What Does Brushing Your Teeth Have to Do with Brushing Up on Your Writing?

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Two Sessions

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So, you love being a student, and you are excited about getting an advanced degree at the University. There might be only one problem: your writing is a little shaky.

Good writing is essential to our work as students and faculty in the University, but it isn't always clear how to improve our writing. Nor is it clear how to write papers that satisfy academic requirements, and lead us to advanced degrees.

In this workshop, we will focus on how to take charge of your writing, how to make your writing stronger, and more pleasing.

Do you dread writing every paper that's assigned?

It's time to revolutionize the way you think about writing. And so the question:

Are you willing to commit to writing each day, for as many minutes as it takes you to brush your teeth?

It may sound silly, but that brief commitment of time may be the key to improving your writing. Writing is thinking, and good writing, is in effect, good, clear thinking transcribed on the page. Becoming a good writer is like becoming a musician or a dancer. You have to practice, and you have to believe in what you're doing.

The first thing you have to do is stop being afraid of writing.

Come to this workshop to find out how. An hour of your time may change your whole attitude toward writing, and give you the confidence to begin a whole new writing life!

First Session: Good writing is essential to your success, revolutionize the way you think about writing.
Second Session: Take charge of your writing, please bring in your papers.

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Light refreshments will be served.