

# FACULTY OF PUBLIC GOVERNANCE AND INTERNATIONAL STUDIES DOCTORAL SCHOOL OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION SCIENCES

#### **COURSE TEMPLATE**

Name of the subject: Publication strategies and methods	Code:	Credits: 3
Hours: lectures (50%) and semiars (50%)		
Assessment: practical mark		

# Course description:

An excellent researcher can "sells" his/her results, i.e. emphasizes their importance, applies a systematic and planned publication approach, and decides where to publish based on impact factors. The researcher knows and gives references to experts in the research field.

# **K**nowledge

- presenting the characteristics of a good publication (accuracy and authenticity, authorship, content and purpose, validity, objectivity)
- the use of full-text scientific online databases (e.g. Akadémiai Kiadó Journals; Akadémiai Kiadó MERS; Akadémiai Kiadó Medical Package; Akadémiai Kiadó Dictionaries; Arcanum Digital Library; Britannica Academic Edition; Britannica Image Quest; Cambridge University Press Journals; EBSCOhost; HeinOnline; JSTOR; OECD iLibrary; ProQuest; Science Direct; SpringerLink; Taylor & Francis Group; Wiley Online Library)
- understanding the structure of scientific publications (title, abstract, keywords, introduction, methodology, results, discourse, conclusion, bibliography)
- learning the basics of scientific publishing procedure (registration, verification, dissemination, preservation)
- Measuring scientific performance (number of citations, citation rate, impact factor, SJR scrore, Hirsch's h-index)
- use of bibliographic databases (Clarivate Analytics, Web of Science, WoS, SCOPUS, and MTMT)
- knowledge of new areas of scientific publishing (transition from printed to electronic way: indexing, Open Access, Sherpa/Romeo and DOI)
- other channels of scientific communication (social networks and repositories in science)
- forbidden channels of scientific communication (concept and list of predatory publishers, Norwegian and Finnish null lists, publishers banned by the Chinese Academy)

#### **Competencies:**

The course develops competencies in literature search, networking, scientific communication and publication through the study of scientific communication databases.

## Bibliography:

# Course materials:

Available in Moodle system during the semester

## Compulsory materials:

- 1. Simon Bastow, Patrick Dunleavy, Jane Tinkler (2014): The Impact of the Social Sciences, How Academics and their research make a difference, Sage Publications Ltd; 1 edition, ISBN-13: 978-1446275108
- 2. Janet Salmons, Helen Kara (2019): Publishing from your Doctoral Research: Create and Use a Publication Strategy. Routlege, 1<sup>st</sup> edition, ISBN-13: Publishing from your Doctoral Research: Create and Use a Publication Strategy
- 3. APA: Publication Manual. 7th Edition of the American Psychological Association. APA. ISBN-13: 978-1433832161

#### Recommended literature:

- 4. Kyle Siler (2020): There is no black and white definition of predatory publishing, (<a href="https://blogs.lse.ac.uk/impactofsocialsciences/2020/05/13/there-is-no-black-and-white-definition-of-predatory-publishing/">https://blogs.lse.ac.uk/impactofsocialsciences/2020/05/13/there-is-no-black-and-white-definition-of-predatory-publishing/</a>)
- 5. Kyle Siler (2020): There is no black and white definition of predatory publishing, (https://blogs.lse.ac.uk/impactofsocialsciences/2020/05/13/there-is-no-black-and-white-definition-of-predatory-publishing/)
- 6. Sasvári Péter, Urbanovics Anna (2019): A tudományos publikálás alapjai, Nemzeti Közszolgálati Egyetem, ISBN: 978-963-498-144-2 <a href="https://real.mtak.hu/101076/1/A">https://real.mtak.hu/101076/1/A</a> tudomanyos publikalas alapjai 2019.pdf
- 7. Earl Babbie (2016): The Basics of Social Research. Cengage. ISBN-13: 978-1305503076

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