

Indian Sociological Society

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Writing and Communication

Inviting applications from MA/MPhil/Early PhD students from Humanities and Social Sciences for a

Research Writing Course (Online)



6, 13, 20, 27 September 2024 (Every Friday)







Registration link: https://forms.gle/K9TnE15Cm9Vgg5Vs5

Course structure (in order of progression):

- 1. Critical Reading: Focusing on how to read for gaps in literature and connect the readings with their research.
- 2. Ethics and Writing: Covering basics of plagiarism, citation, and positionality in writing and research.
- 3. Academic Writing: Introduction to reasoning, organising arguments and developing a structure for research papers.
- 4. Writing for Publication: Identifying journals, preparing a journal article and responding to peer review.

Open to 30 applicants only (on first come first serve basis)

Certificates will be provided to the participants

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INSTRUCTOR BIOS



Vrinda Chopra (Senior Writing Fellow, CWC)

Vrinda is an interdisciplinary scholar working in economic geography and sociology. She has a Ph.D. in Human Geography from the University of Cape Town, an MPhil in Development Studies from the University of Cambridge and an MSc in Social Psychology from the London School of Economics (LSE). Vrinda's current research focuses on social change in the postcolonial economies of India and South Africa. She also works on research ethics, positionality and decolonial thought & praxis. She teaches courses and workshops on academic and research writing, research methodology, ethnography, sustainable development and human geography. Her work has been published in Economic Geography at Clark University, The Sociological Review, Doing Sociology and Africa@LSE among others.



Himani Bajaj (Senior Writing Tutor, CWC)

Himani holds a PhD in Women's and Gender Studies and MPhil in Development Practice from Dr B R Ambedkar University Delhi. Her doctoral research explores questions of sexual autonomy, healthcare, choice and contraceptive technologies in the broader context of intimate heterosexual relationships in contemporary India. Her areas of interest include politics of gender, health and women's development, social life of sexual and reproductive technologies and feminist research methodologies. She is keen to develop innovative techniques and methods to teach writing through interactive and dialogic pedagogy.