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### Using GenAI to teach information literacy in Engineering Technical Writing

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# Technical Writing Fall 2024

## Activity #1 PollEverywhere

- Prompt: What do you hope to learn today?
- One minute to anonymous free write.

## Introduction:

- Name and Job Title
- Experience with the Class and/or library instruction
- How to Contact me
- Where are the students in the process? (Instructor)

## Activity #2 PollEverywhere

- Prompt: Explain your possible topic idea.
- Write down what they knew, what they didn't, and what they might do next.
- One minute to anonymous free write.

## Activity #3 AI

Using the AI LLM of Choice, explain your topic. Ask what are some areas I can research.

## Activity #4 PollEverywhere

- Reflect on your experience explaining your topic to a human and a computer.
- Introduce AI Best Practices to Help with your research and writing.

## Quicksearch

- Overview
- Create an account
- Try out your final project searches.

## Activity #5 PollEverywhere

Reflect on your experience

## LibGuide, Databases, & More

- Introduce the course guide: <https://libguides.wustl.edu/techwriting>
- Overview of Databases and the Database Finder
- LibKey Nomad
- Source Evaluation Page

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## Open Research Time

### Activity #6 PollEverywhere (10 minutes left of class)

What are your next steps?

## Close the Class

Contact information, how to get help and how to book appointments.

### Activity #7 Polleverywhere

- Tell me one thing you learned today.
- Tell me one thing you want to learn more about

### Activity #8 Polleverywhere

Questions