

# From Manuscript to Publication: An Introduction to Scholarly Publishing

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Publishing is an important cornerstone of tenure and promotion at many universities. However, many new faculty begin their road to publication with little knowledge of the process. This session is therefore designed to introduce attendees to the many facets of publication from start to finish, through writing the proposal and submitting the manuscript to publication. The presenter will also discuss revising a dissertation into a book, as well as methods for more successfully selecting and pitching your book project in today's shifting publishing climate. A question and answer period will follow the presentation.



Dr. Patrick L. Mason is Professor of Economics and Director of the African American Studies Program at Florida State University. His primary areas of interest include labor, political economy, development, education, social identity, and crime. He is particularly interested in racial inequality, educational achievement, income distribution, unemployment, economics of identity (race and religion), family environment and socioeconomic wellbeing, and transitions in family structure and public policy, racial profiling, and innovation and development in Caribbean economies. He has authored about 90 journal articles, book chapters, books, and other professional publications.

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