodological quality of scientific publications and to understand the basic structure of a scientific publication for an original clinical study.

### **Prerequisites**

Be enrolled in the 4th year of the Medicine and Surgery course or subsequent years

### **Teaching form**

Interactive lectures and practical exercises. 2 lectures of 2 hours and 2 interactive exercises of 2 hours.

### **Textbook and teaching resource**

N/A

### **Semester**

First semester

### **Assessment method**

Attendance to at least 70% of lessons

### **Office hours**

Request an appointment by email  
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### **Sustainable Development Goals**

GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING | QUALITY EDUCATION | GENDER EQUALITY | REDUCED INEQUALITIES

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