



Generative AI For Writing Instructors Workshop Fall 2025

## Meeting #4: AI for Revisions

## **Objectives**

- Explore different ways that AI can be used to aid with revisions and proofreading.
- Evaluate the usefulness of using AI for editing purposes.
- Reflect on the pros and cons of using AI as an aid to the writing process.

## Agenda

- Draft-Excerpt Sharing (10 minutes) Seher
  - Partner up and share your drafts with your partner.
  - OPTION: If time permits, a few volunteers can read an excerpt out to the room.
- Reflection and Discussion (10 minutes) Seher and Tom
  - What role did AI end up playing throughout your writing process? Was there anything that surprised you? Anything you were concerned about?
- AI Writer Toolbox: AI for Revisions (10 minutes) Seher
  - Take the participants through the relevant toolbox section.
  - Explore different strategies for using AI in the revision process.
  - Explain methods for revision that can serve as alternatives to AI.
  - Discuss when to trust AI and when to trust your own voice.
- Activity: Peer Review Exercise, featuring AI (20 minutes) Seher
  - Pair up with someone and try out using some of the strategies we talked about earlier to peer review each other's drafts.
    - Example: Something is unclear about a certain paragraph. Together, you and your partner might ask ChatGPTEdu, "What are two suggestions to improve this paragraph's clarity regarding X point?")
- Final Group Reflection (10 minutes) Seher and Tom
  - How did AI factor into the peer review process? Was it helpful or was it a hindrance?
- HOMEWORK: Complete a final draft of your paper. Upload a copy to the class Canvas site.