Seminar on Writing in Engineering

Escuela Universitaria de Ingeniería Técnica de Telecomunicación

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Inmaculada Álvarez de Mon works at EUIT Telecomunicación, UPM. She holds a PhD in English Philology by Universidad Complutense de Madrid. In fact, her thesis dealt with the study of technical texts: *La cohesión del texto científico-técnico: un estudio contrastivo inglés-español*. She also holds a Diploma for Overseas Teachers of English from the University of Cambridge and the Royal Society of Arts and is Master in Translation by Universidad Complutense de Madrid. She is a member of the Ontology Engineering Group (UPM) and has published a number of articles on the study of technical language.

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Timetable

Tuesday 4th, 11th and 18th December: 15:30h - 17:30h

Room

3004

Audience and Inscriptions

This seminar is mainly aimed to Master students and 3rd level students.

Inscriptions should be done at the Master program secretary (room 6104) or at the event room.

Credits

The students attending the event will get 1 credit. Master students should perform an additional home work.

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