

PhD English Linguistics

Training Activities

Dissertation Proposal Workshop

- Mandatory task in the first year (starting from the 2019/2020 school year)
- Voluntary task in the following years
- Language: The language used in the seminar will be English.
- Duration: 4 hours
- Schedule: Semestre 2
- Attendance and participation control. Certificate of attendance which will be included in the student's activity profile.
- Description: First year PhD students shall participate in a dissertation proposal workshop with a Power Point or Poster presentation describing their proposal. In the workshop-seminar, members of the Faculty and third year PhD students shall also attend and provide the students with suggestions, comments or pieces of advice in order to improve their proposals (aspects related to the organization and schedule of each student, the main chapters and sub-issues to be addressed, the accurate identification and the statement of the problem, the selection of the conceptual framework, the research design or the data collection procedure, etc.)
- Outcome: Students will be able to present in front of an audience a solid PhD dissertation proposal including a title, table of contents, abstract, statement of the problem and hypothesis, theoretical framework, literature review, methodology and foreseeable work schedule.