

## **Online-Workshop 9 „Academic writing for early doctoral researchers“**

**Date:** Thu, 20 March 2025, 10.00–17.00 h (with breaks)

**Trainer:** Dr. Vera Leberecht

**Room:** to be announced

**Capacity:** max. 12 participants

### **Description**

This workshop supports graduates who are about to start their doctoral journey. You will have time to think about your research ideas and plans and work with different strategies to get a clearer picture of what's ahead. You will get peer feedback on how realistic your plans are and how you can proceed. And you'll get some writing done!

At the end of the day, you have

- thought about how to put your research on the market;
- got a clearer picture of your research ideas and plans;
- experimented with different strategies to organise ideas;
- put some text on paper that could serve as a basis for a research proposal or similar text.

### **Methods**

In this workshop, individual reflection exercises alternate with small group work, group discussions and trainer input. Participants reflect on and practise the content presented with the help of discussions, writing and other practical exercises. They use both the trainer and each other to share experiences and develop helpful planning strategies and solutions to problems..

### **Trainer**

Dr Vera Leberecht (Maastricht/NL) studied German Linguistics, Intercultural Communication and Protestant Theology in Germany and Finland. After completing her training as a trainer for academic writing, she worked for several years in the English department of the Language Centre at Maastricht University. Since 2008 she has been an independent trainer and coach for meaningful writing and working in academia and beyond.