

PROGRAM – EAHL STRATEGIC WRITING SCHOOL

I – Description

- One or two guests will be introduced by a member of the EAHL Young Scholars Interest Group and will present on the topic of the day (30-40 mins);
- The questions by the audience will be gathered during the presentation of the speaker and will be addressed during the Q&A session;
- The speaker are invited to share their PowerPoint presentation;
- The Q&A session will last approximately 20 mins.

II – Topics

General disclaimer: Some of the following topics might differ from university to university and among journals. However, we believe that it is possible to provide general information applicable to almost any situation and that would be extremely useful and beneficial for every young scholar. Indeed, further specifications may be added during the Q&A session, if needed.

III - Program

title	points of discussion	speaker	date
<u>1. Designing the research pathway</u>	<p>Introductory session, about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• types of research proposals• selecting the topic• structuring a proposal;• getting funding for the research;• amending project and its objectives;• from PhD projects to Postdoc proposal;• Q&A.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dr Patrick Allo, researcher KU Leuven	29 January, 13.30 (CET)
<u>2. Writing an article – Structure and Style</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Articles/blogs/chapters<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Differences in style and structure;○ How much can it be personalized;○ Differences in academic value;○ How to choose (based on topic, structure, experience);• Importance of the literature review;• Shaping the identity of the scholar through publications.• Q&A.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Prof. dr Tamara Hervey, City, University of London	20 February, 13.30 (CET)

3. Writing an article - Choosing where to publish

- The importance of publishing in different geographical areas (US/UK/EU/)
 - Differences in requirements and in style;
- Publishing in health law
 - journals active in health law-related topics;
 - How to choose the right journal;
- Writing a cover letter for my article.
- Q&A.

- **Prof. dr Tom Goffin**, Ghent University, Managing Editor at European Journal of Health Law 12 March, 13.30h (CET)

4. Writing an article - Ready to publish?

- Dealing with co-authors;
- Dealing with the review
 - how to answer reviewers;
 - what does it mean to double-peer reviewed;
 - adjusting the article to the reviews;
- Ethics and integrity of research
 - Plagiarism;
 - Self-plagiarism;
 - Use of chat GPT.
- Q&A.

- **Prof. dr Kris Dierickx**, Faculty of Medicine, KU Leuven 11 April 13.30h (CET)

5. Surviving your thesis writing - Tips and Q&A

- Ensuring the good quality of the thesis;
- (Ideal) timeline for writing the thesis;
- Tips for when the deadline approaches;
- How to write a book proposal
 - Transforming the thesis into a book;
 - Structuring the proposal;
 - How to choose a publisher;
 - What to prepare and send to the chosen publisher.
- Q &A.

- **Prof. dr Pin Lean Lau**, Brunel University 7 May 13.30h (CET)
- **dr Inesa Fausch**, Legal researcher at University of Basel