Additional
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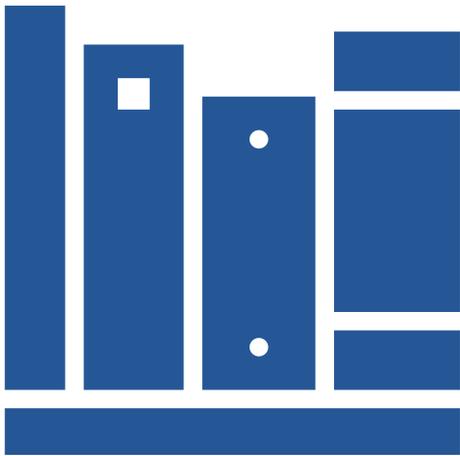# Writing Assistance

Your advisor and advisory committee member(s).

The **Writing Excellence Studio (WEST)** offers free one-on-one writing consultation by appointment. They will not proofread or make edits to your paper, but they can help with grammar, language usage, citation, and other issues.

Using Artificial Intelligence

- Follow advisor's instructions & advice

- Tech Policy 216 – Student Academic Integrity:
  https://tntech.navexone.com/content/dotNet/documents/?docid=1432&app=pt&source=browse&public=true

- Tech Policy 220 –Instructional and Assignment Use of Artificial Intelligence.
  https://tntech.navexone.com/content/dotNet/documents/?docid=1478&app=pt&source=browse&public=true

- CITL's Generative AI Citing Guide:
  https://www.tntech.edu/citl/ai-citing.php

Volpe Library

Research Help (Eagle Search, Interlibrary Loan, Get It Now, Google Scholar, and more):
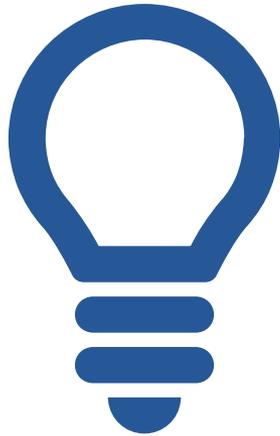https://www.tntech.edu/library/research-tools.php

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Please contact Holly Mills for research help with EagleSearch, Google Scholar, or InterLibrary Loan.

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RefWorks

- RefWorks is a citation and research manager available to all Tennessee Tech students.

- RefWorks Help, Quick Start Guides, and Tutorials: https://refworks.com/RWShibboleth/help/508help/Welcome.htm

- The Volpe Library has information about creating a RefWorks account and more at https://www.tntech.edu/library/refworks.php

Final Tips & Questions

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- If you don't graduate this semester, formatting requirements and processes may change (e.g., accessibility requirements are changing)

- Start planning early and consult your advisor/committee frequently

- Seek feedback from peers and advisors during the writing process

- Plan your defense as early as possible

- Review our online Thesis & Dissertation information: https://www.tntech.edu/graduatestudies/etd/index.php

- Use consistent formatting

- Double check page numbers, etc. before submitting

- Verify accessibility

- Know what to expect before creating a ProQuest account (copyright, traditional or open access publishing, etc.)

- Respond to our requests and inquiries as quickly as possible

For questions about the thesis/dissertation process, contact:

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Need to change your graduation term?

Questions about graduation or degree progression?

Contact your graduation coordinator:

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- College of Arts and Sciences
- College of Business
- College of Engineering
- School of Nursing

Lucinda Morabito, lmorabito@tntech.edu

- College of Agriculture and Human Ecology
- College of Education and Human Sciences
- College of Emerging and Integrative Sciences