

## FURTHER EDUCATION | WORKSHOP

# Argumentation in Academic Writing for social scientists

- Instructor:** Dr. Felicitas Meifert-Menhard
- Date & Time:** Monday, June 21, 2021 09:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. (s.t.)  
Follow-up individual consulting will be offered.
- Place:** Virtual Workshop via Zoom  
(details to be announced to course participants in due time)
- Registration:** To register, please send an email to [weiterbildung@lifbi.de](mailto:weiterbildung@lifbi.de) by May 27, 2021.  
The number of participants is limited to 12.

### Preparation – Participants scientific text

Participants are asked to submit a writing sample of up to 2,500 words at the time of registration, but no later than May 27, 2021. Ideally, the writing samples will be scientific texts that participants will then work with in the Workshop.

### Short Outline

A compact half-day workshop on developing and presenting arguments in academic writing for social scientists. Special focus will be laid on drafting and refining an argumentative thesis, creating convincing transitions between text sections and building sound overall argumentative structures in academic writing. The workshop will be held online and includes both instructor input and individual as well as small-group work with exercises and the possibility to work on individual drafts.

### Prerequisites and target group

Participants are strongly encouraged to bring a sample of their writing (max. 2500 words), however unfinished it may be, for in-class work and training. The workshop is mainly aimed at members of BAGSS and LifBi who write and publish academic texts.

### About the Trainer

Dr. Felicitas Meifert-Menhard is a post-doc researcher and scholar in the field of English studies. Currently working at Neu-Ulm University of Applied Sciences, she is also a freelance academic trainer and editor, specializing in the areas of academic writing, research, communication, and presentation. More information: [www.wortvermoegen.de](http://www.wortvermoegen.de).