

ACADEMIC COMMUNICATION and RESEARCH METHODOLOGY at

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN Summer 2023

2023 年德州大学奥斯汀分校学术交流与研究方法暑期项目

SUMMARY 课程简介

Texas Global at the University of Texas at Austin (UT-Austin) is pleased to offer the *Academic Communication and Research Methodology Program* for graduate students. In this training program, students will gain first-hand experience in academic communication at one of the largest, most well-known research institutions in the world. Courses will be taught in-person on the UT-Austin campus and content will be managed through the Canvas learning management system. This program will also provide a unique opportunity for international graduate students to gain experience from UT-Austin's research facilities and resources.

德州大学奥斯汀分校(UT Austin)很高兴为研究生在读学生提供学术交流和研究方法课程。在这个课程中，学生将在世界上最大、最知名之一的研究型大学获得学术交流的第一手经验。课程将在德州大学奥斯汀分校校内由教授现场授课，内容将通过 Canvas 学习管理系统进行管理。该课程还将为国际研究生提供一个让他们从德州大学奥斯汀分校的研究设施和资源中获得经验的独特的机会。

Program highlight 课程优势

- Comprehensive curriculum with experiential learning opportunities 综合课程，提供体验式学习机会
- Access to UT-Austin's libraries and other resources on campus 共享德州大学奥斯汀分校的图书馆和其他校园资源
- Writing practice and feedback on a variety of graduate-level writing genres 针对不同的研究生写作类型进行写作练习与反馈
- Academic oral communication practice and feedback 学术口语交流实践与反馈
- Academic presentation instruction and feedback 学术报告指导与反馈
- Post-program access to Canvas course with academic resources 完成课程后可以使用学术资源参加 Canvas 课程
- Course certificate upon completion 获得课程结业证书

DATES 课程日期

July 8 – August 5, 2023

Monday-Friday from 9:30am – 12noon and 1:30pm – 4pm

2023年7月8日至8月5日

星期一到星期五，上午 9:30-12:00, 下午 1:30-4:00

PROGRAM FEE 课程费用

\$4500 Includes tuition and fees, books and materials, room and board, and cultural immersion activities

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COURSE GOAL 课程目标

This course is designed to primarily improve academic writing skills in English for graduate students from various disciplines. In addition, academic oral communications skills will be practiced in the context of presenting written research in academic settings. Students will develop skills in areas such as summarizing and paraphrasing, describing visuals and writing data commentary, and explaining problems and solutions. In addition to receiving instructor and peer feedback, students will learn self-editing strategies to improve their confidence in writing clearly and coherently for a graduate-level academic audience. Finally, they will be shown how to present their findings in spoken English in preparation for participation in international conferences.

本课程主要旨在提高来自不同学科的研究生的英语学术写作技能。此外，学术口头交流技能将在学术环境中展示书面研究的背景下进行练习。学生将在总结和转述、描述视觉效果和撰写数据评论、解释问题和解决方案等领域培养技能。除了接受导师和同学的反馈，学生还将学习自我编辑策略，以提高他们作为研究生水平的学术受众清晰连贯地写作的信心。最后，他们将学习如何用英语口语表达他们的研究成果，为参加国际会议做准备。

OBJECTIVES 课程目标

Throughout the course, students will practice the following:

- Developing and improving written texts using the process approach to writing 使用过程写作法来培养和改进书面写作
- Improving the ability to write clearly and correctly in a variety of genres 提高在各种体裁中清晰正确写作能力
- Using a variety of discourse markers and formulaic sequences to effectively convey meaning 使用多种语篇标记和公式化序列来有效地传达意思
- Improving written fluency 提高书写流畅性
- Increasing accuracy and complexity in written sentences 增加书面句子的准确性和复杂性
- Monitoring written grammatical accuracy and employing focused strategies to revise and edit writing 检查写作的语法准确性，并采用有针对性的策略来修改和编辑
- Utilizing paraphrasing, summarizing, and citing to avoid plagiarism 使用释义、总结和引用来避免抄袭

- Exploring written academic language and organization 探索书面学术语言和组织结构
- Practice strategies for writing in an academic environment 在学术环境中练习写作策略
- Learn various techniques for spoken presentation of research 学习各种研究报告的口头表达技巧

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES 学习成果

By the end of the course, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate knowledge of considerations of audience, purpose, organization, and style for academic writing 展示学术写作对读者、目的、组织和风格的考虑
- Outline, draft, and compose, and revise a problem, process, and solution paper 概述、起草、撰写和修改问题、过程和解决文案的论文
- Write a data commentary using hedging and appropriate language to describe visuals 写一篇数据评论，使用模糊和适当的语言来描述视觉效果
- Quote, paraphrase, and summarize information from sources using APA style citations 使用 APA 风格的引用，转述和总结资料来源的信息
- Describe considerations for critical reading and writing critiques 描述批判性阅读和写作评论的考虑因素
- Effectively present research data in spoken English 用英语口语有效表达研究数据

FACULTY 教职员工

Instructors are highly experienced ESL professionals, with advanced degrees in TESOL or related fields. Each has an extensive background in ESL/EFL, with many having 10 to 25 years of teaching experience. ELC faculty members have overseas living experience and experience learning and speaking a foreign language. Biographies on each of our faculty can be found at <https://global.utexas.edu/about/staff/directory>.

所有授课教师都是经验丰富的专业人士，拥有 TESOL 或相关领域的高级学位，拥有 10 至 25 年的教学经验。此外，所有 ELC 教师都有在海外生活和学习外语的历史。我们每个教师的传记请参阅：

<https://global.utexas.edu/english-language-center/explore/faculty>

ORIENTATION 迎新会

Upon the students' arrival in Austin, the ELC program staff will provide a comprehensive orientation covering programmatic, social, and cultural aspects of the program. Information about campus libraries, computer, recreational, and student activity facilities will be included, along with a campus tour and a tour visiting historical, cultural, and recreational sites around the city of Austin. For the duration of the program, staff will be available to provide support for students and address any questions or concerns that arise. Students will receive a UT identification card. With this card they will have access to facilities and services at UT-Austin, including computer facilities, on-campus WiFi access, libraries, student activity centers, student health center services, and shuttle buses

which provide transportation to many areas of the city.

学生抵达奥斯汀后，ELC 工作人员将为学生提供全面的关于课程、社会和文化方面的迎新会。包括校园图书馆、计算机、娱乐和学生活动设施的信息，以及校园游览和奥斯汀市周围的历史、文化和娱乐场所的游览。在课程期间，工作人员将为学生提供支持，并解决学生出现的任何问题或担忧。IA 学生将获得 UT 身份证，可以使用德克萨斯大学奥斯汀分校的设施和服务，包括计算机设施，校内 WiFi 接入，图书馆，学生活动中心，学生健康中心服务，以及通往城市许多地区的班车。

STUDENT EVALUATION & CERTIFICATE 成绩评估 & 证书

Student progress will be measured during the program through active participation, homework, and quizzes.

Coursework accounts for 80% of the grade and the final exam counts for 20% of the grade. The instructor will assess student performance and record grades in the Canvas learning management system. Students will be able to access Canvas and review their grades throughout the course. Students who attend 85% of classes and receive A, B, or C grades will be awarded a completion certificate. During the final week of the program, the ELC will host a closing reception congratulating the students on their accomplishments. Students will receive certificates and grade reports at the closing reception.

学生的成绩会受以下因素影响和评估：

课程出勤率、参与情况、考试、课题和每日小测验。

其中课程作业占成绩的 80%，期末考试占 20%。讲师将评估学生的总体表现并在 Canvas 学习管理系统中记录成绩。整个课程期间学生均可在 Canvas 系统查看自己的成绩。只要学生参与 85% 以上课程，成绩达到 C 以上，就可获得结业证书。在课程的最后一周，ELC 将举办毕业典礼，祝贺学生们取得的成绩。学生将在毕业典礼上领取证书和成绩单。

PROGRAM EVALUATION 课程评价

At the conclusion of the program, Texas Global will administer surveys for students to complete anonymously on each aspect of the program.

在课程结束时，学校会让学生完成一个关于课程各个方面的匿名反馈调研。

SUMMARY 总结

The University of Texas at Austin has excelled at offering a variety of classes for international students, and we remain committed to offering high-quality programs for the students who will register for the Academic Communication and Research Methodology program. We are confident that we will provide an academically challenging and enriching program for students this summer. With a dedicated community of staff and faculty, we will ensure students feel engaged and supported throughout the program.

德州大学奥斯汀分校专注为国际学生提供各种课程，致力于为即将注册学术交流和研究方法课程的学生提供高质量的课程。我们有信心，在这个夏天为来参与课程的学生们提供一个具有挑战性、丰富多

样的学术课程。学校有专业的教职员社区，确保学生在整个项目过程中能得到全程支持。