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**FROM THESIS TO JOURNAL ARTICLE**

We often get requests for information on modifying a student thesis, dissertation, capstone, or other final research project for publication. Publishing your work can advance science by making your findings available to a much wider audience and can be beneficial to your career. But shortening and focusing a thesis into a publishable structure can be hard work. To help you get started, consult this chart on nine differences between a thesis and a journal article (and call or email us anytime to schedule an appointment).

**OPEN ALL SUMMER**

The kids may be on summer vacation, but the writing team is still on the job and here to help you jumpstart your writing. Summer is a great time to recommit to lingering writing projects, and we can help keep you accountable. To get things moving, send us an email to schedule a planning session or just send us a draft of what you’re working on. Or if summer feels too soon, how about the fall?...

**SIGN UP FOR OUR FALL WRITING RETREAT**

Need to make writing a priority but can’t find the time? Our Fall Writing Retreat can help you meet your writing and publishing goals. The 2-day retreat will be held on the weekend of September 8-9 at Scott Library. It is open to all Jefferson researchers and faculty. You’ll be left alone to write, but you’ll also have writing consultants on hand to give feedback or guidance if you need them. For details and registration: [http://library.jefferson.edu/tech/training-5.cfm](http://library.jefferson.edu/tech/training-5.cfm).

**WRITING CAFÉ**

Writing Café is closed for the summer. It will reopen in mid-September.

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