

## **“Academic Writing”**

### **Objective**

In this workshop, the participants learn to express their thoughts more clearly in writing using a wide range of language tools and a more versatile vocabulary. They work systematically to improve their grammatical weaknesses and to develop their essay-composing skills, with regards to style, expression and coherence. Based on a systematic, practice-oriented approach, we "analyze" essays, reports and other scientific text forms by breaking them down into their individual components, optimizing the writing competence of each participant.

### **Content of the Workshop**

- Recognizing essential characteristics of different types of text
- Feedback and help with individual questions and difficulties
- Focusing on essays: form, style, core statements / key phrases
- Basics of spelling and grammar
- Using stylistic devices such as inversion, connecting words, etc.
- Creating text blocks and templates

### **About the lecturer**

The workshop is offered by Intercom Language Services, a specialist for professional, in-house English training in Hamburg for 34 years. The teacher of this workshop is Louise Kennedy.