

# Seminar paper

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# ENERGY SYSTEMS

*Basic structure of CZ-AT Winter and Summer School on  
„Energy Systems in Austria and the Czech Republic “*

Basics:

Introduction (incl. major facts of energy systems)

Energy  
Economics

Environmental  
Policy

Technical/  
Energetic

Fundamentals of  
supply (mix) and  
demand (drivers)  
by sector:

Heating/  
Buildings

Mobility/  
Transport

Electricity

Industry

Winter school

Start of seminar paper work

Selected  
topics:

A ...

B ...

C ...

D ...

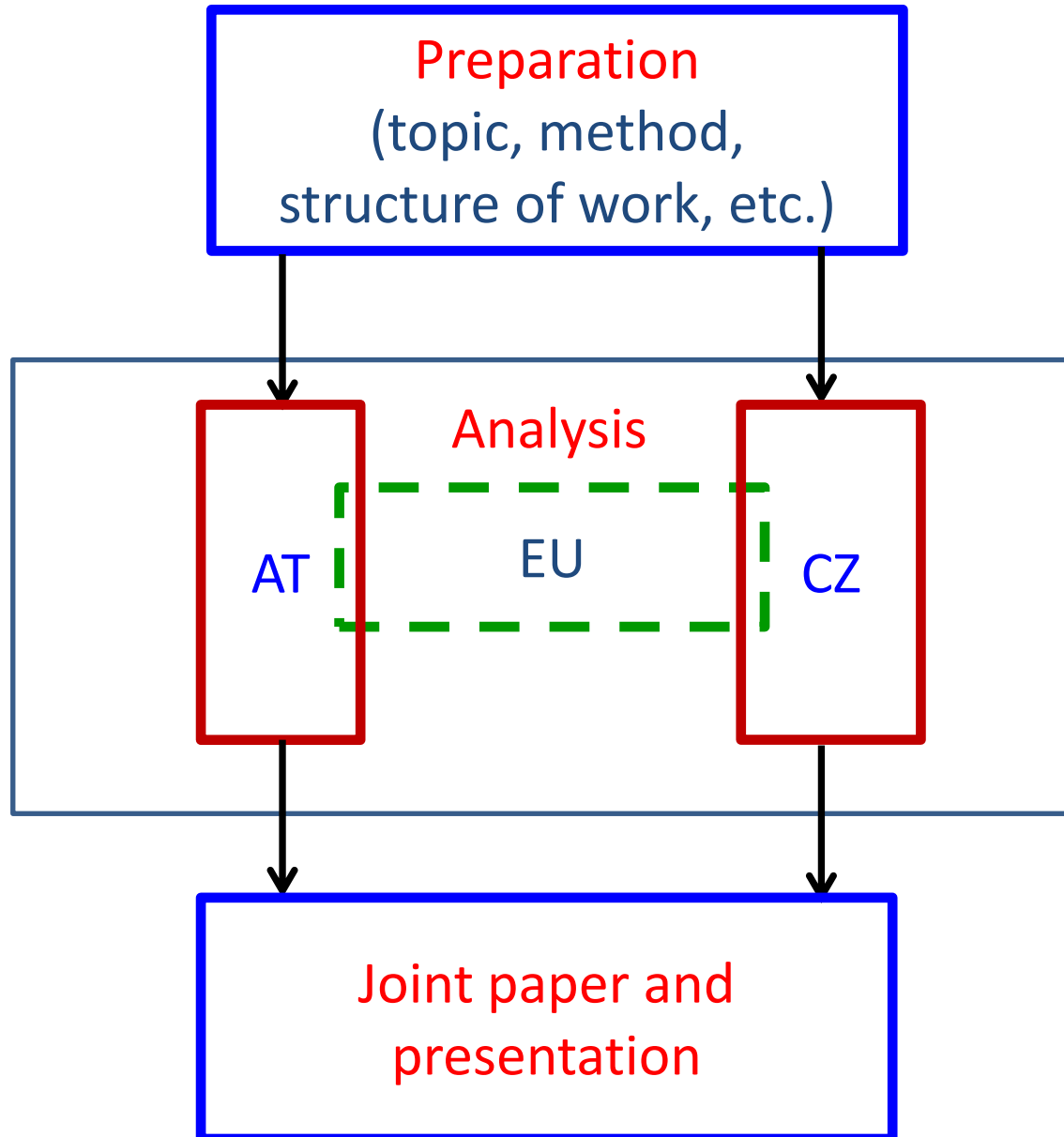
E ...

F ...

Summer school

Completement of seminar paper work

# *Joint seminar work*



# **How to Write a Paper**

# *Seminar paper*

1. Select **topic**



2. Create **bilateral group** (AT-CZ)



# ***Making an Outline***

## **Begin your research**

- ✓ **Data:** *journal articles, books, academic databases, Web pages, etc.*

## **Make an Outline** (ca. 2 pages) - **07.03.25**

- ✓ *Introduction*
- ✓ *Core objective*
- ✓ *Method & major data/literature*
- ✓ *Work structure*
- ✓ *Discuss your outline with your supervisor*

## **Write your paper**

# ***Structure of a Seminar Paper***

## **1. Title**

- ✓ select an informative title

## **2. Abstract**

- ✓ summary of your work
- ✓ ca. 300 words
- ✓ Incl. the rationale behind the study, method of approach, major results and conclusions

# ***Structure of a Seminar Paper***

## **3. Introduction**

- ✓ Motivation
- ✓ Hypothesis, objective
- ✓ Literature
- ✓ Structure of the work

## **4. Methodology**

- ✓ Describe data used
- ✓ Describe methodology, formal framework (equations, models, etc. )



# ***Structure of a Seminar Paper***

## **5. Results**

- ✓ Goal: to present and illustrate your findings
- ✓ Summarize your findings in text and illustrate them (figure, tables)
- ✓ Describe each of your results
- ✓ Analyse your data
- ✓ Support every statement you make with evidence!

## **6. Conclusion**

- ✓ Briefly summarize your findings
- ✓ Recommendations, lesson learned

# ***Structure of a Research Paper***

## **7. References**

- ✓ List all literature cited in your paper

### **Examples:**

#### ***Reference to a journal publication:***

[1] Van der Geer, J., Hanraads, J.A.J., Lupton, R.A., 2010. The art of writing a scientific article. J. Sci. Commun. 163, 51–59.

#### ***Reference to a book:***

[2] Strunk Jr., W., White, E.B., 2000. The Elements of Style, fourth ed. Longman, New York.

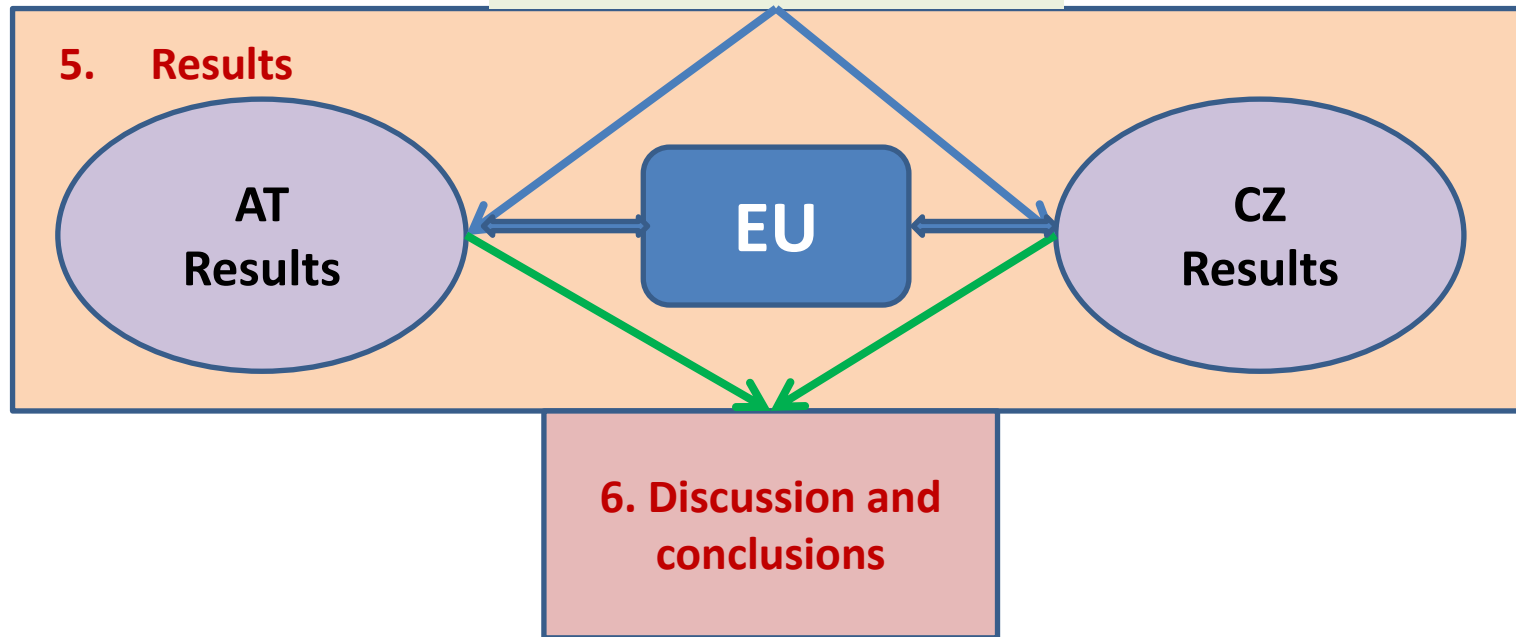
#### ***Reference to a chapter in an edited book:***

[3] Mettam, G.R., Adams, L.B., 2009. How to prepare an electronic version of your article, in: Jones, B.S., Smith, R.Z. (Eds.), Introduction to the Electronic Age. E-Publishing Inc., New York, pp. 281–304.

# ***Your Paper***

**01.05.2025**

1. Title
2. Abstract
3. Introduction
4. Methodology



# *Seminar Work*

**MOST IMPORTANT:**  
**ALL TOPICS OF SEMINAR WORK FOCUS**  
**ON COMPARISONS BETWEEN**  
**CZECH REPUBLIC,**  
**AUSTRIA, AND THE EU**  
**IN GENERAL!**

# **TOPICS FOR SEMINAR WORK (RH)**

- 1. THE RELEVANCE AND COSTS OF SHORT VS LONG-TERM STORAGE**
- 2. WHOLESALE ELECTRICITY MARKETS: DIFFERENCES IN PRICE, DEVELOPMENTS, STRUCTURE...**
- 3. PROMOTING RENEWABLE ELECTRICITY: TARGETS; STRATEGIES, BY TECHNOLOGY**
- 4. ENERGY COMMUNITIES: COMPARING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF EU DIRECTIVES AND INITIATIVES**
- 5. NATIONAL ENERGY AND CLIMATE PLANS (NECP) IN ELECTRICITY SYSTEMS**

# TOPICS FOR SEMINAR WORK (AA)

6. BIOFUELS: Current policies, future goals, feedstocks, costs

7. E-MOBILITY in road transport – Different transport modes: stock, strategies, policies

8. ELECTRIC VS GASOLINE VEHICLES: Total Costs of Mobility

9. TRANSPORT POLICIES: NATIONAL AND EU POLICIES

10. COMMERCIAL VEHICLES – types, electrification, policies...

# **TOPICS FOR SEMINAR WORK (JK)**

- 11. INTENTIONALLY GROWN BIOMASS FOR ENERGY PURPOSES AND SOLID BIOFUELS**
- 12. INTERNATIONAL ELECTRICITY EXCHANGE IN EUROPE: PROBLEMS AND CHALLENGES**
- 13. BIOMETHAN - CURRENT STATE AND PERSPECTIVES (CZECH REP., AUSTRIA AND EU)**
- 14. ENERGY SAVING**
- 15. BIOMASS POTENTIALS AND BIOMASS COMPETITIVENESS**



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