

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN!



You are currently a student (BA., MA., PhD.) and you want to strengthen your academic writing skills and your intercultural competencies while becoming a globally engaged citizen in critical thinking?

The Department of 'Intercultural Interaction' of the University of Göttingen in collaboration with the Centre for Academic Writing and Communication at the University of Tartu and the Ghent University Writing Mentor Programme present the teaching and learning project:

Implementing virtual exchange at the University of Göttingen: Scenarios around Academic Writing in intercultural teams

In this intercultural virtual exchange project with participants from three different universities and study programmes, you can strengthen your academic writing skills and your intercultural competence by working collaboratively on one of the [ENLIGHT](#) challenges. In small intercultural working groups, you can bring to the project the perspective of the discipline you study and enable a broad interdisciplinary discussion.

As a group, you will work together and get the assignment to write an academic text genre of your choice. In the meantime, you will take part in virtual workshops on various topics, such as academic writing, intercultural teamwork, and text feedback.

The project offers you the opportunity to engage in an intercultural learning experience, to be active in your own research project, to write collaboratively for publication, and to gain authentic readers. By participating in the project and submitting a portfolio you can earn **4 ECTS Credits** in the key competencies. Apply now by sending an e-mail with a short description of yourself and your motivation for participating in this project at: leftkothea.sinjari@uni-goettingen.de.

Project duration: 26.10.2022 - 11.01.2023

Application deadline: 19.10.2022

Project schedule

26.10.2022 4 pm - 6 pm ¹	Kick-off workshop²: ENLIGHT-Project presentation, cross-cultural get together & team-building. Academic text genres.
2.11.2022 4 pm - 6 pm	The writing process: Analysing the own academic writing process. Finding, narrowing and formulating a research topic.
9.11.2022 4 pm - 6 pm	AI-Tools for writing and revising: Using AI-based tools for writing and revising. Quoting, paraphrasing and incorporating your ideas into your own academic text. Avoiding plagiarism.
23.11.2022 4 pm - 6 pm	Text feedback: Tips on giving and receiving constructive text feedback in intercultural working teams. Peer-feedback sessions.
30.11.2022 4 pm - 6 pm	Managing collaborative writing: Tips and steps on how to manage collaborative writing.
7.12.2022 4 pm - 6 pm	Writing and Multilinguals: Reflecting the individual writing background, the writing process and the intercultural learning experience.
14.12.2022 4 pm - 6 pm	Collaborative writing session: Session dedicated to collaborative writing and teamwork.
11.01.2023 4 pm - 6 pm	Presentation of the results: Presentation of the results. Evaluation of the project.

¹ Germany time zone. Central European Time (GMT+2).

² Self-scheduled teamwork and writing consultations in between the listed workshop sessions.