

Collaborative Writing in Practice

1,5-day workshop, March 4-5, 2020

'Get away' from the daily interruptions and focus on writing your article/ application/report together with one or more of your co-authors

The following elements are the core of the workshop:

- Identify the **story** are you telling in the article together with your co-author(s)
- **Spend time writing** on the article, set 'writing goals' and write in limited time slots
- Give each other **feedback** on text based on and introduction to peer-feedback
- **Plan** the next stages of the writing process (if you don't finish the article)

The program is flexible and will be adjusted according to the participants' needs, number of participants and where participants are in the process of writing.

Time: 4/3-20, 9.30 to 5/3, 14.00.

Place: Klinten (Rødvig)

Program – day 1

09.30-10.00 **Introduction: the participants share the status of their articles and what they need to take the next step**

10.00-12.30 **Based on specific needs participants can choose to:**

- Define writing goals and write in silence
- Work on the storyline
- Give each other feedback on text

All activities will be introduced or supported by coaching if needed

12.00-13.00 **Lunchbreak**

13.00-14.45 **Writing based on specific writing goals**

14.45-16.00 **Walk-n-talk, check-in and coffee break**

16.00-18.30 **Based on specific needs participants can choose to:**

- Define writing goals and write in silence
- Work on the storyline
- Give each other feedback on text

All activities will be introduced or supported by coaching if needed

18.30 **Dinner - relax in the evening – play pool?**

Program – day 2

- 08.30-10.00 **Individual writing based on specific writing goals**
- 10.00-10.40 **Walk-n-talk with focus on a challenge in the writing process or just getting fresh air and exercise**
- 10.40-12.00 **Based on specific needs participants can choose to:**
- Define writing goals and write in silence
 - Work on the storyline
 - Give each other feedback on text
- All activities will be introduced or supported by coaching if need**
- 12.00-13.00 **Lunchbreak**
- 13.00-13.50 **Plan the next steps of the writing process and collaborative writing based on specific writing goals**
Each group gets short coaching on the next steps while the others write or plan their process depending on the groups specific needs
- 13.45-14.00 **Wrap up and goodbye**

Preparation

Each author group brings along the text they are working on at the moment. It may be an article, a report, or a grant application. It is a good idea to spend an hour or two reading the existing drafts or looking at the data/results if you have not started writing yet.