Writing Science

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**Paper 2: Reading and revising**

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Agenda:

**1. Warm-up exercise**

Write about a given topic for 60 seconds. The aim is to not stop writing. A bad sentence is better than no sentence. Keep writing!

**2. Peer feedback**

**The rules:**

We’re a team.

We will only talk about the structure of the draft summary.

We will listen and make notes.

Spend 8 minutes per text.

Follow the set of instructions below.

**1.** The writer reads his/her text. Read slowly.

**2.** Each of the readers say one thing they liked. The writer listens.

**3.** The readers discuss each paragraph/section of the text. The writer listens.

**4.** The readers suggest where the writer could spend his/her time revising.

**5.** Optional: The writer asks questions for clarification.

**3. Revising**

Find one problem area in your text (first sentence, clarity of knowledge gap, description of methods, implications, etc) and make a 5-minute revision.

**4. Reflection on the writing process.**

“Today, I learned…”

**Next week:**

Optional: send me your revised summaries at a.h.eikenes@mn.uio.no for a brief comment.

October 15: Lecture with information about the Master Projevct Plan

October 22: We start a new paper, and focus on argumentation and discussion.