



Write on Site Groups

At the designated time and place, everyone comes and writes. That's it! There's no discussion during the writing time, just sharing the same physical space and actually engaging in the act of writing. The collective writing energy of the group is energizing and people are free to come early and stay late for socializing.



Writing Accountability Groups

Each person gets 15 minutes to discuss the following:

1. My goals for last week were _____
2. I did/did not meet them
3. if I didn't meet them, it's because of _____
4. My writing goals for next week are _____

The group helps to support one another by identifying the limiting beliefs and behaviors that hold members back from productivity as well as celebrating successes. Keeping written documentation of members' weekly goals and progress is often helpful.



Collaborative Writing Group



Members **plan and write papers together**, with each person in the lead author role on a paper and co-author roles on other group papers. Group meetings facilitate the process of seeing the papers through to submission and publication in peer-reviewed venues, including the actual writing, feedback, support, and accountability as needed.

Online Writing Group

Members commit to a period of daily writing (use the [online stopwatch](#) if helpful), track their daily progress over time, briefly check in each day at the end of their writing time, and engage in online discussion, support, and accountability about writing with each other.



Brief Daily Sessions of Writing

*Start before you are really ready,
Stop before you are really done,
Repeat*



[Iris Borowsky](#) & [Mike Pitt](#) will be point people for this project; [Chris Wright](#) will provide administrative support

Regardless of the type of peer writing group, the key to success is **consistency and accountability**; start by **setting up the first several times** you will meet

