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- 4 Guidelines for developing poster presentation and oral presentations—two of the most common ways of conveying information in the sciences—have been combined into a single chapter, eliminating redundancies and highlighting the similarities involved in preparing for these two venues.
- 5 And finally, the essay question on burger characteristics (Ch. 11) has been updated—at considerable digestive cost!

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To Oliver

If all art aspires to the condition of music,
all the sciences aspire to the condition of mathematics.

George Santayana

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