



## Joint Paper Series Perfection and Scientific Writing Hybrid Workshop

5-6 September, Qatar University (QU), Doha, Qatar  
Research Complex H10 Building, Auditorium

### Monday 5 September 2022

09:00 – 09:15	<b>Welcome/introduction</b>	Speakers: Prof. Mariam Al-Maadeed, VP for Research & Graduate Studies, QU Dr. Math Noortmann, Scientific Research Lead, Maastricht University Mr. Stian Holen, ESCWA
09:15 – 09:30	<b>Introductory pitches</b>	All participants
09:30 – 10:30	<b>Getting Published:</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ <b>Reviewer: Master class on publishing:</b> ABC of writing for journals, including such issues as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Finding the appropriate journal,</li> <li>- Preparing an article for submission,</li> <li>- Peer-review process,</li> <li>- Revisions and resubmit;</li> </ul> </li> <li>➤ <b>Q &amp; A</b></li> </ul>	Speakers: QU Press Team: Dr. Mohamad Isam Almadani and Sabine Saad
10:30 – 11:00	<b>Essentials for Writing an Effective Literature Review:</b>	Moderator: Dr. Zuheir Bakleh, ESCWA
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Narrowing the topic/focus</li> <li>- Crafting/refining the research question</li> <li>- Reviewing and evaluating the relevant literature</li> <li>- Identifying patterns, trends, and themes and developing sub-topics</li> <li>- Pinpointing the research gap and developing a strong purpose statement</li> <li>- Revisiting the lit. review after writing the paper</li> </ul>	Speaker: Dr. Mary Newsome, Assistant Dean for Graduate Student Support, QU
11:00 – 11:15	Coffee break	
11:15 – 11:45	<b>Ethical considerations</b>	Speaker: Dr. Elham Kateeb, Dean of Scientific Research, Al-Quds University
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Anatomy and physiology of a scientific paper</li> <li>- IMRAD style</li> <li>- Authorship,</li> <li>- Plagiarism,</li> <li>- Research including human subjects</li> </ul>	
11:45 – 12:45	<b>Thinking policy ‘impact’:</b>	Speakers:



	<p>➤ <b>Practitioner: Master class on Impact:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- How to write for a diverse audience.</li> <li>- How to make sure that articles and papers resonate with policy-makers and practitioners.</li> </ul>	<p>Dr. Math Noortmann, Maastricht University Prof. Arokiasamy Perianayagam, SESRI, QU Dr. Sukaina Al Nasrawi, ESCWA</p>
	<p>➤ <b>Q &amp; A</b></p>	<p>Moderator: Dr. Zuheir Bakleh, ESCWA</p>
12:45 – 13:45	Lunch & Prayer break	
13:45 – 14:45	<p><b>ANDD paper series: Economics:</b></p> <p>Papers 1 &amp; 2 (5 min pitch, 10 min peer discussant, 15 min debate):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- دور الابتكار في تعزيز التنويع الاقتصادي في الدول المصدرة للنفط في الشرق الأوسط وشمال إفريقيا: دراسة قياسية، سهام معط الله</li> <li>- <b>Tackling human unemployment in the Arab region: Reaching beyond the national barriers, Tahniyath Fatima and Said Elbanna</b></li> </ul>	<p>Speakers (Papers' Authors): سهام معط الله <i>Tahniyath Fatima and Said Elbanna</i> رضا القط محمد محمود فضيل رايس</p> <p>Reviewers: Dr. Ebaidalla Mahjoub, Ibn Khaldoun, QU Ms. Souraya Zein, UN Dr. Ibrahim Awad, Al-Quds University</p>
14:45 – 15:45	<p><b>ANDD paper series: Economics:</b></p> <p>Papers 3 &amp; 4 (5 min pitch, 10 min peer discussant, 15 min debate):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- التجارة العربية ومدى مساهمتها في قضية مياه نهر النيل بما يصب في صالح مصر والسودان، رضا القط محمد محمود</li> <li>- تطوير المهارات لتعظيم الاستفادة من الاندماج في سلاسل القيمة العالمية، فضيل رايس</li> </ul>	<p>Moderator: Dr. Zuheir Bakleh, ESCWA</p>
15:45 – 16:15	<p><b>ANDD paper series: Policy making:</b></p> <p>Paper 5 (5 min pitch, 10 min peer discussant, 15 min debate):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Collaboration, Borrowing Strength, and Policy Laboratories: Drawing Lessons from Federalism to Support Policymaking in the Middle East and North Africa Region, Iain Gately</b></li> </ul>	<p>Speaker (Paper's Author): <i>Iain Gately</i></p> <p>Reviewers: Dr. Math Noortmann, Maastricht University Dr. Andreas Rechkemmer, HBKU</p> <p>Moderator: Dr. Zuheir Bakleh</p>
16:15 – 17:15	<b>Comment/review: scholars and editors</b>	<p>Moderator: Dr. Math Noortmann, Maastricht University</p>



## Tuesday 6 September 2022

09.00 – 09.15	Review of the first day	Speaker: Dr Math Noortmann, Maastricht University
09:15 – 09:45	<b>ANDD paper series : Science, Technology and Innovation (STI)</b>  Paper 6 (5 min pitch, 10 min peer discussant, 15 min debate):  - <b>Nanotechnology Investment in Sustainable Development in the Middle East</b> , <i>Raghad Saleh, Ahmed Abu Hilal</i>	Speakers (Paper's Authors): <i>Raghad Saleh, Ahmed Abu Hilal</i>  Reviewers: Dr. Sukaina Al Nasrawi, ESCWA Dr. Elham Kateeb, Al-Quds University  Moderator: Dr. Elham Kateeb, Al-Quds University
09:45 – 10:15	<b>ANDD paper series : Urban</b>  Paper 7 (5 min pitch, 10 min peer discussant, 15 min debate)  - <b>The Sustainable Micro-landscape Urban Apartment Gardens</b> , <i>Rana Elkhatib Abou Ghaida, Micheline WEHBI, Nina ZEIDAN, Victoria Dawalibi</i>	Speakers (Paper's Authors): <i>Rana Elkhatib Abou Ghaida, Micheline WEHBI, Nina ZEIDAN, Victoria Dawalibi</i>  Reviewers: Dr. Sukaina Al Nasrawi, ESCWA Dr. Lorenzo Kihlgren Grandi, Columbia University  Moderator: Dr. Elham Kateeb, Al-Quds University
10:15 – 10:30	Coffee Break	
10:30 – 11:30	<b>ANDD paper series: Human development/education</b>  Papers 8 & 9 (5 min pitch, 10 min peer discussant, 15 min debate)  - <b>Are We Closer to Regional Consensus on Promoting Food Literacy and Integrating Nutrition Education in the Arabic Schools?</b> <i>Maha Hoteit; Hala Mohsen; Khlood Bookari; et.al</i> - <b>عصر المعرفة الرقمية في زمن الكورونا (تحديات وحلول)</b> , نادين الكحيل	Speakers (Papers' Authors): <i>Maha Hoteit</i> نادين الكحيل  Reviewers: Dr. Fatimazohra Iflahen, VP of Innovation, Research and Cooperation, Cadi Ayyad University Dr. Badrane Benlahcene, QU  Moderator: Dr. Elham Kateeb, Al-Quds University
11:30 – 12:00	<b>Comment/review: scholars and editors</b>	Speaker: Dr. Math Noortmann, Maastricht University
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch & Prayer break	
13:00 – 14:00	<b>Citation Management: Citation Management with Zotero</b>  - What is Zotero and how to use it - Creating accounts - Getting citations into Zotero and building your library - Zotero sections - Inserting a bibliography - Other benefits of Zotero	Speaker: Mrs. Mounia Zidani, Senior Graduate Writing and Research Specialist, Graduate Learning Support, QU  Moderator: Mrs. Nathalie Younan, Research Projects Manager, VPRGS Office, QU



	- Challenges	
14:00 – 15:00	<b>Lessons Learned: round robin approach:</b> in groups - What went well - Need to develop - Ways to improve  Feedback from the groups (30 minutes)	Facilitators:  Dr. Math Noortmann, Maastricht University Dr. Zuheir Bakleh, ESCWA Mrs. Nathalie Younan, QU
15:00 – 15:15	Closing remarks	Speaker: Prof. Mariam Al-Maadeed, QU

- Papers divided in groups of 2 times 2 which allows to review and discuss papers in relation
- The participants will comment upon their own work after which reviewers/ senior writers will shed their light on the papers.