LC-1117 (integrated with PHYS-A0140) Spring 2024, Period V course schedule, subject to minor changes

Tuesday class, 9.15-11.30 in Y229c.

**(I have another group of LC-1117 on Thursdays (U262) and Fridays (Y307) as well, 9.15-11.45—if needed, it is possible to occasionally attend those sessions. However, they follow different schedule during weeks 2-3. Please ask your teacher before coming to the other weekly sessions).

Presentation practice sessions in small groups on your own time, before your final presentations.

Final presentations arranged together with PHYS-A0140 from 03.06-07.06 (Ville Havu organizes these).

WEEKS	TOPICS	HOMEWORK
1. 23.04	Introduction to the course: grading, assignments, and schedule Getting organized for the following assignments: - Article discussions - "Introduction to concept X" essays (topic is related to your group presentation topic in PHYS-A0140) - Online modules for writing: instructions Academic writing "starters": avoiding plagiarism & referring to sources	Article-discussion task: Start preparing for yours according to the schedule agreed. See instructions for "Article discussions" in MyCourses. Finish online module "1. Citing sources and avoiding plagiarism" by 29.04 (late submission for 50% allowed until 20.05)
2. 30.4 VAPPU	No class – online modules work continues	Read article #1 for next class (everybody) Article discussion leaders: post your prepared questions in MyCourses prior to the discussion. Finish online modules "2. Given-new principle" by 06.05 (late submission for 50% allowed until 20.05)
2.	 Article discussion #1 Continuation: referring to sources (paraphrasing, quoting, summarizing) + examples Turnitin introduction & Discussion about Chat GPT Getting started with the research process: finding credible sources Citation management Instructions for concept map assignment + model essays 	Read article #2. Article discussion leaders: post your prepared questions in MyCourses prior to the discussion. Choose three of the four remaining modules and complete by 20.05. Online modules completion: "3. Light before heavy principles"/ "4. Active verbs". "5. commas" / "6A&B Style and form". (late submission for 50% allowed until 03.06) Start working on a concept map / mind map / outline for individual essay to "Introduction to concept X" (your final group project topic from PHYS-A0140) and find a min. of two new sources for it (due date 13.05).

4.		Choose three of the four remaining modules and
14.05	 Article discussion #2 Sharing concept maps in class Cohesion and readability: review and exercise Presentation skills starters: effective academic / scientific talks 	complete by 20.05. Online modules completion: "3. Light before heavy principles"/ "4. Active verbs". "5. commas" / "6A&B Style and form". (late submission for 50% allowed until 03.06) Start working on an individual version of your essay. Read article #3. Article discussion leaders: post your prepared questions in MyCourses prior to the discussion. .
5. 21.05	 Article discussion #3 Writing style and mechanics: examples Presentations skills continued: visuals + further tips for delivery 	Continue working on an individual version of your essay. Submit your individual essay draft to MyCourses (Introduction concept X draft submission box (Turnitin) before next week's class. (draft 3% + peer review 3% = 6%). Bring your laptop and essay to class next week.
6. 28.05	Peer review session of drafts: in class (draft submission prior to class, bring a laptop and your essay to class). Organize a presentation practice session with your group (see assignment specifications in MyCourses) before your group's final presentation time.	Guided peer review session in class + opportunity to ask questions about your essay. Discussion about similarity and AI scores of drafts. Develop your paper based on the feedback received during the session – due date Monday 03.06. Presentation practice sessions on your own– send report to the teacher (see MyCourses, worth 5% of the grade) before your final presentation day.
7. 03.06- 07.06	Final presentations organized with PHYS-A0140	Final papers due Monday 03.06.