

WRITE SITE NEWSLETTER

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Winter 2025



Work with a Writing Specialist

Have a quick question about writing?

- [email us](#)
- [book a 15-minute appointment.](#)

Have a draft of a paper?

- submit to the [dropbox](#) for written feedback.

Need help planning / outlining?

- [Email](#) to request a **30-minute** appointment.

Please **do not** book an appointment and submit to the dropbox at the same time.

With support from the Write Site's writing specialists, you can learn about and improve on your writing goals.

At the Write Site, we support and encourage writers to develop confidence and skill in academic communications

WEBINARS

February 4: Citation Management with Zotero

We'll compare 3 options: Zotero, Mendeley, and Endnote, and provide a demo of Zotero.

Tuesday, February 4, 2025

1-2pm Mountain

[Register here](#)

[Resources](#)

February 11: Research Data Management

You will learn about the research data lifecycle to manage your data as well as data sharing and deposit.

Tuesday, February 11, 2025

1-2pm Mountain

[Register here](#)

[Resources](#)

[Recording](#)

February 18: Intro to Lit Reviews

This webinar will clarify what a literature review is and teach students how to research and prepare. Student writers will walk away from this webinar with an array of patterns and strategies for approaching every aspect of writing the literature review.

Tuesday, February 18, 2025

1-2pm Mountain

[Register here](#)

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February 25: How to APA 7

Students will learn how to format a title page, an abstract, and headings in their APA style papers; document a variety of source types correctly through in-text citations and references; and paraphrase with accuracy and ease

Tuesday, February 25, 2025

12:30-2:00pm Mountain

[Register here](#)

[Recording](#)

NEWS

WRITING FORUM

The Write Site's writing forum provides a space for you to ask questions and share experiences about writing in a Microsoft Teams meeting. Find out more [here](#)

SCHEDULE:

Feb 12, 2025
12-1 pm
MT

Brainstorming, outlining
and thesis statements

Register [here](#)

Mar 12, 2025
12-1 pm
MT

Citations and references

Register [here](#)

Apr 9, 2025
12-1 pm
MT

Microsoft Word tips
and formatting your paper

Register [here](#)

RESOURCES



[Advantages to being
a mature student](#)



[Paraphrase with confidence](#)



[Citing course materials
in APA 7](#)

WRITING RETREATS (For MAIS, MEd & EdD)

Join academic writing expert Emily Cargan to help you tackle a lengthy writing project. All **MAIS, MEd, and EdD** students are welcome to participate while working on a thesis, dissertation, or capstone project.

- [February 15](#)
- [March 15](#)
- [April 12](#)

1:00-3:30 MT

[Click on the date to register](#)

UPCOMING AWARD DEADLINES

[AUGSA Bursaries: Feb 15](#)

Athabasca University's Graduate Students' Association has a number of bursaries available:

- **Accessibility Needs**
- **Childcare & Family Care**
- **Emergency**
- **Travel...and more!**

[Cathy Bray Essay Award: March 1](#)

Recipients of the Cathy Bray Essay Award receive a cash award of \$500 and a letter of recognition.

Learn more [here](#)

[AUGSA Awards: Mar 15](#)

There are a number of AUGSA awards available to graduate students including:

- **Award for Learners over 50**
- **Graduate Citizenship**
- **Leadership Award for Women**
- **Outstanding Distinction**