The International Center for Academic and Professional English (formerly ESL) offers workshops to help international graduate students perfect their English language skills and achieve their academic goals. Upcoming workshops include:

**TOPSS Overview and Rationale**
Friday, November 17 • 12:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Linderman Library 300
Facilitator: Kayla Landers
Learn about TOPSS—the Test of Pedagogical Speaking Skills, which assesses the speaking proficiency of International Teaching Assistants at Lehigh University. This informational workshop is for students who have not taken the test yet.

**Writing Workshop: The Top 20 Grammatical Errors and How to Avoid Them**
Friday, November 17 • 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Maginnes 480
Facilitators: Teresa Cusumano and Mary Newbegin
This workshop is for graduate students who would like to become more effective self-editors. Learn about common grammar errors in English and become a more polished writer.

**TOPSS Preparation: Academic Presentation Skills**
Monday, November 20 • 12:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Linderman Library 300
Facilitator: Kayla Landers
Learn how to prepare and practice for the TOPSS test.

**On Your Way to the Dissertation: Effective Grammar and Vocabulary Choices**
Tuesday, January 16 • 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Maginnes 480
Facilitators: Dr. Jane Desnouee and Mary Newbegin
This workshop is for graduate students who are facing the challenge of writing a dissertation.

These workshops are free, but participants should register in advance. Visit [global.lehigh.edu/esl](http://global.lehigh.edu/esl) to learn more and register.