Symposium Session Descriptions

Critical Skimming and Reading
Facilitators: Greta Bell & Maritere Lopez
9:30 am – 10:30 am

Not sure your reading speed and critical approach are strong enough for graduate school? Finding yourself overwhelmed by the reading load and falling behind? This workshop can help! In it you will learn some of the critical reading strategies and best practices successful graduate students employ to manage their load, organize their learning, and scaffold their research.

*Zoom option available*

Library Research Database Overview
Facilitator: Monica Pereira
10:40 am – 11:40 am

Efficient and effective search strategies will be demonstrated. An overview of the Library’s services, including Interlibrary loan will be highlighted.

EndNote Web
Facilitator: Monica Pereira
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm

Using EndNote to collect citations for research? This session will cover the downloading and installing of the app; getting citations from various relevant databases; editing citations in EndNote Web, and troubleshooting.

*Bring laptop & notebook*
Graduate Level Academic Writing
Facilitators: Nancy-Jean Pément & Mari Estrada
1:40 pm – 3:10 pm

This session presents an overview of academic writing including:

- tips for writing reflections, research papers, and proposals
- documenting and referencing your literature reviews
- using American Psychological Association (APA) style
- and present a set of online tools to support the writing process