ACADEMIC WRITING

Master in English and American Language, Literature and History
Faculty of Liberal Arts

Course information

Master year 1	24 HOURS
Spring Semester	5 ECTS

Seminars (S)
Professor: Gérard Mélis (PhD. University Paris Diderot, France)

Course description

This course aims at providing students with specific skills for academic essay writing in the field of social sciences. It focuses on formal characteristics (punctuation, paragraph structure, bibliography, linking terms…). It also focuses on summing up, synthetizing, paraphrasing, note-taking and composing essays (deciding on a subject, problematization, argumentation, introduction, development, conclusion) and critical evaluation of texts. The course will also deal with grammatical and syntactic constructions.

Course validation: continuous assessment and/or tests about writing texts and grammatical structures.