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Royal Society Chemistry – Chemical Society of Japan Introduction to Publishing and Tips for Effective Manuscript Preparation and Peer-Review Process

Introduction

How can you maximise the impact and visibility of your research through effective preparation of manuscripts?

One of the crucial activities in scientific research is presenting and sharing your findings effectively with your community in the form of a scientific publication. Effective manuscript preparation enhances the delivery of your key discoveries and messages, allowing you to better connect with your audience.

While there is no definitive guidance, this workshop aims to offer advice to improve manuscript preparation skills, and to help appeal to potential reviewers and readers. We will also discuss our process from submission to publication, and describe the roles that editors play, consideration points and best practice as a reviewer in the peer-review process.

There will also be an hour-long session focusing on sentence structure in science writing.

Programme

13:00	Introduction Hiromitsu Urakami Royal Society of Chemistry Japan Manager, Japan
13:05	Past, Present and Future of Scholarly Publishing (talk in English) Philippa Ross Royal Society of Chemistry – Editor in Chief, UK
13:35	Basics and Tips for Effective Manuscript Preparation (talk in Japanese) Katsuhiko Ariga NIMS, Editor-in-Chief – Bulletin for the Chemical Society of Japan, Japan Hiromitsu Urakami Royal Society of Chemistry Japan Manager, Japan
14:05	Advice from Chemical Society Reviews: Tips for writing a Review (talk in English) Douglas Stephan University of Toronto, Chair – Chem. Soc. Rev., Canada
14:35	Coffee break
14:55	Sentence Structure in Science/Technical Writing (talk in English) David Kipler Science Communications Trainer for Editage / Cactus Communications, Japan
15:55	Coffee break
16:15	Peer-Review Process: From Submission to Publication (talk in Japanese) Itaru Hamachi Kyoto University, Associate Editor – ChemComm., Japan
17:00	Acting as a Reviewer: From Best Practice to Recognition (talk in English) Philippa Ross Royal Society of Chemistry – Editor in Chief, UK
17:30	Close of session

Venue

Room 401 (Lecture Hall E)
4th Floor, Tower Hall Funabori
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Registration

The workshop is free to attend; however, since this is a part of 8th CSJ Chemistry Festa programme, one must first be registered to attend the 8th CSJ Chemistry Festa (23–25 October 2018).

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