



# DISSERTATION Writers *Retreat*

In-Person & Virtual Event | January, 10-15, 2022

Are you a UofM student working on your dissertation? Attend this free retreat focusing on strategies for completing your dissertation & how to plan for life after its completion. Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday will include workshops and presentations. Monday and Friday will be devoted to writing. CWC consultants & librarians will be available to assist with any writing questions or research assistance. The in-person event will take place in McWherter Library, 2nd Floor Commons Area and attendees will be provided with coffee, breakfast snacks, lunch, and a study room. Virtual attendees will be provided with Zoom links. To learn more, visit [memphis.edu/libraries/about/dwr.php](https://memphis.edu/libraries/about/dwr.php)

Register (in-person or virtual) by Dec. 13, 2021: [bit.ly/dwr2022](https://bit.ly/dwr2022)

## TUESDAY, JANUARY 11

- 8:30 AM Check-In Morning Session: Putting Yourself (and Health) First
- 9:15 AM Writing Session
- 12 PM Lunch
- 12:30 PM Presentation: *A Mindful Approach to Dissertation Stress*, Cece Olin & Adora Choquette (Psychological Services Center)
- 1:30 PM Writing Session

## WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12

- 8:30 AM Check-In Morning Session: Your Worst Critic
- 9:15 AM Writing Session
- 12 PM Lunch
- 12:30 PM Presentation: *Taking the 'Pain' Out of Painstaking Attention: Editing and Proofreading Your Dissertation*, Lisa Sikkink (University Libraries)
- 1:30 PM Writing Session

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 13

- 8:30 AM Check-In Morning Session: Preparing for the Final Boss
- 9:15 AM Writing Session
- 12 PM Lunch
- 12:30 PM Presentation: *Preparing to Defend*, Jonathan Bridenbaker (CWC), Dr. William Duffy (English), Dr. Stephanie Ivey (Engineering) & Dr. Stephen Zanskas (Education)
- 1:30 PM Writing Session

