

## Preface

This book was prepared to sharpen the writing skills of students and scholars. Good writing is good to read and understand. Most scientists are unable to get funds from donors due to their inability to write convincing proposals. Others conduct research but are unable to disseminate research findings. Only published results are of use to others. This book is unique in that it is simple to understand and demystifies scientific writing. The information in this book should be of interest to those wishing to write proposals and publish research findings in reputable Journals.

This book contains six chapters all aimed at improving writing skills of every one interested in scientific research. Topics include the following:

- organizing a science paper
- general writing tips
- Prose style of scientific writing
- work plan
- Budgeting
- Importance of partnership
- donor language

This book can be used by University Lecturers, postgraduate and undergraduate students. Tutors in diploma and certificate awarding institutions may also find it essential.

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