

HONG KONG BAPTIST UNIVERSITY
Task Force on Research Student Training Framework

Research Student Development Activity

1. Activity Title

English for Research Publication Purposes

2. Offering Department/ Unit

The Language Centre

3. Target Student Group (e.g. All students, Research Postgraduate students)

Currently only UGC-funded research students are eligible; propose to offer the service to both UGC-funded and non-UGC funded students in the new training framework

4. Delivery Method (e.g. workshop, lecture, seminar)

One-on-one consultation meetings

5. Duration & Total No. of Hours (e.g. 2 hours per session per week for 3 weeks = Total 6 hours)

Each eligible student is entitled up to 8 hours of consultation services for each academic year

6. Aims & Objectives

This programme aims to support research students who need to publish their work in international journals and other avenues in English. The primary focus is on developing the students' academic writing skills for research publications. Additionally, as research is often disseminated through conference presentations, students can utilise the consultation services to improve their presentation skills as well.

7. Expected Development Outcomes or Knowledge/Skills Attainment

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

- Produce research papers suitable for submission to international academic journals.
- Apply academic writing conventions and strategies in English for Academic Purposes (EAP).
- Collaborate with peers and mentors to communicate research findings effectively within academic discourse.

8. Expected Graduate Attributes Attained

[Input will be sought after the University completes the review process]