

IN150

Foundations for Success in IT Careers

Seminar 1

AGENDA

IN 150 - Seminar 1



**Brief Introduction &
My Contact
Information**



**Practice Using
Zoom**



Expectations



**Practice with
Locating Academic
Resources**



Discussion



Looking Ahead



INTRODUCTION



**Betsy McCall,
Adjunct Faculty**

BETSY MCCALL

Adjunct Faculty - Business and IT

Academically

- 7 Conferred Degrees:
 - Bachelor's: Classical and Medieval Studies, Philosophy, Geoscience
 - Master's: Linguistics, Mathematics, Management Information Systems, American History
- In Progress: Master's in Data Analytics

Professionally

- 21 years of teaching experience

Personally

- Born in NE Ohio
- Currently living in Buffalo, NY
- Written and published 4 novels



Contact Information



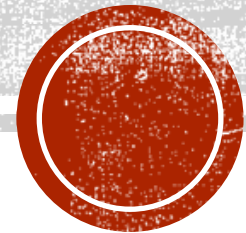
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SEMINAR PRACTICE

Zoom



Goal:

In addition to your course materials, students will learn how to use industry-standard tools through the use of practice during seminar.

SEMINAR PRACTICE

Zoom



In seminar, it is expected that you will interact...



Let's practice a few tools that can help you interact in this virtual environment

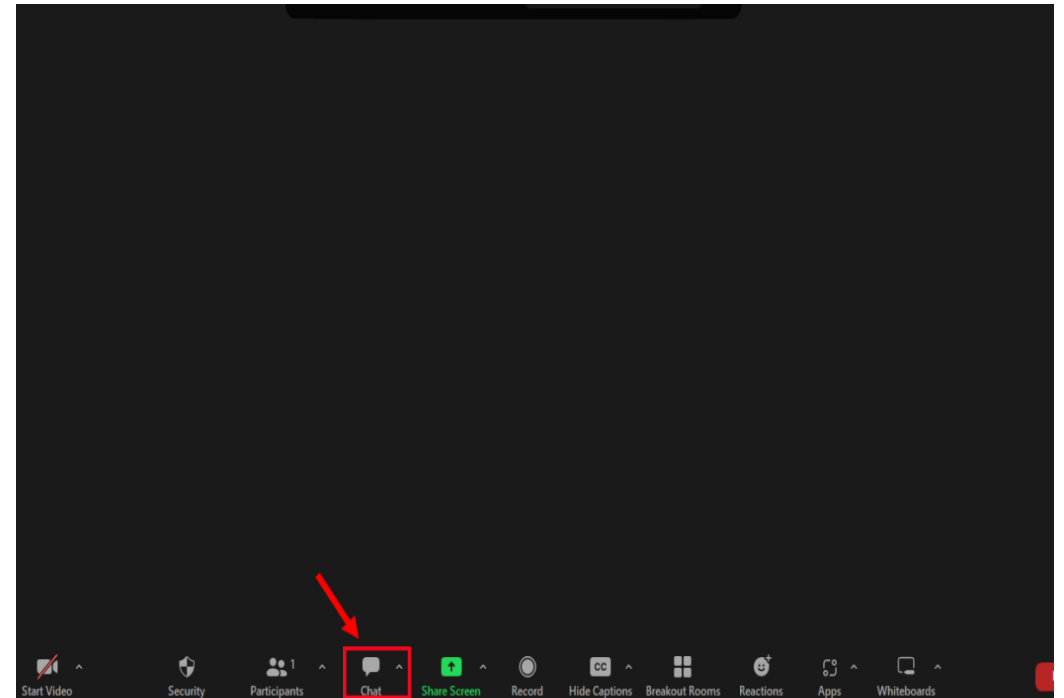


SEMINAR PRACTICE

Zoom

Using the **Chat** in **Zoom**, answer the following question:

If you could travel anywhere right now, where would you go and why?



Within Zoom locate the menu bar and click on Chat to expand/collapse the chat

Image credit:

<https://www.notta.ai/en/blog/how-to-save-chat-in-zoom>

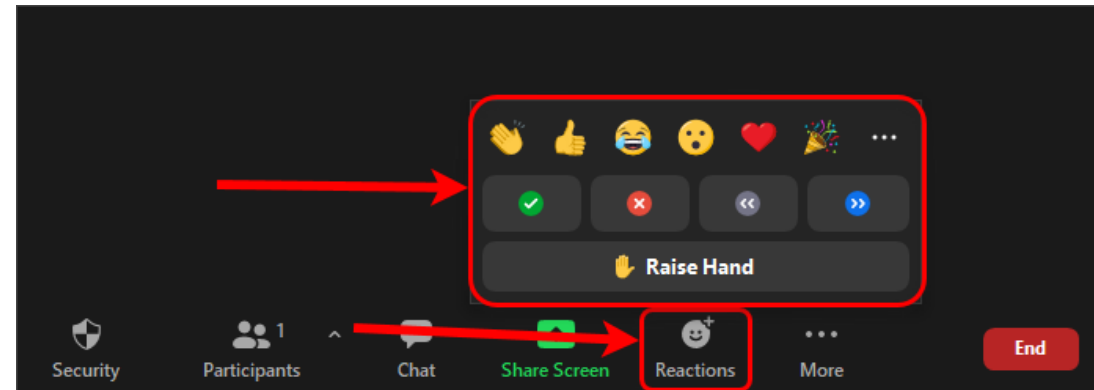
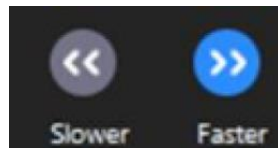


SEMINAR PRACTICE

Zoom

Using the **Reactions** in **Zoom**, select your favorite reaction.

For instruction, please also note these reactions that not easily apparent:



Within Zoom locate the menu bar and click on Reactions to expand/collapse the Reaction menu and select your reaction

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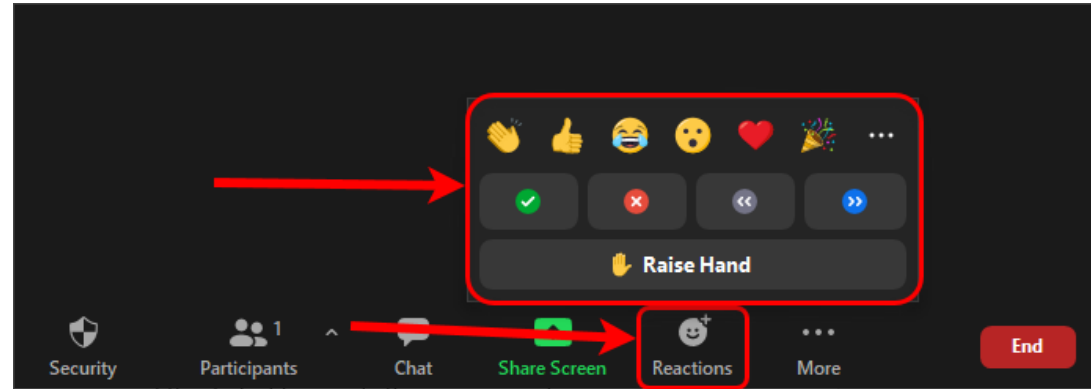
SEMINAR PRACTICE

Zoom



USING THE **REACTIONS** IN **ZOOM**,
RAISE YOUR HAND.

WHEN YOU HAVE A QUESTION, IN
ADDITION TO USING THE CHAT OR
REACTIONS, THIS IS A GREAT WAY TO
ALERT ME OF YOUR QUESTION!



Within Zoom locate the menu bar and click
on Reactions to expand/collapse the
Reaction menu and select Raise Hand.

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Why Interaction?:

Providing interaction is a quick interim assessment allowing me to gauge where everyone is at with the content. Also, it allows me the ability to provide an online kinesthetic learning experience for those types of learners.



**In class and
online**

EXPECTATIONS

In class (Seminar)

Interact in	Please interact in each session
Do not delete	Please do not delete other's work maliciously
Do not post	Please do not post, refer to, or otherwise call attention to insensitive or inappropriate work
Act in	Please act in accordance with the handbook



EXPECTATIONS

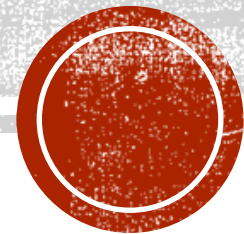
Online

- o Please log in every day (if possible) or at a minimum every other day to stay on top of the content
- o Please post in that week's discussion board on three **different days** to receive credit
 - The first post must be made by Saturday at 11:59pm ET
- o Please ensure you plan your calendar correctly - we will operate this class on an ET schedule for deadlines
- o Please communicate frequently with me regarding assignments, deadlines, and struggles (or wins!)



WHERE DO I GO...?

**Unit 1 Learning
Activities**



This course can help
you be more
successful.

It is free and
accessible to you at
any time.

PG411

PG411: Help! Student Success Connection is free and always available and contains many valuable resources to help you be a successful student.

Video:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Kx-1OxpgfI0&list=PLlzzHUGfty_ivUZgH5ysrHTlrJwKvpN4j&index=19



ACADEMIC SUCCESS CENTER

Welcome to the Purdue Global Academic Success Center (ASC)! The ASC is a learning center, study studio, and the hub of the Learning for Success Center, Writing Center, Math Center, Science Center, Business Center, Technology Center, and Technology Academic Software Support (TASS). Each center offers students free, individualized, interactive tutoring at specified times; please see live tutoring hours below. Highly trained, dedicated tutors offer course specific and generalized learning assistance. Recorded webinars, video tutorials, and resources are also available. Our mission is to encourage and equip students for learning success.

View the [Student Support Directory](#).

PG411: Help! Student Success Connection





This resource is located in the Academic Tools Area of every Purdue Global course.



It provides learning and study strategies.



Super helpful if you haven't been in school a while.

THE ACADEMIC SUCCESS CENTER

Academic Tools area in your course has several resources, and the Academic Success Center is your main resource for learning and study strategies.

https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLlzzHUGfty_ivUZgH5ysrHTlrJwKvpN4j

Study Studio



Study Studio

Locate all the Academic Success Centers' learning for success, writing, math, science, business, and technology resources in the form of articles, videos, podcasts, and more.



Writing With Integrity (APA Style 7th Ed.)

Understand the characteristics and expectations of college and professional writing in order to write with integrity and avoid plagiarism.



AI and Writing: General Guidelines for Students

This resource provides general guidelines to help writers make ethical choices when using writing assistive technology.



ASC Links

Find the direct links to all pages, articles, and media in the Academic Success Centers.

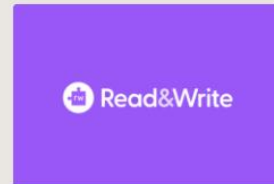


Student Resources for Generative Artificial Intelligence (AI)



Academic Writer

Academic Writer, a software from the American Psychological Association



Read&Write Text-to-Speech

A literacy support tool that helps with reading text aloud.

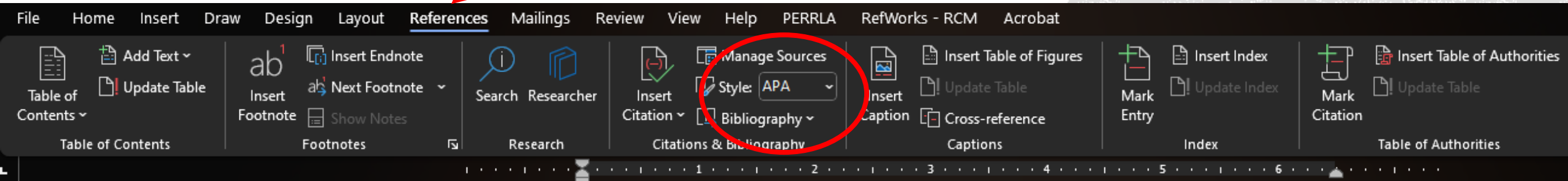
Webinar Archives



- This resource will provide you with
 - Writing tips
 - Sample papers
 - Help with APA formatting and citations
- By the way, Word can also help with citations and reference formatting, using the built-in Reference manager

ACADEMIC WRITER

Writing with Integrity is a document that explains how to avoid plagiarism and outlines student writing expectations. However, the Academic Writer is the correct answer for the APA and citation requirements.





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Student Resources for



Academic Writer



Read&Write Text-to-Speech



This center can help you with Microsoft Office Applications, including Word



Live tutoring appointments are first-come, first-served, and are limited to 20-30 minutes



The full list of student expectations are in the Student Use for ASC Tutoring Document.

TECHNOLOGY CENTER TUTORS

Located in the Academic Success Center, the Technology Center tutors and provides information technology assistance and cybersecurity resources.

TECHNOLOGY CENTER

Welcome to the Purdue Global Technology Center! The Technology Center empowers students and supports faculty by offering positive and constructive feedback through media-rich services and resources. The Technology Center consists of two different areas for student support: Technology Tutors and Technology Academic Software Support.

Technology Tutors: Professional Purdue Global Technology Tutors guide and consult with students through students' studies in technology to ensure students have the tools they need to succeed.

Technology Academic Software Support (TASS): Purdue Global Technology Technical Support Specialists guide and consult with students to help with academic software installation to ensure student success in the classroom.



Technology Center

Tutoring: Meet with a Technology Tutor



- This resource can provide feedback on your writing and direct you to additional writing resources.

THE WRITING CENTER

The Writing Center offers webinars and tutors who will provide feedback on your writing.

WRITING CENTER

Welcome to the **Purdue Global Writing Center!** The Writing Center empowers students and supports faculty by offering positive, holistic feedback through media-rich services and resources. Professional Purdue Global Writing Tutors foster a community of writers and guide students through all facets and stages of the writing process to ensure students have the tools they need to improve their writing skills.



Writing Center Tutoring

Tutoring: Meet with a Writing Tutor

Click or select [here to meet with a Writing Tutor during the live tutoring hours listed below](#)

LIVE TUTORING HOURS

WRITING CENTER LIVE TUTORING



Writing Center Tutoring

Submit a Paper or Question



- This area in PG Campus provides information on joining an association with other students in your career area.

STUDENT LIFE

The Student Life area under the Community Center in PG Campus. This contains information about opportunities for involvement in registered student clubs, groups, associations, and honor societies.

STUDENT LIFE

Welcome to **Purdue Global Student Life**! Student Life offers students a rich and exciting university experience with opportunities for involvement in registered student organizations, student leadership, lasting friendships, connections with professionals in your areas of interest, and unique development opportunities. Browse our page to learn more about Student Life offerings, email studentlife@purdueglobal.edu with any specific questions about the programs or information outlined.



Student Life - List

Clubs, Groups, Associations, and Honor Societies

Organizations



- This area can provide assistance in creating a cover letter or writing your resume.

CAREER NETWORK

Located under the Community Center in PG Campus, the Career Network provides cover letter and resume writing assistance.



COMMUNITY POSTS



Homeland Security/Criminal Justice/Cyber Security

Good morning to all. I am newly enrolled and should finish up quickly with my Associates in Criminal...

Graduate Student Seeking Job Opportunities in I/O Psychology Related Feilds

Hello everyone, My name is Laya Balakrishnan, and I recently completed my Master's degree in Indust...

Graduate Student Seeking Entry Level Position in Information Technology and Cybersecurity

Hello, I'm Ryan Paschal. I hold a master's degree in Hospitality Management and I'm currently pursui...



JOB SEARCHING & JOB TRACKER



No Data Available

[See more...](#)



DOCUMENTS, FORMS AND REQUESTS

Graduate Clearance Form

Complete your Graduate Clearance Form to let us know how we can best assist you.

Federal Work-Study Eligibility Survey

The Federal Work-Study Program provides part-time jobs for active undergraduate and graduate students with financial needs



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Navigating USA Jobs and Federal Hiring Process Tips

We're thrilled to invite you to our upcoming Career Workshop, hosted by the U.S. Department of the T ...

Maximus - Veterans in IT Event - August 22 from 1 to 5 p.m. ET (Register today at: <http://spr.ly/6047YSXZP>)

Learn more about our opportunities in Management, Consulting & Support Services, Software Developmen ...

Resume Review! Aug. 7, 2024, at 2 pm ET

Join our Zoom Meeting on Aug 7, 2024, to have your resume reviewed by our Career Specialist Team! h ...

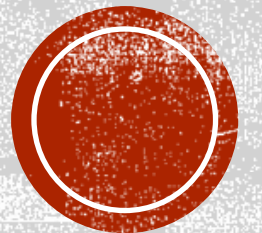
- Can provide feedback on your LinkedIn profile for potential employers

CAREER SERVICES

They can also help you with resumes and job searching as you approach graduation.

LOOKING AHEAD

For next seminar



LOOKING AHEAD

Seminar 2



Starting looking ahead at the
Occupational Outlook Handbook:



<https://www.bls.gov/ooh/>



THANK YOU



Questions? Please contact me:



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