

# Proposal Writing, Professional Presentations and Publications

## Research seminar given by Dave A. Louis, Ph.D., TTU, USA

The research seminar will assist doctoral candidates in the preparation of their dissertation research proposal as well as prepare them with the skills and knowledge of the elements to translate their research to professional publications and presentations. Participants will explore issues surrounding proposal structure, meaning and purpose of the proposal, understanding a professional and scientific audience, preparing research for publication, and preparing research for professional presentations. The course is also designed for the doctoral student to critically think about their role as a researcher and develop strategies to enhance their presentation, mentoring of others and pedagogy.

## Participants' Learning Outcomes

Students who complete this course will:

- Articulate the various aspects of their research topic for their dissertation.
- Understand the value of their research topic to the greater engineering field
- Articulate, present (orally and through methods such as PowerPoint) and describe in a professional manner all the aspects, chapters and elements of their dissertation research topic.
- Garner an understanding of the academic publication process.
- Address issues pertain to developing research journal material for submission to academic journals
- Develop and engage in the skills of analysis, synthesis, and oral and written communication.

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## Timetable

Tuesday, May 22	09:00 - 13:00
Wednesday, May 23	13:00 - 17:00
Friday, May 25	09:00 - 13:00
Monday, May 28	13:00 - 17:00
Wednesday, May 30	13:00 - 17:00
Friday, June 1	09:00 - 13:00

## Organizational Hints

The course is open for the doctoral candidates of LogDynamics from all included faculties. The full syllabus will be provided on demand. Registration by sending an email to [courses@IGS.LogDynamics.de](mailto:courses@IGS.LogDynamics.de)

**Deadline: 16.05.2018**



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"I have learned a number of new things, which I have known for very long but never thought of using in a correct way. This course made me a better writer."

"I particularly liked learning about the tools for managing time in a better way. That was helpful not only for my PhD research but also for my daily life."



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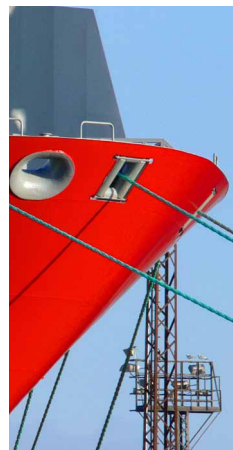
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