NOAO Library Subject Guide

Communicating Science

Books on scientific writing are found in the T11, PE1400s, QB 14.2, QB61, and Q223 -227 sections of the library (stacks and reference area).

Search for keywords such as “communication” and “writing” in the library catalog.
Selected Web Resources

Alan Alda Center for Communicating Science
www.centerforcommunicatingscience.org
“Alda Offers Ways to Improve Science Communication” – “Alda said the best communication about science he ever received was when he fell acutely ill while pursuing a story about astronomy on a mountaintop in Chile [Cerro Tololo].”

Communicating Science: Tools for Scientists and Engineers, AAAS
communicatingscience.aaas.org

The Science of Science Communication
www.nasonline.org/programs/sackler-colloquia/completed_colloquia/science-communication.html

American Astronomical Society
Chambliss Astronomical Writing Award
aas.org/about/grants-and-prizes/chambliss-astronomical-writing-award

Information for Authors: Astronomy Journals,
www.library.umaine.edu/sec/curtis/info4au/default.htm

Scientific Writing for Young Astronomers
www.swya.org

Scientific Writing Booklet, Dept. of Biochemistry & Molecular Biophysics, UA
cbc.arizona.edu/sites/default/files/marc/Sci-Writing.pdf

Purdue Online Writing Lab
owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/

Secrets of Good Science Writing + Astronomy
www.theguardian.com/science/series/secrets-science-writing+astronomy

The Science of Science Writing, Scientific American
www.americanscientist.org/issues/pub/the-science-of-scientific-writing

Principles of Science Writing
www.scitext.com/writing.php

Writing Exercises for Engineers and Scientists
www.writing.engr.psu.edu/exercises/index.html

www.noao.edu/noao/library/guides_communicating_science.html

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