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The Professional Writing Guide

1992

the professional writing guide is for people who wish to improve the quality of their documents and the efficiency of their writing busy executives and other writers in organisations who may spend between 30 and 80 per cent of their working time writing will find it invaluable because it clearly outlines the principles that underlie effective documents this book will enable executives to write confidently competently and persuasively high quality output is crucial to a company s image and to a professional s own career advancement errors in a document can prove expensive the professional writing guide is an indispensable and accessible reference tool as well as a comprehensive style manual for writers who wish to avoid those expensive mistakes and make a positive impression written by two long term professional writing educators with extensive experience of consulting to australian business and industry this lively and highly practical book features workable reliable and powerful strategies that can be used to systematically eliminate the writing problems of organisational writers

Engaging Questions: A Guide to Writing ISE

2024-04-23

let rebecca mcclanahan guide you through an inspiring examination of description in its many forms with her thoughtful instruction and engaging exercises you ll learn to develop your senses and powers of observation to uncover the rich evocative words that accurately portray your mind s images mcclanahan includes dozens of descriptive passages written by master poets and authors to illuminate the process she also teaches you how to weave writing together using description as a unifying thread

Word Painting

1999-03-15

on writing well has been praised for its sound advice its clarity and its warmth of style it is a book for anybody who wants to learn how to write whether about people or places science and technology business sports the arts or about yourself its principles and insights have made it a cherished resource for several generations of writers and students the text warns against common errors in structure style and diction and explains the fundamentals of conducting interviews and writing travel scientific sports critical and humorous articles back cover

On Writing Well

2016

on writing well has been praised for its sound advice its clarity and the warmth of its style it is a book for everybody who wants to learn how to write or who needs to do some writing to get through the day as almost everybody does in the age of e mail and the internet whether you want to write about people or places science and technology business sports the arts or about yourself in the increasingly popular memoir genre on writing well offers you fundamental principles as well as the insights of a distinguished writer and teacher with more than a million copies sold this volume has stood the test of time and remains a valuable resource for writers and would be writers

On Writing Well

2001-09-01

write in style is aimed at all for whom clarity and accuracy of expression are important skills all the main styles and grammatical rules are covered their sense explained and vivid examples given of how not to write plenty of sound and meticulous advice is offered in a friendly and enthusiastic tone and a large part of the book covers specific types of writing from essays and articles to minutes and reportage the many illustrations examples and exercises throughout help the reader put into practice the techniques and skills the book explores

Write in Style

2013-05-13

the broadview guide to writing is a concise yet uncommonly thorough text with a fresh approach to the craft of essay writing the first part of the book discusses the style and structure of essay writing and includes a useful discussion of the intangibles involved in the writing process such as confidence perseverance and a willingness to deal with criticism constructively the second part of the book provides thorough coverage of grammar and usage in a comprehensive reference guide ranging from the simplest mechanical issues such as subject verb agreement to subtle distinctions between words that have similar meanings a wide range of examples is included throughout the book the new edition includes a new sample essay on the sensation exhibit at the brooklyn museum which is referred to frequently throughout the first section of the text in discussions of style and the writing process also included are entirely new sections on the writing conventions of different academic disciplines and on special difficulties experienced by those whose first language is not english areas in which coverage has been significantly expanded include problems with capitalization the subjunctive and conditional constructions and the chapter on mla style and other citation and documentation systems in more modest ways the book has been updated and revised throughout exercises previously available only in a separate short exercise book will now also be available through the broadview adjunct website

About Writing

2016

the essential writer s companion is a complete guide to effective communication it contains basic information on spelling punctuation word formation style grammar and proofreading all organized clearly and accessibly learn how to construct persuasive sentences and paragraphs to ensure that your written work is to the point and forceful throughout special sections on writing papers and reports and on doing research in the library round out this indispensable volume for school home or office

The Broadview Guide to Writing

2005-08-25

gina harkness is stunned when an elderly woman she befriended leaves her an inheritance of millions suddenly the former accountant is living in a park avenue apartment and interviewing potential chauffeurs sexy charismatic justin whitehead is definitely qualified but hiring a man whose gaze sets her whole body on fire could be a huge mistake reporter j l whitehead will do anything for a story even pose as a chauffeur for six months to write about the suddenly rich his relationship with his beautiful new boss quickly turns from business to mind blowing pleasure but will gina ever believe that though his identity was a lie their untamed passion

is real

The Essential Writer's Companion

1997

a concise course in the art of writing whether you're composing a letter writing a school thesis or starting a novel this resource offers expert advice on how to think more creatively how to conjure up ideas from scratch and how to express those ideas clearly and elegantly no matter where you find yourself in the writing process from the daunting look of a blank page to the rough draft that needs shaping to the small but important questions of punctuation you'll find what you need in this one handy all-inclusive volume some features include how to use journals to store ideas and explore potential topics examples of style and technique from such masters of form as Mark Twain H.L. Menckens E.B. White and Annie Dillard advice on using outlines to shape your material and drafts and revisions to refine them selecting the proper words to convey both information and point of view a useful appendix on punctuation ranging from commas to underlining and capitalization

The Student Guide to Writing Better Sentences in the English Classroom 2

2020-10

this writer's reference condenses and covers everything a beginning writing student needs to successfully compose college-level work including the basics of composition grammar and research it is broken down into easy-to-tackle sections while not overloading students with more information than they need great for any beginning writing students or as reference for advanced students this book has a CC BY open license and is available online openoregon.pressbooks.pub/aboutwriting

The Book on Writing

2003

a troubleshooting guide for writers strategies and process is a brief rhetoric and reference for academic and business writers that provides over 280 specific writing strategies for solving problems at every stage of the writing process from idea generation through editing the book's practical approach not only helps writers with the broad challenges of planning and organization but also with the specific challenges of style and grammar

The Oxford Essential Guide to Writing

2000-07-01

in addition to exploring the techniques of nonfiction writing Zinsser discusses sexism in writing jargon and psychological writing blocks

About Writing: a Guide

2016-09-13

everyday we write countless memos letters and reports without a second thought likewise we give presentations both formal and informal often this writing and speaking gets criticized for being jargon-ridden obscure or long-winded in short for not being in plain English but what is plain English and how do we go about

writing and speaking it in plain english at work edward bailey gives the answer with down to earth tips and practical advice bailey an expert in business communication gives us a simple model for writing style write more the way you talk organization make your point easy to find layout use headings lists and other white space so readers can see the structure of your writing psycholinguists bailey points out have proven that the techniques of plain english writing are far easier on your readers experience has proven that writing in plain english is easier on you the writer too bailey also gives you a wealth of practical advice for presentations including how to remember your talk how to design visual aids how to design computer presentations how to set up the room you ll be speaking in how to develop a successful delivery style perhaps most impressive are the many detailed tips he gives here for instance when using a pointer hold it in the hand closer to the screen otherwise you turn your back on the audience making it harder to hear you when designing a visual aid use at least 28 point type and seldom use all capital letters which are harder to read and when presenting a bar chart during a computer presentation build it a bar at a time to focus your audience s attention drawing on two earlier and popular books the plain english approach to business writing and a practical guide for business speaking this new volume has been significantly updated it includes up to the minute information on using computers computer graphics and typography for your writing and on using the same technology for designing your presentations the result is an authoritative and comprehensive single volume that will be the essential guide for everyone wishing to communicate more easily and effectively at work

A Troubleshooting Guide for Writers

2004

write personal and professional communications with clarity confidence and style how to write it is the essential resource for eloquent personal and professional self expression award winning journalist sandra e lamb transforms even reluctant scribblers into articulate wordsmiths by providing compelling examples of nearly every type and form of written communication completely updated and expanded the new third edition offers hundreds of handy word phrase and sentence lists precisely crafted sample paragraphs and professionally designed document layouts how to write it is a must own for students teachers authors journalists bloggers managers and anyone who doesn t have time to wade through a massive style guide but needs a friendly desk reference

On Writing Well

1980

you re no idiot of course you know how to tap out an email to your boss scrawl a note to your sweetheart even throw in an extra flourish when you sign a greeting card but when it comes to really writing that excruciating process of transferring your thoughts to paper without inventing some strange new language well let s just say you think you lack the write stuff the written word was a great achievement in human history don t give up on it just yet the complete idiot s guide to writing well is the writing book you ve been waiting for everything you need to know to make writing of any kind as easy as thinking or speaking in this complete idiot s guide you ll get expert advice on making your writing as clear persuasive and painless as possible whether it s a thank you note a school paper or an executive briefing easy to follow guidelines on a structure spelling punctuation vocabulary and style no nonsense advice on figuring out the three hardest parts of any writing the beginning middle and end

Plain English at Work

1996-05-16

helps readers write memoirs personal essays and life stories of every length and type

How to Write It, Third Edition

2011-08-30

are you worried about your grip on grammar know you need to write better to get through uni or progress in your career or do you want to write professionally we can all improve our writing how writing works show us how

The Complete Idiot's Guide to Writing Well

2000-01-09

bad writing can't be blamed on the internet or on the kids today good writing has always been hard a performance requiring pretense empathy and a drive for coherence in the sense of style cognitive scientist and linguist steven pinker uses the latest scientific insights to bring us a style and usage guide for the 21st century what do skilful writers know about the link between syntax and ideas how can we overcome the curse of knowledge the difficulty in imagining what it's like not to know something we do and can we distinguish the myths and superstitions from rules that enhance clarity and grace as pinker shows everyone can improve their mastery of writing and their appreciation of the art yes their

The Complete Idiot's Guide to Writing a Memoir

2011-12-06

practical english writing skills this two part series helps students develop basic writing skills they need to succeed in school on the job or at home practical english writing skills include job applications cover letters requesting an interview essays bibliographies résumés college applications outlines note taking and research papers

The Write Right Guide

2007

new in the successful smart series is a user friendly guide to help both students and adults improve their writing skills written with the same candor and irreverent humor for which the series is known this guide is full of helpful tips and useful drills to improve both business and academic writing

How Writing Works

2016

the essential guide to writing history essays is a step by step guide to the typical assignments of any undergraduate or master's level history program in north america effective writing is a process of discovery achieved through the continual act of making choices what to include or exclude how to order elements and which style to choose each according to the author's goals and the intended audience the book integrates reading and specialized vocabulary with writing and revision and addresses the evolving nature of digital media while teaching the terms and logic of traditional sources and the reasons for citation as well as the styles this approach to writing not only helps students produce an effective final product and build from writing simple short essays to completing a full research thesis it

also teaches students why and how an essay is effective empowering them to approach new writing challenges with the freedom to find their own voice

The Sense of Style

2014-09-04

the mcgraw hill guide to writing is designed to help students learn to write more effectively not only in their college courses but also in their professional civic and personal lives combining a flexible reader rhetoric research guide and handbook the mcgraw hill guide shows students how to set goals for their writing to use effective composing strategies to reach those goals and to assess their progress toward achieving them based on the idea that effective writers are strong communicators in any context the mcgraw hill guide to writing emphasizes the skills established by the writing program administrator s outcomes statement that form the foundation of assessment practices at writing programs throughout the country rhetorical knowledge critical thinking writing processes and conventions these skills form the basis of the instruction in each assignment chapter and throughout the text

Practical English Writing Skills

1990

if you re reading this you re probably a writer or you aspire to be one so where do you start how do you navigate this craft and find your place in it what s the best way to turn your thoughts and ideas into words paragraphs and pages ready set write will show you what you can write and how you can write it you ll explore various forms of creative writing answer questions that deepen your understanding of the craft and stretch your author muscles as you create and polish new and original works you ll learn how to stay motivated and inspired and you ll put together your own writer s tool kit packed with everything you need to do your work plus you ll get tons of writing tips to help you write more and write better created for hobbyists and aspiring professionals alike ready set write is structured to be used by individuals or in the classroom ideal for young and new writers it also works as a refresher for seasoned scribes are you ready to start your writing adventure ready set write a guide to creative writing will show you the way

Writing Smart

2001-08-21

the world of writing is an aims based writing guide with an emphasis on language and culture that encourages today s diverse students to write for tomorrow s increasingly globalized workplaces and communities

The Essential Guide to Writing History Essays

2020-01-09

the second edition of the concise guide to writing helps students through all phases of the writing process with new chapters on justifying an evaluation reading critically conducting research in the library and on the internet and citing sources this flexible rhetoric offers valuable information for first year composition courses

The Classic Guide to Better Writing

1996-08

observations plus recipes it has been said that science is the orderly collection of facts about the natural world scientists however are wary of using the word fact fact has the feeling of absoluteness and universality whereas scientific observations are neither absolute nor universal for example children have 20 deciduous baby teeth is an observation about the real world but scientists would not call it a fact some children have fewer deciduous teeth and some have more even those children who have exactly 20 deciduous teeth use the full set during only a part of their childhood when they are babies and toddlers children have less than 20 visible teeth and as they grow older children begin to lose their deciduous teeth which are then replaced by permanent teeth children have 20 deciduous baby teeth is not even a complete scientific statement for one thing the statement children have 20 deciduous teeth does not tell us what we mean by teeth when we say teeth do we mean only those that can be seen with the unaided eye or do we also include the hidden unerupted teeth an observation such as children have 20 deciduous teeth is not a fact and by itself it is not acceptable as a scientific statement until its terms are explained scientifically children have 20 deciduous teeth must be accompanied by definitions and qualifiers

The McGraw-Hill Guide: Writing for College, Writing for Life

2008-01-08

this book is pretty straightforward part one provides you with an overview of the reasons why purpose and the audience are important concepts for readers and writers to know part two explores different purposes to single themes part three includes explanations of terms and concepts

Ready, Set, Write

2019-03-21

this isn't a book on grammar or syntax it's a wake up call for anyone who wants to write a book you can attend all the writing conferences you want but the simple truth is that you can't grow as a writer without actually getting words on a page this insightful book is the accumulation of everything I've learned about writing over the last ten years distilled into a short inspirational guide that should be next to every typewriter it started off simply a response to a quora post but somehow it wasn't enough there's an old saying the one thing that you absolutely must do to win a race is finish the race yet most aspiring authors never even get a shot at the big publishing contract because they don't ever finish the first draft fear distractions whatever you have to push all that shit to the side and concentrate on your book I did it and you can too I'll show you how to finish your draft in weeks not years I'm not special I have no superpowers and yet I readily crank out novels and novellas short stories and poetry I've learned the writing process through hard work and determination and my goal with this book is to unlock that same drive in you it's short to the point and filled with all the coaching you need to finish your damn book I've also added a bunch of content to the original message and this book has become an inspiration to all aspiring authors to drop the aspiring label and finish the damn book by the way I drafted this book in one day

The World of Writing

2010-12-14

writing can change the world by inspiring action adding to readers knowledge or altering their attitudes changing writing by johndan johnson eilola is a brief guide with online scenarios that gives students the rhetorical tools they need in order to respond to and create change with their own writing informed by johnson eilola's

research the book's ten focused chapters illustrate straightforward strategies for problem solving and digital composing through lively real world examples central to the author's approach is a simple pact framework that presents purpose audience context and text as powerful necessary interconnected elements that both change writing and create change

Writing by Degrees

1996

the empowered writer gives students a detailed yet widely applicable and accessible guide for developing skills in writing and research including personal and business communication

The Concise Guide to Writing

1996

a practical introduction to what a magazine writer does the book explores the best magazines for beginning writers how to get ideas finding the time to write setting goals how to defeat writer's block and more the author gives you examples of effective magazine articles covers the basics of grammar and style and provides jumpstart exercises to get a writer going

From Research to Manuscript

2009-01-21

adapted from the best selling st martin's guide to writing axelrod and cooper's concise guide to writing provides streamlined versions of the chapters covering six of the most commonly assigned genres in the first year writing course remembering events writing profiles explaining concepts arguing a position proposing a solution and justifying an evaluation the careful integration of well chosen readings with guided writing instruction in these chapters is complemented by coverage of strategies for reading writing and research in brief but complete chapters at the end of the book read the preface

The Simon & Schuster Guide to Writing

1993

Writing in English: An Invaluable Guide to Effective Writing

2004-07-01

Finish the Damn Book!

2017-10

Changing Writing

2014-09-22

The Empowered Writer

2021-10-08

Writing for Magazines: A Beginner's Guide

2005

Technical Writing 101

2003

Axelrod & Cooper's Concise Guide to Writing

2011-10-19

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