

# TENTATIVE TRAINING OUTLINE

## Training-Workshop for Peer Reviewers Using the Scopus and Thomson Reuters Standards

March 15-17, 2018  
Castle Peak Hotel, Cebu City, Philippines


### Objectives of the Training-Workshop:

- (1) *To learn the journal publication standards of Scopus and Thomson Reuters (ISI) as the framework of peer review;*
- (2) *To determine the roles and functions of peer reviewers in the quality assurance system of scientific journals;*
- (3) *To acquire skills in peer reviews; and*
- (4) *To compare various peer review forms as basis for benchmarking*


Time	Session/s	Method/Activity
<b>Day 1</b> <b>Mar 15, 2018</b>		
8:00-8:30 am	<b>Registration and distribution of training kits and IDs</b>	
8:31-8:35 am	<b>Opening Program</b>  <i>Invocation</i> <i>National Anthem</i> <i>Introduction of the Resource Speaker</i>	
8:36-9:45 am	<b>Session 1</b>  <b>Sharing of Experiences in Peer Review as Reviewer and As a Writer Who Complied the Reviewer's Instructions</b>	<b>SHARING</b>
9:46-12:00 nn	<b>Session 2</b>  <b>The Standards of Scopus and Thomson Reuters as Framework for Determining Quality of Publishable Paper</b>	<b>LECTURE/WORKSHOP</b>



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	<p><b>Sub-sessions:</b></p> <p><i>Determining quality of journals (low tier, middle tier, high-end through the Scopus Elsevier and Thomson Reuters Standards)</i></p>	
12:01-1:00 pm	<b>LUNCHBREAK</b>	
1:01-2:30 pm	<p><b>Session 3</b></p> <p><b><i>Anatomy of Well Written Publishable Papers</i></b></p>	<b>LECTURE/WORKSHOP</b>
2:31-4:00 pm	<p><b>Session 4</b></p> <p><b><i>Examining Various Specimen of Peer Review Reports Forms: Basis for Basis for Conceptualizing a Good Peer Review Report</i></b></p>	<b>LECTURE/WORKSHOP</b>
4:01-4:45 pm	<p><b>Session 5</b></p> <p><b><i>Examining Various Specimen of Peer Review Reports Forms: Basis for Identifying Parameters of Good Scientific Writing</i></b></p>	<b>LECTURE/WORKSHOP</b>
4:46-5:00 pm	<p><b>Wrap-up of Day 1 sessions</b></p> <p><b>Open Forum</b></p>	
<p><b>Day 2</b> <b>Mar 16, 2018</b></p>		
8:00-8:30am	<b>Registration</b>	
8:31-9:00 am	<p><b>Opening Program</b></p> <p><i>Invocation</i> <i>National Anthem</i> <i>Recapitulation of Day 1 sessions</i></p>	<b>LECTURE/WORKSHOP</b>
9:01-10:00 am	<p><b>Session 6</b></p> <p><b><i>Steps in Writing a Peer Review Report: Insights into the Peer Reviewers' Preparation Prior to Peer Review</i></b></p>	<b>LECTURE/WORKSHOP</b>


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10:01-12 nn	<b>Session 7</b>  <i>Qualities of a Well Written Peer Review Report</i>	<b>LECTURE/WORKSHOP</b>
12:01-1:00 pm	<b>LUNCHBREAK</b>	
1:01-2:45 pm	<b>Session 8</b>  <i>Writing Justification to the Review Results whether Accepted or Rejected</i>	<b>LECTURE/WORKSHOP</b>
2:46-4:00 pm	<b>Session 9</b>  <i>The Critical Causes of Rejection of Scientific Papers: Peer Reviewers Lens</i>	<b>LECTURE/WORKSHOP</b>
4:01-5:00 pm	<b>Session 10</b>  <i>New Technologies as Aid in Determining Quality of Scientific Papers</i>  <i>Closing Program</i>  <i>Sharing of Impressions</i> <i>Distribution of Certificates</i>	<b>LECTURE/WORKSHOP</b>
<b>Day 3</b> <b>Mar 17, 2018</b>	<b>Individual Exploration of Cebu City</b>	


### Requirement:

*Participants are encouraged to bring a laptop and mobile/pocket wi-fi for the discussion, exercises and workshops.*

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