



## 2024 JAPA Writing Workshop for Emerging Scholars

The Journal of American Planning Association (JAPA) is excited to host the annual JAPA Writing Workshop for Emerging Scholars. This online workshop aims to foster scholarship among emerging scholars in planning and related academic disciplines. Targeted at junior scholars, the workshop offers a unique opportunity for participants to enhance their writing and publication skills specifically tailored to JAPA's standards. Participants can submit a paper proposal or full-length paper for expert panelists to review during the session.

### Date & Time:

- **July 24, 2024**
- **9:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET**
- **Register:** <https://plnn.org/JAPAwriting>  
(see details on next page)



### Who Should Attend:

- Untenured assistant professors, post-docs, recent PhD graduates, and graduating PhD students in urban planning and related fields

### Why You Should Attend:

- Enhance your writing and publication skills.
- Gain insights from experienced scholars and editors.
- Receive personalized feedback on your work.

### Key Dates:

- **Intention to Submit Deadline:** June 15, 2024
- **Paper Proposal or Paper Submission Deadline:** June 30, 2024

## **Workshop Schedule (July 24, 2024):**

### **9:00 AM - 10:30 AM:** Expert Presentations and Q&A

- **Professor Matthew Palm:** Insights on publishing in JAPA as an early career researcher.
- **Professor Andrew Whittemore:** Experiences with different manuscript types in JAPA.
- **Professor Yan Song:** Tips on publishing with JAPA.

### **10:45 AM - 11:15 AM:** Whole Group Review Session

- Review of three selected 1,000-word paper proposals.
- Receive feedback and guidance on paper proposals.

### **11:30 AM - 12:00 PM:** Small Group Review Session

- Detailed discussions on three full-length papers.
- In three concurrent individual feedback sessions, receive feedback and guidance on papers.

## **Registration and Submission Process:**

- Register by **June 15 2024:** <https://plnn.org/JAPAwriting>. You will be asked about your workshop goals and interests and whether you intend to submit a paper (we need this information to gauge participation).
- To submit a 1,000-word paper proposal or a 6,500-word full-length paper for expert review, send the paper and your CV to [ys@email.unc.edu](mailto:ys@email.unc.edu) by **June 30, 2024**.

## **Join us for a day of learning, networking, and scholarly development!**

Dr. Matthew Palm is an Assistant Professor and Cities Pardue Fellow in City and Regional Planning at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. His research focuses on the social and quality of life impacts of transportation investments, the equity of transportation system benefits and burdens, and nighttime transportation. Palm is the academic lead of the Innovative Pilots and Policies working group of Mobilizing Justice, a research partnership committed to advancing transportation equity in Canada. He has published past research on urban planning topics in the U.S., Canada, and Australia.

Dr. Andrew Whittemore is an Associate Professor at UNC-Chapel Hill's Department of City and Regional Planning. Whittemore's research focuses on urban and planning history, as well as current topics in land use and environmental planning. He is especially interested in the history of land regulation in the U.S., exploring why states, courts, and local governments enable and devise restrictions on land use and land access. He has published articles on colonial planning traditions, the history of zoning and land use politics in Los Angeles, the Federal Housing Administration's

impact on local zoning practices, the uses and politics of planned unit development, and the role of racial and class prejudice in local zoning decisions.

Dr. Yan Song is a full professor in City and Regional Planning and the Director of the Program on Chinese Cities at the UNC-Chapel Hill. Her research interests include urban development patterns, low carbon and green cities, development regulations, land use and transportation integration, spatial analysis and urban analytics. Yan is currently JAPA's Editor.