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American English for Academic Writers

10, 17 and 24 February 2014, 9-16.00 h

Auditorium, "Zur Rosen", Johannisstraße 13

This academic writing course will cover the grammatical and lexicographic particulars of American English, as distinct from British or other Englishes. It will also have a strong cultural component, with participants learning about American cultural expectations for criticizing, presenting information, and promoting one's self. Participants will learn about what role their culture of origin plays in patterns of errors, both on the grammatical and cultural levels.

This would be an ideal course for someone who is looking to work or study in the United States, submit papers to American journals or conferences, or who simply wants to collaborate more effectively with American colleagues.