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Writing in German for all students

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Writing Centre at the Learning Lab



Schreibzentrum
Writing Centre



The Writing Centre supports the academic writing needs of the FAU community. In collaboration with the Learning Lab, we offer one-on-one writing consultations in which we look closely at your work with you and help you figure out:

- what is next in your writing process
- which areas might be clarified, further developed, or rearranged
- how to apply academic conventions

What does this mean for you?

One-on-one appointments allow you to get customized help with your writing. These appointments are scheduled for 45-50 minutes and are free for members of the FAU community. Feel free to consult us at any stage of the writing process. You are welcome to bring any of the following to work on with us: an idea, a paragraph, an outline, a thesis, lecture notes, presentation slides, an article for publication, a funding proposal, or conference paper just to name a few. Writing consultations are available for anyone writing in English, for native German speakers who are writing in German, and for international students writing in German.

What does this look like?

Reading parts of a paper with a writer and comparing what is on the page with the writer's intentions for the text. Asking questions, which enables writers to see which areas are connected and

which might be added or further developed. Looking at style and grammar to help writers identify areas for improvement. Talking about where writers are and what is next in the writing process. Discussing ideas to help writers translate their thoughts into written language.

Who are we?

Some of us are students and some of us are university faculty; all of us are experienced writers who are committed to helping others achieve their individual writing goals.

What can you expect?

We don't edit, proofread, or fix papers. Neither do we offer discipline-specific advice. Rather, we help writers determine what to improve in their writing and offer tips and options for doing so. In a nutshell, we are here to help writers become more skilled and confident in their writing.

We hope you'll contact us!

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