



Postdoc Appreciation Week

Event Program

19 - 23 September 2022





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We want to celebrate & showcase the fantastic contributions of postdocs in Germany to research, teaching, administration & more during the Postdoc Appreciation Week!

The Postdoc Appreciation Week has been celebrated in the UK and the US for years to bring postdocs into the limelight and we are strongly convinced that postdocs in Germany deserve as well more attention, visibility and support given their key role in the German academic system – and their difficult working conditions/career perspectives.

During the last months, we have reached out to institutions, networks, organizations and individuals supporting postdocs in Germany to make the Postdoc Appreciation Week an established celebratory week. We are absolutely overwhelmed by the positive responses – on a rather short notice. It is amazing to see that so many are supporting this initiative and are organizing special events for postdocs during the PAW.

You will find many of these supporters, who are contributing with events, here in the PAW event program, but there are definitely many more on board who are supporting the PAW in different ways. A big thanks to everyone involved! This week would have not been possible without this vast support and all your contributions!

While preparing the program, we learned so much about the fantastic work of dedicated colleagues at different institutions, networks and organizations in Germany. Every one of us is absolutely aware of the difficult situation postdocs in Germany face and we are doing our best to support them with the resources available to us.

PAW Event Program

This program includes almost 70 virtual and in-person events that will take place during the PAW from September, 19th-23rd. We provide an information platform for all these events which are organized by the respective institutions, networks and organizations. Most of these events are open events that postdocs from any institution can join (irrespective of whether your institution is organizing an event or not).

For events with limited number of participants, please make sure that you **can and will** attend before you register as there may be many others interested.

Please note that we are only providing information about the events, but the respective institutions, networks and organisations are the ones responsible for the content and registration. Events may be subject to changes. If you have any questions related to a particular event, please get in touch directly with the organizer/host. The contact details of the people in charge are also provided. We will try our best to update the program on Linktree, but please bear with us if something does not work out as expected.

We are also inviting everyone for a short kick-off for the week on Monday, Sept. 19 from 9:00-9:30 am. (see the program).

PAW Social Media Campaign

To establish the Postdoc Appreciation Week more firmly in the scientific community and to promote it to a wider audience, we are additionally organising a (social media) campaign during the week. We are inviting everyone – postdocs, professors, PIs, science managers, coordinators, institutions & networks to join.



About the Initiative

In the spirit of the Postdoc Appreciation Week, we would particularly encourage professors and PIs get a chance to express their appreciation for (their) postdocs. The campaign also provides an opportunity for postdocs to convey their views and wishes about their own postdoc experience in Germany and to address the challenges they are facing. **For details, please [refer to the last pages of this program file.](#)**

Please spread the word and feel free to share these materials with social media managers, researchers and everyone else involved in supporting postdocs in Germany.

When you share and comment on posts, please make sure you observe general Netiquette rules. This should be a safe space for researchers to share their contributions.

Your PAW Coordinators

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Postdoc Appreciation Week Germany

Event Program 19 - 23 September 2022

| | Monday 19 | Tuesday 20 | Wednesday 21 | Thursday 22 | Friday 23 |
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| Morning | PAW Kick-Off Event (09:00 - 09:30) | Praxisworkshop: Energie tanken (09:30 - 11:30) | Grenzen setzen & Nein sagen (09:00 - 17:00) | Karriereoptionen außerhalb der Wissenschaft (Impulsvortrag) (10:00 - 11:00) | Impulse zur Entwicklung einer Drittmittelstrategie für PostDocs (09:15 - 16:00) |
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Colour legend and event language

Deutsch English German & English



MONDAY, 19 SEPTEMBER 2022

Kick-off Event Postdoc Appreciation Week

organized by the Munich Postdoc Network & Research and the Innovation Service at Leibniz University Hannover

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 19.09.2022, 09:00 AM-09:30 AM

Description We will start the week with a short kick-off meeting open for postdocs, PIs and science managers and everyone else involved or interested in the Postdoc Appreciation Week.

We will present the idea behind the Postdoc Appreciation Week, and share highlights from the event program and kick-start the week's social media campaign. We invite everyone to join this short session on Monday morning!

Trainer/Speaker Anneke Meyer, Britta Lesniak & Maria Leuteritz, Leibniz Universität Hannover; Camila Hernández Frederick, Max Planck Institute of Biochemistry; Neele Meyer, Helmholtz Munich

Target group Everyone interested and involved in the Postdoc Appreciation Week

#PAWde #PAW-KickOff

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: No

Link to join: <https://meet.gwdg.de/b/bri-sae-hfo-tne>

Further information: If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with your PAW Coordinators via https://linktr.ee/paw_de



Events – Monday, 19 September 2022

The balanced researcher – from understanding stress to building healthy habits

organized by the Leuphana Universität Lüneburg

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 19.09.2022, 09:00 AM-10:00 AM

Description The postdoctoral phase is an exciting and challenging time. You likely invest a lot of energy and passion in your work, and there are other parts to your life too. This workshop series will equip you with the essential strategies for beating the “busyness to burnout pipeline”.

This workshop runs over three days:

- Day 1 | Sept. 19 | 9 am - 10 am | From understanding stress to building healthy habits
- Day 2 | Sept. 20 | 9 am - 10 am | Clarity, Focus & Strategic Vision
- Day 3 | Sept. 21 | 9 am - 10 am | Strategies that work

Trainer/Speaker Dr. Tobias Rasse

Target group Postdoctoral researchers

#leuphana #PAWde

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Max. number of participants: 25 | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: <https://www.leuphana.de/en/graduate-school/doctorate-postdoc/competence-development/competencies/details/the-balanced-researcher-from-understanding-stress-to-building-healthy-habits.html>

Further information: If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr. Nadine Dablé, dable@leuphana.de

About the Host: Leuphana Graduate School



Events – Monday, 19 September 2022

Online-Workshop Wissenschaftliches Schreiben / Scientific Writing (19+20/9/2022)

organisiert von der Graduiertenakademie TU Clausthal/ Graduate
academy Clausthal University of Technology

Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 19.09.2022, 9:00 AM-5:00 PM

Beschreibung Das Veröffentlichen der eigenen Ergebnisse stellt die Währung in der modernen Wissenschaft dar. Es ist vielleicht nicht die liebste Aufgabe für Wissenschaftler:innen, aber es ist eine entscheidende und trägt maßgeblich dazu bei, welche Forschungsmöglichkeiten einem in Zukunft offenstehen. Ziel des Workshops ist es, den Schreibprozess an einem eigenen Text in allen Schritten exemplarisch durchlaufen. Der Workshop findet in English oder Deutsch am 19. und 20.9.22, jeweils 9-17 Uhr statt.

Trainer/Dozent/Referent Dr. Carsten Rohr (<https://www.carstenrohr.de/>)

Gastgeber: Graduiertenakademie TU Clausthal

Zielgruppe Postdocs und andere Forscher:innen, die den Schreibprozess in allen Schritten exemplarisch durchlaufen wollen/ Postdocs

#ScientificWriting

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen |
Max. Teilnehmerzahl: 16 | **Vorherige Anmeldung nötig:** Ja

Anmeldelink: <https://www.qualifizierung-karriere.tu-clausthal.de/gesamt/workshops/seminare/wissenschaftliches-schreiben>

Weitere Hinweise: Online-Workshop mit aktiver Teilnahme (Anschalten der Kamera, Gruppenarbeit).

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Dr. Jacqueline Leßig-Owlanj, Geschäftsführung Graduiertenakademie TU Clausthal, jacqueline.lessig-owlanj@tu-clausthal.de

Über die Einrichtung: Die Graduiertenakademie der TU Clausthal ist die Fördereinrichtung für den wissenschaftlichen Nachwuchs an der TU Clausthal. Wir bieten ein breites Spektrum an Weiterbildungsmaßnahmen im überfachlichen Bereich, Karriereinformationsveranstaltungen und Beratungen für alle Karrierephasen an.



Events – Monday, 19 September 2022

„Bin ich auf dem richtigen Weg?“ – Der Ausstieg aus der Wissenschaft als permanente Option (Publication Week)

organisiert von der Universitätsbibliothek und dem
Graduiertenzentrum der Universität Hildesheim

Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 19.09.2022, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM

Beschreibung Wie kommt es, dass sich Postdocs für den Verbleib im oder den Ausstieg aus der Wissenschaft entscheiden? Postdocs befinden sich in einem Orientierungsprozess, in dem sie ihren Weg im Wissenschaftssystem, ausgelöst durch kritische Ereignisse, immer wieder infrage stellen. Was anstrengend klingt, Ressourcen bindet und raubt, ist gleichzeitig eine Strategie die Unsicherheit der Wissenschaftskarriere selbst zu kontrollieren, statt sich ihren Wirkungen auszuliefern.

Trainer/Dozent/Referent Dr. Svea Korff ist Geschäftsführerin des Graduiertenzentrums der Universität Hildesheim und Beraterin für Wissenschaftler:innen in ihrer frühen Karrierephase. Sie ist seit 2015 Sprecherin des Forschungsclusters „Hochschule und Bildung“ und war Koordinatorin des DFG-geförderten wissenschaftlichen Netzwerks „Ausstieg aus der Wissenschaft“ (2018-2020).

Moderator: Dr. Ninon Franziska Frank - Fachreferentin Universitätsbibliothek Universität Hildesheim

Zielgruppe Postdocs mit Ausstiegsgedanken

#PublicationWeek #UniHildesheim

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen | Max. Teilnehmerzahl: 100 | Vorherige Anmeldung nötig: Ja

AnmeldeLink: <https://www.uni-hildesheim.de/cldrei/anmeldung/gz.php>

Weitere Hinweise: Ein Online-Vortrag mit der Möglichkeit Fragen zu stellen und zu diskutieren.

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Dr. Svea Korff, Universität Hildesheim - Graduiertenzentrum, gz@uni-hildesheim.de

Über die Einrichtung: Das Graduiertenzentrum bildet eine Dachstruktur für die fächerübergreifenden Aktivitäten rund um die Nachwuchsförderung und die akademische Personalentwicklung.

Die Universitätsbibliothek ist das wissenschaftliche Informationszentrum der Universität Hildesheim.



Events – Monday, 19 September 2022

Karrierewege zur Professur – für Postdocs

organisiert von dem Deutschen Hochschulverband (DHV)

Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 19.09.2022, 10:00 AM-10:45 AM

Beschreibung Im Kurzseminar sollen die Wege zur Juniorprofessur und zur Vollprofessur beleuchtet werden: Welche Einstellungsvoraussetzungen muss ich für eine Juniorprofessur mitbringen? Ab wann kann ich mich auf eine Vollprofessur bewerben? Muss ich zuvor die Habilitation erfolgreich beendet haben? Was sind habilitationsadäquate Leistungen? Beim Weg zur Professur gilt es auch mal innezuhalten und zu schauen, was bisher erreicht wurde und was noch zu tun ist (Stärken-/Schwächen-Analyse).

Trainer/Dozent/Referent RA Dr. Ulrike Preißler, Justitiarin für Hochschul- und Beamtenrecht im Deutschen Hochschulverband.

Seit 2002 ist Frau Dr. Preißler Justitiarin beim DHV mit dem Schwerpunkt Hochschul- und Beamtenrecht. Im Speziellen widmet sie sich den folgenden Themen: W-Besoldung, Berufungs- und Bleibeverhandlungen an den Hochschulen, Erstberufung, Kommunikation und Selbstpräsentation in der Wissenschaft sowie Befristungsrecht beim wissenschaftlichen Nachwuchs. Auf dieser Basis berät und coacht sie die Mitglieder des DHV bei der Planung ihrer Hochschulkarriere.

Zielgruppe alle Postdocs

@DHV_Tweet / #professur, #wisskarriere, #postdoc

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen |
Max. Teilnehmerzahl: 30 | **Vorherige Anmeldung nötig:** Ja

Anmeldelink: https://www.dhvseminare.de/karrierewege_paw

Weitere Hinweise: Es handelt sich um einen Vortrag plus Fragerunde. Bitte schalten Sie Ihre Kameras ein!

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Roya Darabi M.A., Projektmanagerin im DHV, darabi@hochschulverband.de

Über die Einrichtung: Der Deutsche Hochschulverband (DHV) ist die Berufsvertretung der Wissenschaftlerinnen und Wissenschaftler in Deutschland mit über 32.000 Mitgliedern – darunter mehr als 6.000 Nachwuchswissenschaftler.

Er vertritt ihre Interessen gegenüber dem Staat und der Öffentlichkeit. Zugleich versteht sich der DHV als umfassende Service- und Informationseinrichtung für die Scientific Community.



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Grundwissen zu Arbeitszeugnissen für Postdocs

organisiert von dem Deutschen Hochschulverband

Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 19.09.2022, 11:00 AM-11:45 AM

Beschreibung Bei Bewerbungen auf Stellen im Bereich der Wissenschaft - aber auch darüber hinaus - werden die Bewerbungsunterlagen üblicherweise durch Zeugnisse und Urkunden abgerundet. Dieses Kurzseminar erläutert, wann und in welcher Form wissenschaftliche Mitarbeitende ein Arbeitszeugnis verlangen können. Es werden Anspruchsvoraussetzungen, Form und Inhalt eines Arbeitszeugnisses besprochen und auf die Besonderheiten der Zeugnissprache eingegangen.

Trainer/Dozent/Referent RA Dr. Vanessa Adam, Justitiarin für Hochschul- und Arbeitsrecht im Deutschen Hochschulverband.

Seit Oktober 2011 ist Frau Dr. Adam Justitiarin beim DHV. Ihre beruflichen Schwerpunkte liegen im Arbeits-, Beamten- und Hochschulrecht und sie berät die Mitglieder des DHV zu allen Fragen rund um die wissenschaftliche Karriere, Bewerbung und Berufung auf eine Professur.

Zielgruppe alle Postdocs

@DHV_Tweet / #Arbeitszeugnis, #wisskarriere, #postdoc

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen | Yes, the event is open to external participants | Max. Teilnehmerzahl: 30 | Vorherige Anmeldung nötig: Ja

Anmeldelink: https://www.dhvseminare.de/arbeitszeugnisse_paw

Weitere Hinweise: Es handelt sich um einen Vortrag plus Fragerunde. Bitte schalten Sie Ihre Kameras ein!

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Roya Darabi M.A., Projektmanagerin im DHV, darabi@hochschulverband.de

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Erfolgsentscheidend - selbst entscheiden! Karriere in der Wissenschaft... oder nicht?

organisiert von Dr. Oliver Grewe

Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 19.09.2022, 11:00 AM-12:00 PM

Beschreibung Entdecke den Schlüssel für eine erfolgreiche Wissenschaftskarriere! Hier geht es buchstäblich um Wert-Schätzung für Postdocs. Du willst Verantwortung übernehmen und Dich engagieren, aber Dich NICHT in einem unterfinanzierten System ausnutzen lassen? Ich teile mit Dir meine Learnings aus dem Postdoc und 15 Jahren Wissenschaftsmanagement und -förderung: in drei Schritten hälst Du den Schlüssel zu einer erfolgreichen Karriere in Händen - innerhalb oder außerhalb der Wissenschaft.

Trainer/Dozent/Referent Dr. Oliver Grewe ist Wissenschaftsmanager und Coach. Seinen Einstieg ins Wissenschaftsmanagement hatte er bei der Studienstiftung des deutschen Volkes und der Wissenschaftlichen Kommission Niedersachsen. Als wissenschaftlicher Referent bei der Volkswagenstiftung war er mit der Betreuung und Konzipierung verschiedener Förderinitiativen betraut. Sieben Jahre lang war er verantwortlich für das Nachwuchsförderprogramm „Freigeist-Fellowships“.

Zielgruppe Postdocs, die Verantwortung für die eigene Karriere übernehmen wollen.

#Wissenschaftskarriere

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen | Yes, the event is open to external participants | Max. Teilnehmerzahl: 100 | Vorherige Anmeldung nötig: Nein

Anmelde-link: <https://oliver-grewe.de/paw>

Weitere Hinweise: Bitte Papier und Stift bereithalten.

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Dr. Oliver Grewe, coaching@oliver-grewe.de

Über den Veranstalter: Dr. Oliver Grewe ist seit 2015 als Trainer und Coach im Bereich Wissenschaft und Wissenschaftsmanagement. Gemeinsam mit Mirjam Müller hat er 2020 das Buch "Wissenschaftsmanagement als Beruf" im Campus Verlag veröffentlicht.



Events – Monday, 19 September 2022

Funding Opportunities for Postdocs

organized by the Research and Innovation Service at the Leibniz University Hannover

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 19.09.2022, 12:00 PM-1:00 PM

Description You plan to write a research proposal but are not sure which calls and programmes would be best for you? This course will help! In its first 20 minutes, participants will get a rough overview

- of the third party funding-landscape in Germany,
- specifically those programmes that are best suited for postdocs, and
- how to obtain information on them.

We will proceed with a 40 minutes session in which participants can ask questions and discuss their strategies for their own road map to funding.

Trainer/Speaker Dr. Britta Lesniak, Leibniz Universität Hannover

Dr. Maria Leuteritz, Leibniz Universität Hannover

Target group Doctoral researchers in their final year and early-career postdocs who plan to stay in academia and need an overview of funding opportunities during the postdoc phase

#FundingForPostdocs #ECR #PathsToFunding

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: No

Registration: <https://meet.gwdg.de/b/bri-vev-ejs-obu>

Further information: We wish for an active participation in the discussion session.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr. Maria Leuteritz, maria.leuteritz@zuv.uni-hannover.de

About the Host: Research and Innovation Service at Leibniz University Hannover provides guidance and support for researchers and administrators in search of funding opportunities. This includes assistance in the preparation and submission of proposals, support with research data management, assistance in the interaction with industry partners, in knowledge transfer, and in turning innovative ideas into viable business concepts.



Events – Monday, 19 September 2022

The mysterious German retirement system & The WissZeitVG (a.k.a. How to get kicked out of academia without knowing it)

organized by the Max Delbrück Center Berlin/ Postdoc Association at MDC and FMP

Virtual Events, Date & Time: 19.09.2022, 12:30 PM-3:30 PM

Description Curious about your retirement situation when working as a postdoc? Join us for this informative seminar where you will have the chance to know where your money is going and how it will come back to you eventually!

Do you know you will be kicked out of academia FOR GOOD if you don't find a permanent position in research 6 years after your doctoral degree? well, if you don't know or if you need to know more join us! Martin Schrader will explain every detail of it!

Please note that the event covers both topics.

Trainer/Speaker [Martin Schrader](#)

Host Dr. Giovanna D. Ielacqua, Postdoc at MDC Berlin - Helmholtz Association

Target group Postdocs and other researchers

#retirement #postdoctrights #wisszeitVG #contracts

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: https://mdc-berlin.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_p1s_os6WSDO9Lv1qZ_4Gtw

Please also refer to the Twitter account https://twitter.com/FMP_MDC_PDA

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Giovanna D. Ielacqua, ielacquagiovanna@gmail.com

About the Host: Postdoc Association at MDC and FMP: Our goal is to support you in your career planning and advancement. Whether you aim at staying in academia, switch to a career in industry, science management or science communication, or whether you plan to found your own company – we offer resources and contacts to help you find the way into your individual professional future.



Events – Monday, 19 September 2022

Career Talk – BioPharma Consulting

organized by the Career Center of the German Center for Neurodegenerative Diseases (DZNE)

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 19.09.2022, 1:00:00 PM-2:00:00 PM

Description What can be possible career paths for postdocs outside academic research? How can you approach your transition and what kind of skills might be important? Learn from the first-hand experience of Dr. Mariana Cerdeira, a neuroscientist and science communicator who moved into pharma consulting. She will share her personal career story, give an insight into her daily tasks, and answer your questions.

Trainer/Speaker Dr. Mariana Cerdeira, Science Communicator and Manager at Catenion BioPharma Strategy Consulting

Host Dr. Silke Thul DZNE Career Center <https://www.dzne.de/en/jobs/your-opportunities-at-the-dzne/career-opportunities-for-early-career-researchers/career-center/>

Target group Postdocs interested in non-academic career paths

#careersoutsideacademia, #careertalk, #careersinpharmaconsulting

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: <https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZlc-mrrjMpE9SJj0DzfzNkKpQgC8W4aP3L>

Further information: Please keep your camera on and write your questions in the chat.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr. Silke Thul DZNE Career Center (careercenter@dzne.de)

About the Host: DZNE (German Center for Neurodegenerative Diseases) is a Helmholtz Center dedicated to understand the causes of diseases of the brain and the nervous system and to find novel approaches for effective prevention, therapy, and patient care. The DZNE Career Center provides a variety of support offers for postdocs and doctoral researchers, including workshops, seminars, career talks but also information and consultation on different career paths.



Events – Monday, 19 September 2022

Make your science credible with open science

organized by the Munich Postdoc Network in collaboration with the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 19.09.2022, 2:00 PM-2:45 PM

Description Do you want to gain more trust in your research, and make it as credible as it can be in the eyes of your peers, the public, and funding agencies? This is an overview of how open science practices can help you achieve this. Specifically, we will briefly discuss how planning your statistical plans in advance can make your research more reliable, and how creating workflow using fundamental computing skills can make your research more reproducible; altogether making your work more replicable.

Trainer/Speaker Dr. Malika Ihle, LMU Open Science Center coordinator

https://www.osc.uni-muenchen.de/about_us/coordinator/index.html

Host

The event will be hosted by Serena Schwenkert, LMU

Target group any scientist

#OpenScience

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Max. number of participants: 40 | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: <https://lmu-zoom.us/meeting/register/tJUpfuygqTqjGtIbj2F7hIVc6rEYnkGWlc4s>

Further information: This is a brief 20 induction, we expect another 20 min of discussion and questions from the audience.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: munich-postdoc@gwdg.de

About the host: Munich Postdoc Network in collaboration with the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München. Find out more about us at <https://munich-postdoc-network.mpg.de/>.

The Munich Postdoc Network is an initiative from the Postdoc Associations of the Helmholtz Munich, the Hochschule München University of Applied Sciences, the LMU Faculty of Biology, the LMU Biomedical Center Munich, the Max Planck Institute (MPI) of Biochemistry, the MPI for Biological Intelligence i.f., the MPI of Psychiatry and the Technical University of Munich (TUM). We aim to connect postdoctoral researchers working in the Munich area and facilitate communication among them. Moreover, we envision a wide collaborative organisation to identify areas of need and develop solutions to improve the postdoc experience.



Events – Monday, 19 September 2022

Careers beyond academia

organized by the German Scholars Organization e.V.

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 19.09.2022, 4:00 PM-5:15 PM

Description Transitioning from academia to another sector can be challenging: How do my skills translate to a job in the business, public or non-profit sectors? Where can I find inspiration and what's behind certain job titles? How should my CV and a cover letter look like? Are there other ways to get a job? Do I need a LinkedIn profile and how can I leverage this tool?

The workshop will give first answers and offers a space to discuss questions and experiences of the participants.

Trainer/Speaker Anne Schreiter is Executive Director of the German Scholars Organization (GSO), an independent nonprofit in Berlin that advises, connects, promotes, and funds researchers who want to build a career in Germany.

She studied Social and Business Communications and Sociology in Berlin and Chinese Language in Nanjing, China. After receiving her PhD in Organizational Sociology from the University of St. Gallen, she spent a year as postdoctoral researcher at UC Berkeley, USA. She then transitioned from academia to the nonprofit sector.

Connect with Anne via [LinkedIn](#) or [Twitter](#)!

Target group Postdocs or also other researchers who want to transition from academia to other sectors.

#PAWde #PAWgso #Careers #BeyondAcademia

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Max. number of participants: 300 | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: <https://www.eventbrite.de/e/free-webinar-careers-beyond-academia-pawde-tickets-406886918727>

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Anne Schreiter, Executive Director German Scholars Organization, info@gsonet.org

About the Host: German Scholars Organization e.V. (GSO) is an independent nonprofit in Berlin that advises, connects, promotes, and funds researchers who want to build a career in Germany.

www.gsonet.org



Events – Monday, 19 September 2022

Migration: A journey through its different stages and its emotional management

organized by the Helmholtz Institute for Functional Marine Biodiversity (HIFMB) & the Society of Spanish Scientists in Germany (CERFA)

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 19.09.2022, 4:00 PM-5:15 PM

Description Living abroad is an experience that places you out of the comfort zone. On one hand it's an opportunity for personal and professional growth, but it can also be threatening. Loneliness, frustration for not being able to express in a new language, the quest for the next job... challenge our resources. Postdocs know all too well about it. Here you will hear about the migration journey, its different stages from the psychological and emotional point of view and get few tools to deal with hard moments.

Trainer/Speaker Tonina Ferrer is a psychologist and a coach. She is specialized in wellbeing and personal development. Particularly, she has devoted 10 years of her professional activity, to work with Spaniards living abroad, providing support in the process of developing their personal resources, thus enabling them to maximise their potential and wellbeing. She is specialist in migration and mental health. (www.toninaferrer.com)

Host Gema Martínez Méndez, Vicepresident of CERFA and scientific coordinator at HIFMB (www.martinez-mendez.com)

Target group Postdocs in general

#LivingAbroad

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: No

Registration:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81979084088?pwd=WUNVaDF1Tm5WM2dPcmhKR2FLYy8wZz09>

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr Gema Martínez Méndez, HIFMB, CERFA, gema.martinezmendez@hifmb.de

About the Host: The Helmholtz Institute for Functional Marine Biodiversity (HIFMB) is a research institute located in Oldenburg. It researches marine biodiversity and its importance for the function of marine ecosystems (www.hifmb.de).

CERFA is the association of Spanish researchers in Germany (www.cerfa.de).



Events – Monday, 19 September 2022

Conversations among Postdocs: Strengthening our community

organized by the DKFZ Postdoc Network (PDN)

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 19.09.2022, 5:00 PM-6:00 PM

Description In this virtual session, postdocs are invited to participate in a conversation about how the challenges of being a postdoc are handled in Germany. Invited Postdoc speakers will discuss about initiatives and ideas that have/haven't worked at their institutions to tackle issues like career opportunities and short-term contracts, among others. This session is meant to provide a platform to enhance the networking among postdocs all around Germany.

Trainer/Speaker Postdocs around Germany

Target group Postdocs

#DKFZ #Postdocs

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: No

Registration:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86097027060?pwd=QXNCdVdXa2t5My9HVzFEMDE2cWlsUT09>

Further information: Participation can be active or passive. Please make sure to keep your comments brief and respectful. The discussions are meant to be simultaneously critical and proactive.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr. Mariana Schulte-Sasse, DKFZ, Manager Postdoc Office, mariana.schulte-sasse@dkfz.de

About the Host: The DKFZ Postdoc Network (PDN) is a bottom-up organisation of the postdocs at the German Cancer Research Center (DKFZ).



Events – Monday, 19 September 2022

CERFA – The Network for Spanish researchers in Germany

organized by CERFA, Científicos Españoles en la República Federal Alemana

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 19.09.2022, 5:30 PM-6:30 PM

Description Are you a Spanish researcher in Germany or do you know any? Would you like to connect with other Spanish researchers in your field or are you maybe just seeking for some exchange about aspects of living in Germany, share jokes that others do not get or feel part of a big family? Join this event to get to know CERFA, the association of Spanish researchers in Germany.

Trainer/Speaker Gema Martínez Méndez, vicepresident of CERFA (www.cerfa.de, www.martinez-mendez.com)

Target group Postdocs and researchers originally from Spain

#FromSpain

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: No

Registration:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81979084088?pwd=WUNVaDF1Tm5WM2dPcmhKR2FLYy8wZz09>

Further information: If you are not Spanish but are curious about us, feel free to join! we collaborate with many people and institutions for organizing events or exchanging ideas

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr Gema Martínez Méndez, Vicepresident of CERFA, gema.martinezmendez@hifmb.de

About the Host: CERFA, Científicos Españoles en la República Federal Alemana (The Society of Spanish Scientists in the Federal Republic of Germany) was founded in 2013 to bring together Spanish researchers living in Germany through an independent, non-profit association for scientific purposes. Our objectives include serving as a networking platform for researchers, facilitating collaborations, helping settling, disseminating science and proposing improvements to the Spanish R&D&I system.



Events – Monday, 19 September 2022

Debating Challenges for Brazilian Postdocs and Early Career Researchers in Germany – Hub Baden-Württemberg

organized by Rede Apoena

In-person event, Date & Time: 19.09.2022, 7:00 PM-10:00 PM

Lehnert Wirtshaus Karlsruhe

Karlstraße 21a, 76133 Karlsruhe

76133 Karlsruhe

<https://g.page/lehner-karlsruhe?share>

Description This is a cultural evening and networking event organized by Rede Apoena, the network of Brazilian researchers in Germany. Apoena has the mission of connecting Brazilian researchers from different fields in order to disseminate scientific production, promote job opportunities and exchange tips on life in Germany.

The event will feature an introductory round of the participants and open discussions about the challenges of academia in Germany for Brazilian scientists.

Trainer/Speaker Nathalia Sautchuk Patrício

Brazilian computer engineer. Research Assistant at Karlsruhe Hochschule (HKA). She is a former German Chancellor Fellow granted by the Alexander von Humboldt Stiftung.

Target group Brazilian postdocs, as well as PhD students currently pursuing postdoc positions in Germany

#Apoena #RedeApoena #BrasilAlemanha #cientistasbrasileiros #pós doutorado

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Max. number of participants: 25 | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: <https://forms.gle/mcpKZdiQewb4VDNd7>

Further information: The event will be held in Portuguese. This is an in-person and self-paid event (all participants must pay for their own food/drink consumption).

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Nathalia Sautchuk Patrício (Communication Team of the Apoena Network):
redapeona.comunicacao@gmail.com

About the Host: Rede Apoena is the network of Brazilian researchers and scientists working in Germany. The network aims to connect researchers from different areas of knowledge while fostering the collaboration between the two countries.

<http://www.redapeona.org>

<https://twitter.com/RedeApoena>



TUESDAY, 20 SEPTEMBER 2022

Praxisworkshop: Energie tanken

organisiert von der JMU Research Academy, Universität Würzburg

Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 20.09.2022, 9:30 AM-11:30 AM

Beschreibung Unser Alltag ist mitunter sehrfordernd: Eine Frist jagt die andere. Wir hetzen von einer Aufgabe zur nächsten. Die Grenzen zwischen Privatleben und Beruf verschwimmen. Gleichzeitig sind die Erwartungen hoch, die wir selbst und andere an uns stellen. Um den vielfältigen Anforderungen des Alltags selbstbestimmt zu begegnen, ist es wichtig, dass wir lernen für uns selbst zu sorgen: Was raubt mir Energie? Was sind meine Kraftquellen und Ressourcen? Was kann ich tun, um aufzutanken und zu entspannen?

Trainer/Dozent/Referent Dr. Daniela Seybold, JMU Research Academy, Universität Würzburg

Zielgruppe alle Wissenschaftler*innen

#uniwue, #selfcare, #leadership

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen |
Max. Teilnehmerzahl: 300 | **Vorherige Anmeldung nötig:** Ja

Anmeldelink: <https://go.uniwers.de/paw-energie>

Weitere Hinweise: Interaktiver Vortrag, Kamera und Mikro werden benötigt

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Krischan Brandl, Leiter Personalentwicklung im wissenschaftlichen Bereich, JMU Research Academy, Universität Würzburg, krischan.brandl@uni-wuerzburg.de

Über die Einrichtung: Die JMU Research Academy der JMU Würzburg pflegt seit 2018 ein Netzwerk aller Anbieter von Personalentwicklungsmaßnahmen für Wissenschaftlerinnen und Wissenschaftler.

Sie bündelt alle Trainings, Coaching- oder Mentoring-Angebote sowie verschiedene andere Formate, die WissenschaftlerInnen auf ihrem individuellen Karriereweg unterstützen und schafft je nach Bedarf neue passgenaue Angebote.

Die JMU Research Academy betreut dabei Promotionsstudierende und Postdocs ebenso wie Professor*innen.



Standortbestimmung für Postdocs

organisiert vom Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office, JLU Gießen

Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 20.09.2022, 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Beschreibung Um die eigene Karriere strategisch planen zu können, ist es notwendig, zunächst den eigenen Standort zu bestimmen. Der Kurzworkshop gibt Einblicke in zentrale Handlungs- und Qualifizierungsfelder für Wissenschaftler:innen. Sie analysieren, welche Bereiche Sie bereits gut abdecken und wo Sie sich weiterentwickeln möchten. Zugleich gibt der Workshop einen Überblick über die Kompetenzen, die Sie als Postdoc bereits mitbringen und in Ihrer inner- oder außeruniversitären Karriere einbringen können.

Trainer/Dozent/Referent Dr. Diana Hitzke ist Referentin im Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office (PCMO) an der Justus-Liebig-Universität (JLU) Gießen. Sie ist Literatur- und Kulturwissenschaftlerin und hat als Projektkoordinatorin am Zentrum für Medien und Interaktivität (ZMI) gearbeitet. Zuvor war sie wissenschaftliche Mitarbeiterin an der JLU Gießen und an der Technischen Universität Dresden sowie Stipendiatin an der Universität Erfurt.

Zielgruppe Postdocs und fortgeschrittene Promovierende

#StandortbestimmungPostdocs

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen |
Vorherige Anmeldung nötig: Ja

Anmeldelink: <https://webconf.hrz.uni-giessen.de/b/dia-qzk-ndf-yzz>

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Dr. Diana Hitzke (diana.hitzke@admin.uni-giessen.de) und Silke Rapp (silke.rapp@admin.uni-giessen.de)

Über die Einrichtung: Das Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office ist die zentrale Servicestelle für Postdocs aller Fachbereiche an der JLU Gießen. Wir bieten Postdocs Weiterbildungen und individuelle Beratungen zu allen Themen ihrer Karriere und vernetzen Postdocs innerhalb ihrer Disziplinen sowie darüber hinaus.



Postdoc Talks | Let's talk Science

organized by the Postdoc Center HZDR-TUD

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 20.09.2022, 11:30 AM-1:30 PM

Description In our Postdoc Talks, we shed light on career-relevant aspects of the postdoc phase. Experts share their know-how and (insider) tips while answering your questions.

In this talk, you will get an overview of approaches for strategic planning of science communication. You will learn about critical questions that will help you strategize your communication easily and intuitively. Liliann Fischer is deputy project lead and research associate at Wissenschaft im Dialog in the project Transfer Unit.

Trainer/Speaker About the speaker: Liliann Fischer is deputy project lead and research associate at Wissenschaft im Dialog in the project Transfer Unit, a joint project with the Berlin Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities which aims to bring together science communication research and practice.

<https://www.wissenschaft-im-dialog.de>

Host: Angela Böhm | Deputy Head of Unit | Graduate Academy/Postdoc Center HZDR-TUD

Target group Postdocs who are interested in tips on Science Communication

#science communication #Helmholtz #HZDR #TUDresden #graduiertenakademie
#GraduateAcademy #PostdocCenter

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?:
Yes

Registration: <https://tu-dresden.zoom.us/meeting/register/u50kdu2gqDsrGNeTcOBktqidvl0pn4VsRLD>

Further information: This lecture helps to get started in science communication and also provides for researchers with communication experience approaches for deepening and reflection. After a short keynote presentation, you will have the chance to ask your questions and join.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Angela Böhm | Deputy Head of Unit | Graduate Academy/Postdoc Center HZDR-TUD | postdoccenter@tu-dresden.de

About the Host: The Postdoc Center is a joint project of the Helmholtz-Zentrum Dresden-Rossendorf (HZDR) and the Graduate Academy of the Technische Universität Dresden (TUD). We are the central contact and service point for all questions concerning the decision-making and subsequent planning of further career steps after completing the doctorate, especially during the postdoc phase. Our coaching, mentoring and workshops help to get to know career paths within and outside of science for the Career Tracks Academia, Business, and Science Management.



Wer bin ich und wenn ja wie viele? – Akademisches Identitätsmanagement

organisiert vom Dezernat Forschung und EU-Hochschulbüro,
Technologietransfer der Leibniz Universität Hannover

Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 20.09.2022, 1:00 PM-2:00 PM

Beschreibung Ist Ihnen die korrekte Zuordnung Ihrer Publikationen zu Ihrer Person wichtig? Möchten Sie die Sichtbarkeit Ihrer Forschungsergebnisse erhöhen? Anhand eindeutiger Autorenidentifikatoren können Sie sich die Autorenschaft Ihrer Publikationen sichern sowie die eindeutige Verknüpfung von u.a. Zitationen ermöglichen. Dies ist entscheidend für das Auffinden und die Auswertbarkeit Ihrer Forschungsergebnisse. Wir geben einen Überblick über die Autorenprofile der gängigen Anbieter und Datenbanken.

Trainer/Dozent/Referent Franziska Altemeier, Julia Geidel, Pantea Rajabi, Leibniz Universität Hannover

Zielgruppe Postdocs, die sich und ihre Forschung sichtbarer machen und mehr über Autorenprofile und Autoren-IDs erfahren möchten.

#Autorenidentifikation #Author-ID #Autorenprofil #Forschungsergebnisse #Affiliation
#Sichtbarkeit #ORCID

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen | Vorherige Anmeldung nötig: Nein

Anmeldelink: <https://meet.gwdg.de/b/bri-vev-ejs-obu>

Weitere Hinweise: Über eine aktive Teilnahme und angeregte Diskussion würden wir uns freuen.

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Julia Geidel,
julia.geidel@zuv.uni-hannover.de

Über die Einrichtung: Das Dezernat Forschung und EU-Hochschulbüro, Technologietransfer an der Leibniz Universität Hannover bietet Informationen und Unterstützung zu allen Aspekten der Forschungsförderung und des Wissens- und Technologietransfers. Unser Beratungsspektrum umfasst allgemeine und programmspezifische Themen der nationalen und europäischen Forschungsförderung, Erfindungen und Patente, Gründung sowie die Vermittlung von Kontakten in die Industrie.



Wissenschaftspreise, Awards und Grants – braucht man Auszeichnungen?

organisiert vom Dezernat Forschung und EU-Hochschulbüro,
Technologietransfer der Leibniz Universität Hannover

Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 20.09.2022, 2:00 PM-3:00 PM

Beschreibung Wissenschaftspreise sind ein etabliertes Instrument der Leistungsbewertung und eine Auszeichnung von Forschenden. Zugleich sind Preise notorisch unberechenbar. Ist es also möglich, Wissenschaftspreise gezielt als Instrument der eigenen Karriereentwicklung zu nutzen? Und lohnt sich das überhaupt? Diese Veranstaltung nähert sich diesen Fragen an. Nach einem einführenden Input zum Thema Preise bekommen die Teilnehmenden Gelegenheit für Fragen und Austausch über ihre eigenen Erfahrungen.

Trainer/Dozent/Referent Dr. Britta Lesniak, Leibniz Universität Hannover

Zielgruppe Postdocs, die sich über das Förderinstrument Wissenschaftspreis und Wissenschaftspreise in Deutschland informieren möchten

#ScientificAwards #ScientificPrizes #Wissenschaftspreise

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen | Vorherige Anmeldung nötig: Nein

AnmeldeLink: <https://meet.gwdg.de/b/bri-vev-ejs-obu>

Weitere Hinweise: Es sind eine Q&A-Session und eine Diskussionsrunde geplant, aktive Teilnahme wird daher gewünscht.

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Dr. Britta Lesniak, Leibniz Universität Hannover, britta.lesniak@zuv.uni-hannover.de

Über die Einrichtung: Das Dezernat Forschung und EU-Hochschulbüro, Technologietransfer an der Leibniz Universität Hannover bietet Informationen und Unterstützung zu allen Aspekten der Forschungsförderung und des Wissens- und Technologietransfers. Unser Beratungsspektrum umfasst allgemeine und programmspezifische Themen der nationalen und europäischen Forschungsförderung, Erfindungen und Patente, Gründung sowie die Vermittlung von Kontakten in die Industrie.



Events – Tuesday, 20 September 2022

How to deal with the Imposter Syndrome

organized by the Career Center of German Research Centre for Geosciences in Potsdam

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 20.09.2022, 2:30 PM-3:30 PM

Description Imposter experience describes high-achieving individuals who, despite their objective successes, fail to internalize their accomplishments and have persistent self-doubt and fear of being exposed as a fraud or imposter. This is a 1-hour seminar and facilitated discussion which delivers the basics of imposter syndrome symptoms, background, and managing options and will be held by an expert of Dragonfly - Mental Health.

Trainer/Speaker This session will be held by an expert of Dragonfly – Mental Health
<https://dragonflymentalhealth.org/>

Host The GFZ Career Center will moderate this event. <https://career-center.gfz-potsdam.de/#top>

Target group Doctoral and postdoctoral researchers interested in mental health issues

#mentalhealth #imposter

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?:
Yes

Registration: Please register by sending an e-mail to career-center@gfz-potsdam.de

Further information: An active participation is very much appreciated.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Anke Lerch, GFZ Career Center, career-center@gfz-potsdam.de

About the Host: The Career Center of German Research Centre for Geosciences actively promotes the career development of all postdoctoral researchers at GFZ. We support systematic career planning, give career advice and facilitate networking in- and outside academia.



Events – Tuesday, 20 September 2022

A Career Booster for Postdocs: Explore Your Professional Identity & Gain Career Clarity

organized by PostDoc Center Adlershof, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin

In-person event, Date & Time: 20.09.2022, 2:30 PM-5:00 PM

Institute for Geography,

Room 0'101, Ground floor, Alfred-Rühl-Haus,

Rudower Chaussee 16,

12489 Berlin-Adlershof

Description In order to gain clarity, it is important to explore your professional identity and align your career goals and vision with that identity, which is based on your values, skills, interests and personality. Having a strong and clear Professional Identity will help you build a career based on your values and vision. This will also benefit you when it is time to transition, to easily identify ideal career paths and find more fulfilment in your career.

Trainer/Speaker Amani Said, Success beyond the lab,

<https://www.successbeyondthelab.com/>

Target group All postdocs

#postdoccareers #careerclarity #professionalidentity

Internal Event: The event is only for internal members | Max. number of participants: 30 | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: <https://fakultaeten.hu-berlin.de/de/mnf/wisskar/postdoc-center-adlershof/events>

Further information: The event will be followed by a small get-together.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Petya Jordan, Coordinator PDCA, petya.jordan@hu-berlin.de

About the Host: The PostDoc Center Adlershof (PDCA) at Humboldt Universität zu Berlin was launched in July 2022 with the aim to support postdocs in their career development through a wide variety of events and trainings, career counselling and information about funding and other opportunities.



Gastwissenschaftler*innenempfang

organized by the International Office at Leibniz University Hannover

Event vor Ort, Datum & Uhrzeit: 20.09.2022, 4:00 PM-8:00 PM

Welcome Center, LUH

Description International scientists enrich the research landscape at Leibniz Universität Hannover and make a significant contribution to its international profile. Leibniz University Hannover takes this occasion to highlight the importance of international cooperation and looks forward to meeting and exchanging ideas with these researchers.

Host: Manuela Schimmels, International Office, Leibniz University Hannover

Target group international Postdocs currently teaching and researching at LUH

#VisitingResearchers, #Welcome

Internal Event: The event is only for internal members | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: <http://go.lu-h.de/paw> (Link to internal pages)

Further information: Drinks and food will be provided.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Manuela Schimmels, International Office, Leibniz University Hannover, manuela.schimmels@zuv.uni-hannover.de

About the Host: The International Office at Leibniz University Hannover is responsible for exchange programs and can give you advice on scholarships and other forms of support. We are also in charge of developing internationalization at LUH and expanding cooperation between post-secondary institutions.



Telegrafenberg Pub Quiz and Networking Event

organized by the GFZ Career Centre and Post-doc Representatives

In-person event, Date & Time: 20.09.2022, 4:00 PM-5:30 PM

Cafe Freundlich, Telegrafenberg

Description Join us at Cafe Freundlich for Pub Quiz and finger food! Get to know your fellow Telegrafenberg post docs and learn some fun new facts while enjoying the great atmosphere of Cafe Freundlich. After pub quiz, we will hear remarks from the GFZ Staff Council and the GFZ post doc representatives will provide a brief summary of the recent Post doc Survey.

Host: Beate Kessler (GFZ) and the GFZ post doc reps

Target group Telegrafenberg post docs

#postdoc #networking #pubquiz

Open event: for all post docs in the area (not only internal GFZ) | Max. number of participants: 40 | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: To register for this event, please send an email to postdoc-reps@gfz-potsdam.de.

Further information: Food and drink is provided.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Alison Beamish via the email mentioned above.

About the Host: The GFZ post doc representatives are an elected group of post docs who work to advocate for the needs and recognition of all post docs in addition to organizing networking and social events.



Karrieregespräch: Als promovierter Geisteswissenschaftler ins Verlagswesen – Wie sieht der Arbeitsalltag im Lektorat aus?

organisiert vom Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office, JLU Gießen
Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 20.09.2022, 5:00 PM-6:00 PM

Beschreibung Die wissenschaftliche Karriere bietet per se viel Unsicherheit. Das zeigt sich daran, dass die Zahl der Professuren begrenzt ist und lediglich ein Teil der Postdocs später auf einer solchen landet. Doch auch andere Karrierewege stehen Postdocs offen – oft sind sie nur weniger bekannt und manchmal nicht so gradlinig wie erhofft, aber dennoch attraktiv.

Unser Guest aus dem Verlagswesen wird uns seine Geschichte erzählen und uns an seinem Weg dorthin, wo er heute steht, teilhaben lassen.

Trainer/Dozent/Referent Dr. Erik Zyber, Beltz Verlag, Lektor im Bereich Pädagogik/Weiterbildung, Redakteur für Fachzeitschriften und Journalist

Moderator: Verena Graulich, Postdoc-Referentin

Zielgruppe Postdocs, die sich über außeruniversitäre Karriere informieren möchten

#PostdocCareer

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen | Max. Teilnehmerzahl: 100 | Vorherige Anmeldung nötig: Ja

Anmeldelink: <https://www.uni-giessen.de/fbz/zentren/ggs/postdocs/karrierepostdoc/Karrieregespraech>

Weitere Hinweise: Stellen Sie unserem Guest Herrn Dr. Zyber gern Ihre Fragen!

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: verena.graulich@ggs.uni-giessen.de

Über die Einrichtung: Das Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office ist die zentrale Servicestelle für Postdocs aller Fachbereiche an der JLU Gießen. Wir bieten Postdocs Weiterbildungen und individuelle Beratungen zu allen Themen ihrer Karriere und vernetzen Postdocs innerhalb ihrer Disziplinen sowie darüber hinaus.



Events – Tuesday, 20 September 2022

Forever postdoc! or not ... the nitty-gritty of the "WissZeitVG" (German law about short contracts)

organized by HIFMB & CERFA

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 20.09.2022, 5:00 PM-6:30 PM

Description Researchers in Germany work mostly under temporary contracts and yet, there is a time limit for how long that can be so. It is 12 years, right? Or 6 if I am already doctor when coming? How does it count if I go back and forth? Fellowships are not contracts, are they? Many questions to answer for foreigners and also for German researchers. Join this seminar to get proper information and avoid nasty surprises in your career.

Trainer/Speaker Inge Kleemann, Referentin Hochschule und Forschung bei Gewerkschaft Erziehung und Wissenschaft (GEW) Bremen

Host Gema Martínez Méndez, scientific coordinator at HIFMB and vicepresident of CERFA (www.martinez-mendez.com)

Target group Researchers in general

#WissZeitGesetz

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: No

Registration:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87522772830?pwd=dThPeWZBVE1XWGp1eHNUS0JUTm90dz09>

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr Gema Martínez Méndez, HIFMB, CERFA, gema.martinezmendez@hifmb.de

About the Host: The Helmholtz Institute for Functional Marine Biodiversity (HIFMB) is a research institute located in Oldenburg. It researches marine biodiversity and its importance for the function of marine ecosystems (www.hifmb.de). CERFA is the association of Spanish researchers in Germany (www.cerfa.de).



WEDNESDAY, 21 SEPTEMBER 2022

Grenzen setzen & Nein sagen

organisiert von der Leuphana Universität Lüneburg

Event vor Ort, Datum & Uhrzeit: 21.09.2022, 9:00 AM-5:00 PM

Campus Leuphana Universität Lüneburg,

Gebäude 14

Beschreibung Wenn wir für uns einstehen möchten - zu uns und unseren Werten stehen, unsere Bedürfnisse realisieren - dann brauchen wir dafür Grenzen. Jedoch passiert es im Alltag häufig, dass wir Ja sagen, obwohl wir Nein meinen. Aus Angst, abgelehnt zu werden oder weil wir vermeintlichen Erwartungen gerecht werden möchten.

Dieser Workshop beschäftigt sich mit der Kunst der wertschätzenden Abgrenzung und konstruktiven Kommunikation.

Trainer/Dozent/Referent externe Referentin

Zielgruppe weibliche Postdocs

#GrenzenSetzen #Kommunikation

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen |
Vorherige Anmeldung nötig: Ja

AnmeldeLink und weitere Informationen <https://www.leuphana.de/graduate-school/promotion-postdoc/kompetenzentwicklung/schlüsselkompetenzen/details/grenzen-setzen-und-nein-sagen.html>

Weitere Hinweise: Wir erheben 5 Euro Unkostenbeitrag für Getränke und Obst

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Dr. Nadine Dablé,
dable@leuphana.de

Über die Einrichtung: Der Workshop findet im Rahmen einer gemeinsamen Summerschool von Graduate School und den Mentoringprogrammen an der Leuphana Universität Lüneburg statt.



Events – Wednesday, 21 September 2022

Promoting research integrity and research ethics: The Embassy of Good Science and Beyond

organized by the European Network of Research Ethics Committees

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 21.09.2022, 10:00 AM-11:30 AM

Description The event will provide a brief overview of research ethics and ethics review systems as well as research integrity and infrastructures supporting good scientific practice. Based on case studies, ethics and integrity challenges postdocs and other researchers might face will be discussed. Furthermore, the event will introduce the Embassy of Good Science and other platforms and infrastructures that can help researchers navigate the often somewhat complex field of ethics and integrity in research.

Trainer/Speaker Lisa Tambornino and Tom Lindemann, European Network of Research Ethics Committees (EUREC)

Target group Postdocs and other researchers interested in learning more on where to find guidance on research integrity and ethics

#ResearchIntegrity, #ResearchEthics, #EmbassySci

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: <https://forms.gle/1wHSeEbBEBYYioU7>

Further information: Willingness to engage in online plenary discussions would be desirable.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Tom Lindemann, lindemann@eurecnet.eu

About the Host: European Network of Research Ethics Committees (EUREC) brings together national associations of research ethics committees from across Europe and participates in several projects on research ethics, research integrity and responsible research and innovation. In the context of these projects, EUREC contributed to the development of the Embassy of Good Science, ENERI and several other resources.



Events – Wednesday, 21 September 2022

Karriereperspektiven im Wissenschaftsmanagement für Postdocs

organisiert vom Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office, JLU Gießen

Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 21.09.2022, 12:00 PM-1:00 PM

Beschreibung Impulsvortrag mit anschließender Möglichkeit für Fragen und Diskussion,
Themen des Impulsvortrags: Was ist Wissenschaftsmanagement? - Arbeitsalltag im
Wissenschaftsmanagement - Fortbildung und Zugangswege

Trainer/Dozent/Referent Silke Rapp, Referentin für Personalentwicklung, Postdoc Career
and Mentoring Office, JLU Gießen

Zielgruppe Postdocs mit Interesse am Berufsfeld Wissenschaftsmanagement

Karriereperspektiven #Wissenschaftsmanagement

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen |
Vorherige Anmeldung nötig: Nein

Anmeldelink: <https://webconf.hrz.uni-giessen.de/b/sil-re9-0ne-rn5>

Weitere Hinweise: Es wird eine kurze Vorstellungsrunde, bitte die Kamera anschalten.

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Silke Rapp,
silke.rapp@admin.uni-giessen.de

Über die Einrichtung: Das Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office ist die zentrale
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Postdocs innerhalb ihrer Disziplinen sowie darüber hinaus.



Events – Wednesday, 21 September 2022

Reflecting on your own career ideas

organized by the Junior Scientist and International Researcher Center (JUNO), Heinrich-Heine-University Düsseldorf

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 21.09.2022, 12:00 PM-1:00 PM

Description The postdoc phase is a crucial phase for young scientists, in which meaningful personal decisions have to be made. In order to know what to do next, it is important to consciously reflect on your own career path. This lunch session will provide insights into helpful tools for further developing your career. There will also be room for discussion. Bring your lunch and join us for our informational lunch session.

Trainer/Speaker Dr. Uta Brunner, Dr. Kristina Rubarth

Target group postdocs of all stages and also other researchers

#postdocs

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Max. number of participants: 40 | Registration required?: Yes

Registration & further information: <https://www.juno.hhu.de/en/events-and-courses/hera-lunch>

Further information: Bring your own lunch and join our interactive lunch session!

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr. Kristina Rubarth, Junior Scientist and International Researcher Center, Heinrich-Heine-University Düsseldorf, kristina.rubarth@hhu.de.

About the Host: The Junior Scientist and International Researcher Center of HHU offers interdisciplinary qualification and soft skill trainings for postdocs, young research group leaders and junior professors in order to support the scientific independency of the young academics at HHU.



Events – Wednesday, 21 September 2022

Family leave, parenting, law and practices

organized by the Max Planck PostdocNet

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 21.09.2022, 12:00 PM-1:00 PM

Description This meeting will be a talk followed by an interactive discussion panel. We will look at an overview of the legal regulations on maternity protection and parental leave in Germany, and following this have time for questions and discussion.

Trainer/Speaker Susanna Münich-Rieger (Max Planck Family Office)

Dr. Alice Margaria (Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology)

Target group Postdocs

#postdocs #family

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: Yes

Registration & further information: <https://www.postdocnet.mpg.de/events/31674/4525>

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: PostdocNet Steering Group (steering@postdocnet.mpg.de) or the PostdocNet Equity and Diversity Working Group (equalitydiversity@postdocnet.mpg.de)

About the Host: The PostdocNet is a network representing postdocs throughout the Max Planck Society, founded in April 2019. We aim to improve the working conditions, scientific development, and career prospects of Max Planck postdocs. You can find us online at: <https://www.postdocnet.mpg.de/>



Technologieförderung: Aus der Forschung in die Gründung

organisiert von starting business, Leibniz Universität Hannover
Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 21.09.2022, 12:30 PM-1:15 PM

Beschreibung Die Veranstaltung richtet sich an all diejenigen, die nach alternativen Karrierewegen suchen und sich für das Thema Gründung interessieren.

Im Rahmen eines ca. 30-minütigen Vortrags informiert der Gründungsservice starting business über Unterstützungsmöglichkeiten, auf die PostDocs zurückgreifen können, um ihre Ideen oder Forschungsergebnisse in tragfähige Geschäftskonzepte umzuwandeln.

Trainer/Dozent/Referent Philipp Janotta, starting business, Leibniz Universität Hannover

Judith Michael-von Malotki, starting business, Leibniz Universität Hannover

Zielgruppe Postdocs und alle Gründungsinteressierten der Leibniz Universität Hannover, die sich über (finanzielle) Unterstützungsmöglichkeiten auf dem Weg in die Selbstständigkeit informieren möchten.

#gründung #startingbusiness #startup #career

Interne Veranstaltung: Die Veranstaltung ist nur für interne Teilnehmer:innen |
Vorherige Anmeldung nötig: Nein

AnmeldeLink: <http://go.lu-h.de/paw> (Achtung der Link führt auf interne Seiten)

Weitere Hinweise: Eine aktive Teilnahme ist erwünscht.

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Philipp Janotta,
philipp.janotta@zuv.uni-hannover.de

Über die Einrichtung: Starting business ist der Gründungsservice an der Leibniz Universität Hannover und bietet professionelle Unterstützung in allen Fragen rund um das Thema Existenzgründung.



Events – Wednesday, 21 September 2022

Postdoc in Life Sciences Lunch

organized by the Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office, JLU Gießen

In-person event, Date & Time: 21.09.2022, 12:30 PM-2:00 PM

Brasserie zum Gambriuns,

Klinikstr. 21, Giessen

Description Three major goals of our postdoc lunch are: to exchange information as well as to foster new collaborations; to get to know each other better; and to have fun after all.

Trainer/Speaker Dr. Martin Blaser, Postdoc Coordinator Postdoc Career Mentoring Office at the Giessen Graduate Center for the Life Sciences.

Target group Life Science Postdocs

#JLUGiessen #Lunch

Internal Event: The event is only for internal members | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: <https://www.uni-giessen.de/fbz/zentren/ggl/curriculum/Postdocs/Postdoc%20Lunch>

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Martin Blaser, Justus Liebig University, postdocs@ggl.uni-giessen.de

About the Host: Das Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office ist die zentrale Servicestelle für Postdocs aller Fachbereiche an der JLU Gießen. Wir bieten Postdocs Weiterbildungen und individuelle Beratungen zu allen Themen ihrer Karriere und vernetzen Postdocs innerhalb ihrer Disziplinen sowie darüber hinaus.



Kurz-Workshop: Fit für die schriftliche Bewerbung: Anschreiben und Lebenslauf

organisiert vom Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office, JLU Gießen
Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 21.09.2022, 1:00 PM-4:00 PM

Beschreibung Gelungene Bewerbungsunterlagen sind das „Eintrittsticket“ in den Bewerbungsprozess: Nur, wer hier überzeugt, wird zur nächsten Runde eingeladen. Wir möchten uns in diesem Kurz-Workshop intensiv damit befassen, wie Sie Ihre Kenntnisse, Fähigkeiten und Kompetenzen zielgerichtet in Anschreiben und Lebenslauf unterbringen, um zum Gespräch eingeladen zu werden.

Trainer/Dozent/Referent Verena Graulich, Postdoc-Referentin, Arbeits- und Organisationspsychologin

Zielgruppe Postdocs mit Bewerbungsabsicht

#Bewerbung #CV

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen |
Max. Teilnehmerzahl: 20 | **Vorherige Anmeldung nötig:** Ja

Anmeldelink: https://www.uni-giessen.de/fbz/zentren/ggs/veranstaltungen/index_html/sose2022/FitFuerSchriftlBewerbung

Weitere Hinweise: Bitte suchen Sie sich als vorbereitende Hausaufgabe zwei Stellenanzeigen, auf die Sie sich bewerben würden. Diese möchten wir im Rahmen des Workshops diskutieren.

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Verena.Graulich@ggs.uni-giessen.de

Über die Einrichtung: Das Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office ist die zentrale Servicestelle für Postdocs aller Fachbereiche an der JLУ Gießen. Wir bieten Postdocs Weiterbildungen und individuelle Beratungen zu allen Themen ihrer Karriere und vernetzen Postdocs innerhalb ihrer Disziplinen sowie darüber hinaus.



Events – Wednesday, 21 September 2022

Power Games and Research Institutions: Recognizing, Playing along, and Winning for Female Researchers

organized by the Hamburg Research Academy

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 21.09.2022, 1:30 PM-4:30 PM

Description In research institutions, as in the business world, male-dominated power games and assertiveness strategies gain importance with each career step. Have you ever noticed that "something is being played" but don't know how the game works nor been able to play along? In this workshop, we reveal the most important power games that women encounter on their career path and look at effective tricks and successful strategies to deal with them.

Trainer/Speaker Sibyl Schädeli (<https://www.sibylschaedeli.ch/>)

Host: Dr. Linda Jauch (Hamburg Research Academy)

Target group Female Postdocs

@hrahamburg

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Max. number of participants: 40 | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: <https://tickets.hra.events/AppreciationWeek/>

Further information: Participation with camera on is desirable.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr. Linda Jauch, linda.jauch@hra-hamburg.de

About the Host: The Hamburg Research Academy is a cross-university institution for prospective and enrolled doctoral researchers, postdocs, W1-Professors, and their supervisors in Hamburg.



Events – Wednesday, 21 September 2022

DFG Funding Opportunities for Postdocs

organized by the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft e.V. (DFG)

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 21.09.2022, 2:30 PM-3:30 PM

Description The DFG is Germany's largest independent research funding organisation. We offer funding opportunities for postdocs of all career stages between doctorate and professorship. Join our online talk and get to know the DFG and its funding portfolio for postdocs!

Trainer/Speaker Anna Boehme and Margret Heinze, DFG Research Careers Team

Target group Postdocs of all academic disciplines

#EmmyNoether #GrantWriting #researchfunding #Funding #ECR #researchcareer

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Max. number of participants: 1000 | Registration required?: No

Registration & further information:

<https://dfg.webex.com/dfg/j.php?MTID=maf94a43a5a980d71033b7845f173cb9a>

Further information: We are happy to answer your questions that you can raise in the chat.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr. Anna Böhme, anna.boehme@dfg.de

About the Host: The Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG, German Research Foundation) is the central self-governing research funding organisation in Germany. The DFG's focus is on funding projects developed by the academic community itself in the area of knowledge-driven research.



Events – Wednesday, 21 September 2022

Postdoc101 Talk "What Every Postdoc Needs to Know"

organized by the TUM Talent Factory, Technical University of Munich
in collaboration with the Munich Postdoc Network

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 21.09.2022, 4:00 PM-6:00 PM

Description Being a postdoc can be an exciting start to an academic career and/or a career in research – the opportunity to focus entirely on research activities. However, it is also a very stressful time with most research being funded via fixed term contracts. Balancing doing the day job with planning the next steps in your careers can be difficult with lots of options but not necessarily the skills to assess these options.

Trainer/Speaker Dr Liz Elvidge, Head of Postdoc and Fellows Development at Imperial College London. Liz is a leading expert in the support and development of postdocs and fellows. Her no nonsense approach to supporting early career researchers results in postdocs and fellows taking responsibility for their careers and moving onwards to fantastic opportunities and work places. She is co-author of "What every Postdoc needs to know" (available via TUM eAccess!). This talk will give an overview of how to move forwards in your career. Be prepared to ask lots of questions!

Host Dr. Carolin Herzog, TUM ForTe

Target group Postdocs

#Postdoc #PAW #TUMTalentFactory #TUMPostdoc101

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Max. number of participants: 1000 | Registration required?: Yes

Registration & further information: <https://www.forte.tum.de/forte/postdoc101/>

Further information: We are happy to answer your questions that you can raise in the chat.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Carolin Herzog, herzogc@zv.tum.de

About the Host: The TUM Talent Factory is open to all young researchers at TUM and to international postdocs who want to conduct a research project at TUM.



Events – Wednesday, 21 September 2022

Apéro

organisiert von der Leuphana Universität Lüneburg

Event vor Ort, Datum & Uhrzeit: 21.09.2022, 4:30 PM-7:00 PM

Leuphana Universität Lüneburg, Geb. 14

Beschreibung Der informelle Austausch mit anderen Wissenschaftlerinnen über das Thema Karriereplanung eröffnet neue Aspekte und lässt neue Perspektiven entstehen. Der Apéro bietet den geeigneten Rahmen, um informell miteinander ins Gespräch zu kommen, sich über die Erfahrungen auszutauschen, das eigene Netzwerke zu erweitern und den Tag bei einem Glas Wein ausklingen zu lassen.

Bei gutem Wetter findet der Apéro im Freien statt.

Zielgruppe weibliche Postdocs

#Apero

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen |
Vorherige Anmeldung nötig: Ja

Anmeldelink: <https://www.leuphana.de/graduate-school/promotion-postdoc/kompetenzentwicklung/schlüsselkompetenzen/details/apro.html>

Weitere Hinweise: Bei gutem Wetter findet der Apéro im Freien statt

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Dr. Nadine Dablé,
dable@leuphana.de

Über die Einrichtung: Der Apéro findet im Rahmen einer gemeinsamen Summerschool von Graduate School und den Mentoringprogrammen statt und bietet die Möglichkeit zum Netzwerken und Austauschen an der Leuphana Universität Lüneburg.



Events – Wednesday, 21 September 2022

Why is the view of patients important for research on cancer? Patient advisory board @DKFZ

organized by the Postdoc Network Committee from the DKFZ

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 21.09.2022, 4:30 PM-5:30 PM

Description With this talk by Dirk Hellrung we would like to give postdoctoral researchers the big picture about cancer research. In a nutshell we want to show how important Cancer research is for patients and patients' families. The talk will focus on the role of patients and the patient advisory committee from DKFZ in guiding Cancer research, and also on improving cancer therapies for children.

Trainer/Speaker Dirk Hellrung. Former member of the Vorstand of the Essener Elterninitiative zur Unterstützung krebskranker Kinder e.V. He is also part of the DKFZ Patient Advisory board (Patientenbeirat). He participates actively in raising awareness for research in pediatric cancers.

Host The Postdoc Network (PDN) Committee from DKFZ will moderate the talk. The talk is part of the Research Lounge talk series organized by the PDN.

Target group Postdocs, PhD students

#ResearchLounge #PDN_DKFZ

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: No

Registration:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86589396410?pwd=Z2tydnFzT0xFUXR3RFJXTUtpTVdYZz09>; Meeting ID: 785 507 1682 Passcode: 6u3uA5

Further information: We would encourage active participation of the participants, because we would like to highlight how important is our research for patients and how we can improve the direction of cancer research by taking into account the view of the patients.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr. Santiago Cerrizuela, DKFZ, s.cerrizuela@dkfz.de

About the Host: The PDN was formed to represent the Postdocs' interests and to achieve the best conditions for career perspectives and scientific output.

Our main goals are to raise the visibility of Postdocs in and outside the DKFZ, to support career development and to increase social and scientific networking among postdocs.

For that we have our homepage, we organize seminars and workshops (such as the lunch talks and the research lounge), we are developing a mentoring pilot scheme in collaboration with the Career service and the PhD council, we have many mailing lists (each one for different needs), we publish our newsletter twice a year and organize get-togethers and the Postdoc retreat.



Events – Wednesday, 21 September 2022

Debating Challenges for Brazilian Postdocs and Early Career Researchers in Germany

organized by Rede Apoena

In-person event, Date & Time: 21.09.2022, 5:00 PM-8:00 PM

Tucano Eis Café & Bar (inside the Castello Center in Lichtenberg)

Landsberger Allee 171C, 10369 Berlin

This is a new Brazilian-German restaurant. Close to Tram lines M5/M6 (Judith-Auer-Str.) M13 (Landsberger Allee)

Description This is a cultural evening and networking event organized by Rede Apoena, the network of Brazilian researchers in Germany. Apoena has the mission of connecting Brazilian researchers from different fields in order to disseminate scientific production, promote job opportunities and exchange tips on life in Germany.

The event will feature an introductory round of the participants and open discussions about the challenges of academia in Germany for Brazilian scientists.

Trainer/Speaker Dr. Claudia Seldin. Brazilian urban theorist. Lecturer at the Technische Universität Berlin. She has just finished her term as an Alexander von Humboldt Stiftung postdoc fellow.

Host Silvia Wargaftig. Officer in the Science, Technology, Innovation and Cooperation Sector at the Embassy of Brazil in Berlin

Target group Brazilian postdocs, as well as PhD students currently pursuing postdoc positions in Germany

#Apoena #RedeApoena #BrasilAlemanha #cientistasbrasileiros #pós doutorado
#BrasilemBerlin

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Max. number of participants: 25 | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: <https://forms.gle/HkWfoDEp1gtjTzFu8>

Further information: The event will be held in Portuguese. This is an in-person and self-paid event (all participants must pay for their own food/drink consumption).

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Claudia Seldin or Silvia Wargaftig (Communication Team of the Apoena Network):
redapoena.comunicacao@gmail.com

About the Host: Rede Apoena is the network of Brazilian researchers and scientists working in Germany. The network aims to connect researchers from different areas of knowledge while fostering the collaboration between the two countries.

<http://www.redapoena.org>

<https://twitter.com/RedeApoena>



Events – Wednesday, 21 September 2022

Postdoc Walk & Talk

organized by the Junior Scientist and International Researcher Center (JUNO), Heinrich-Heine-University Düsseldorf

In-person event, Date & Time: 21.09.2022, 5:00 PM-7:00 PM
campus @ HHU

Description Would you like to get to know the campus better and get in touch with other postdocs? We offer the opportunity to explore the HHU campus and its surroundings together. Afterwards we will go for a drink together at Scottis.

Trainer/Speaker Dr. Uta Brunner, Dr. Kristina Rubarth

Target group all postdocs @ HHU

#postdocs, #PAWde

Internal Event: The event is only for internal members | Max. number of participants: 15 | Registration required?: Yes

Registration & further information: <https://www.juno.hhu.de/workshops-und-veranstaltungen/social-events>

Further information: Afterwards we will go for a drink together at Scottis (on your own expense).

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr. Kristina Rubarth, Junior Scientist and International Researcher Center, Heinrich-Heine-University Düsseldorf: kristina.rubarth@hhu.de.

About the Host: The Junior Scientist and International Researcher Center of HHU offers interdisciplinary qualification and soft skill trainings for postdocs, young research group leaders and junior professors in order to support the scientific independency of the young academics at HHU.



THURSDAY, 22 SEPTEMBER 2022

Karriereoptionen außerhalb der Wissenschaft (Impulsvortrag)

organisiert von der Graduiertenakademie der Leibniz Universität Hannover

Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 22.09.2022, 10:00:00 AM-11:00:00 AM

Beschreibung Wie baue ich Kontakte in die außeruniversitäre Arbeitswelt auf, welcher Job passt zu mir und was bringe ich dafür bereits mit? Dieser Impulsvortrag hat zum Ziel, Anstöße für die eigene Auseinandersetzung mit Karriereoptionen jenseits des wissenschaftlichen Kontextes zu geben. Abgerundet wird der Impuls durch einen Exkurs, der exemplarisch die Sicht von Arbeitgebern auf promovierte Berufseinsteiger*innen beleuchtet. In der sich anschließenden Diskussion bleibt genügend Raum für Fragen.

Trainer/Dozent/Referent Dr. Tanja Michler-Cieluch, Graduiertenakademie der Leibniz Universität Hannover

Zielgruppe Postdocs mit Interesse, sich mit Karriereoptionen außerhalb der Wissenschaft zu befassen

#LeavingAcademia, #Career, #AußerakademischeKarriere, #Karriereoptionen, #Wirtschaft, #Netzwerke

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen |
Max. Teilnehmerzahl: 50 | **Vorherige Anmeldung nötig:** Nein

Anmeldelink: <https://bbb.uni-hannover.de/tan-5wv-dbb-tcn>

Weitere Hinweise: Eine aktive Teilnahme ist erwünscht.

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Dr. Tanja Michler-Cieluch, Graduiertenakademie der Leibniz Universität Hannover, tanja.michler-cieluch@zuv.uni-hannover.de

Über die Einrichtung: Die Graduiertenakademie ist die zentrale Koordinations- und Serviceeinrichtung für alle Nachwuchswissenschaftlerinnen und Nachwuchswissenschaftler der Leibniz Universität Hannover und bietet ein breites Spektrum an Beratung, Förderangeboten, Qualifizierungsworkshops sowie Coachings und Mentoring für Promovierende und Postdocs.



Events – Thursday, 22 September 2022

Career Lunch Talk – Insights into career paths during lunch break

organized by the Postdoc Center HZDR-TUD

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 22.09.2022, 12:00 PM-12:45 PM

Description Our Career Lunch Talks provide insights into various career paths in a wide range of fields. At each event, we invite personalities with different professional and technical backgrounds to talk about themselves, their careers and their networks as well as to discuss current career topics with us.

Our guest is Dr. Lisa Suntrup. She holds a PhD in chemistry and, as a specialist in renewable energies, is now Chief Research Manager for Energy at the headquarters of the Helmholtz Association.

Trainer/Speaker Dr. Lisa Suntrup, Helmholtz Association (Chief Research Manager for Energy)

Host Dr. Jasmin Hettinger, Helmholtz-Zentrum Dresden-Rossendorf (Postdoc Center HZDR-TUD)

Target group Postdocs or also other researchers

#Helmholtz #renewableenergy #TUDresden #HZDR #Energy #graduiertenakademie
#GraduateAcademy #postdoccenter

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: Yes

Registration & further information:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUkdOugrjsvE930fuOw5TqLMyXe7g8vTqMo>

Further information: We ask our participants to kindly switch on their cameras during the event.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr. Jasmin Hettinger, Postdoc Center HZDR-TUD, j.hettinger@hzdr.de

About the Host: The Postdoc Center is a joint project of the Helmholtz-Zentrum Dresden-Rossendorf (HZDR) and the Graduate Academy of the Technische Universität Dresden (TUD). We are the central contact and service point for all questions concerning the decision-making and subsequent planning of further career steps after completing the doctorate, especially during the postdoc phase. Our coachings, mentorings and workshops help to get to know career paths within and outside of science for the Career Tracks Academia, Business and Science Management.



Events – Thursday, 22 September 2022

Decision-making about your post-postdoc career: An inspiration lunch session

organized by the DKFZ Career Services and DKFZ Postdoc Office

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 22.09.2022, 12:00 PM-1:00 PM

Description In this inspiration session Dr. Cheong will use her own story to share the lessons learnt and insights she gained in what it really takes to be in the driving seat of your career. She will talk about how to tackle decision making about your next step in a strategical way. The session will be concluded with suggestions on how you could move on in your career development, and how the CareerCheck platform can come in handy.

Trainer/Speaker Dr Chiat Cheong, Career Advisor at DKFZ - Heidelberg

<https://www.linkedin.com/in/chiatcheong/>

Chiat Cheong holds a PhD in cancer research and spent 11 great years in academia. Since 2005 her new professional mission is guiding PhDs/postdocs in identifying and landing fulfilling careers. Next to supporting individual researchers, Chiat focuses on developing career support services at academic institutions. Based in the Netherlands, she currently combines her part-time position working on CareerCheck.eu at the DKFZ in Heidelberg with her freelance work.

Target group Postdocs

#CareerCheck #DKFZ

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: <https://indico.dkfz.de/event/568/>

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr. Mariana Schulte-Sasse - DKFZ Postdoc Office Manager, mariana.schulte-sasse@dkfz.de

About the Host: Career Services at the DKFZ provides the scientists at the institution guidance and resources to explore their own individual strengths and needs to find their unique career path and develop into the next career step.

The Postdoc Office at the DKFZ is the main point of contact for Postdocs at the institution and aims to maintain an open communication channel with the Postdoc Community to be able to react in a versatile form to their current needs.



Events – Thursday, 22 September 2022

Kurz-Workshop: Fit für das Bewerbungsgespräch

organisiert vom Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office, JLU Gießen

Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 22.09.2022, 1:00 PM-4:00 PM

Beschreibung Sie haben es geschafft und wurden eingeladen zum Bewerbungsgespräch? Ob telefonisch, online vermittelt oder klassisch in persona: Jetzt gilt es, aufzuzeigen, dass Sie genau die richtige Person für den avisierten Job sind – und andersherum! Gemeinsam werden wir erarbeiten, wie Sie sich optimal auf das Bewerbungsgespräch vorbereiten.

Trainer/Dozent/Referent Verena Graulich, Postdoc-Referentin, Arbeits- und Organisationspsychologin

Zielgruppe Postdocs mit Bewerbungsabsicht

#Bewerbungsgespräch

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen |

Max. Teilnehmerzahl: 20 | **Vorherige Anmeldung nötig:** Ja

Anmeldelink: https://www.uni-giessen.de/fbz/zentren/ggs/veranstaltungen/index_html/sose2022/FitFuerBewerbungsgespraech

Weitere Hinweise: Teilnahmevoraussetzung: Bitte suchen Sie sich als vorbereitende Hausaufgabe zwei Stellenanzeigen, auf die Sie sich bewerben würden. Diese möchten wir im Rahmen des Workshops diskutieren.

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Verena Graulich und Jennifer Heiny, postdocs@ggs.uni-giessen.de

Über die Einrichtung: Das Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office ist die zentrale Servicestelle für Postdocs aller Fachbereiche an der JLU Gießen. Wir bieten Postdocs Weiterbildungen und individuelle Beratungen zu allen Themen ihrer Karriere und vernetzen Postdocs innerhalb ihrer Disziplinen sowie darüber hinaus.



Events – Thursday, 22 September 2022

Wissenschaft als Traumberuf?

organisiert vom Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office, JLU Gießen
Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 22.09.2022, 2:00 PM-4:00 PM

Beschreibung In diesem Workshop geht es um die Frage, was Sie sich für Ihre berufliche und private Zukunft eigentlich wünschen und was Ihnen wirklich Spaß macht. Was gefällt Ihnen an der wissenschaftlichen Tätigkeit konkret? Und was wünschen Sie sich darüber hinaus für Ihr Leben? Um berufliche Zufriedenheit zu erreichen, ist es wichtig, sich mit den eigenen, oft widersprüchlichen Wünschen auseinanderzusetzen und sie in eine ganzheitliche Karrierestrategie zu integrieren.

Trainer/Dozent/Referent Dr. Diana Hitzke ist Referentin im Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office (PCMO) an der Justus-Liebig-Universität (JLU) Gießen. Sie ist Literatur- und Kulturwissenschaftlerin und hat als Projektkoordinatorin am Zentrum für Medien und Interaktivität (ZMI) gearbeitet. Zuvor war sie wissenschaftliche Mitarbeiterin an der JLU Gießen und an der Technischen Universität Dresden sowie Stipendiatin an der Universität Erfurt.

Zielgruppe Postdocs und fortgeschrittene Promovierende

#TraumjobWissenschaft?

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen |
Vorherige Anmeldung nötig: Eine Anmeldung per Mail an die Leiterin des Workshops, Dr. Diana Hitzke (diana.hitzke@admin.uni-giessen.de) ist erwünscht. Ich freue mich, wenn Sie mir kurz berichten, warum Sie sich für den Workshop interessieren und kurz Ihre aktuelle Situation schildern.

Anmeldelink: <https://webconf.hrz.uni-giessen.de/b/dia-qzk-ndf-yzz>

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Dr. Diana Hitzke (diana.hitzke@admin.uni-giessen.de) und Silke Rapp (silke.rapp@uni-giessen.de)

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Events – Thursday, 22 September 2022

Transparency in author contributions

organized by the Research and Innovation Service at the Leibniz University Hannover

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 22.09.2022, 2:00 PM-3:00 PM

Description Publications are an important measure of research productivity. Thus, a publication's author list is important. The order of names reflects unwritten conventions around authorship and varies across disciplines. As a result, the position in these lists often carries little information about the contribution of a researcher, which is disadvantageous for ECRs. To counter this problem, the Contributor Roles Taxonomy (CRediT) was developed. In this workshop, CRediT will be introduced and discussed.

Trainer/Speaker Dr. Anneke Meyer, Leibniz University Hannover

Target group Researchers who are interested in fair autorship practices

#CREDIT #Contributorship #AuthorList #Transparency

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: No

Registration: <https://meet.gwdg.de/b/bri-vev-ejs-obu>

Further information: We wish for an active participation in the discussion session.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr. Anneke Meyer, anneke.meyer@zuv.uni-hannover.de

About the Host: The Research and Innovation Service at Leibniz University Hannover provides guidance and support for researchers and administrators in search of funding opportunities. This includes assistance in the preparation and submission of proposals, support with research data management, assistance in the interaction with industry partners, in knowledge transfer, and in turning innovative ideas into viable business concepts.



Events – Thursday, 22 September 2022

Postdoc Career Event: Transitions and new beginnings

organized by the Göttingen Campus Postdoc Network

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 22.09.2022, 2:30 PM-4:00 PM

Description A panel of experts share insights into their personal career journeys - including bumps and fears, struggles and successes. They will tell you how they got where they are today, where they are now and why it worked for them. What triggered their transitions? After short introductions, there will be a discussion before they answer your questions. Their experience includes science management, science communication, project management, interdisciplinary publishing and much more.

Trainer/Speaker Hosted by Melissa Sollich, Postdoc Coordinator for Göttingen Campus and International Communications at the University of Göttingen. Melissa is hugely grateful that she has been able to share the ups and downs, successes and struggles of hundreds of postdocs and PhD students from around the world, who are now flourishing and making change in a range of sectors around the world.

Host The expert postdoc panel includes researchers with experience of science communication, project management, interdisciplinary publishing and much more. See website for further details: <https://goettingen-campus.de/paw>

Target group Postdocs and other researchers: everyone welcome!

#GCPostdocs #StrongerTogether

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?:

Registration: Please see instructions on the website: <https://goettingen-campus.de/paw>

Further information: There will be time for questions and answers and discussion

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Melissa Sollich, Postdoc Coordinator Göttingen Campus Postdoc Network: melissa.sollich@uni-goettingen.de

About the Host: Göttingen Campus Postdoc Network: run by and for postdoctoral researchers across the Göttingen Campus. The Postdoc Network aims to facilitate communication and information exchange among Postdocs in Göttingen. <https://goettingen-campus.de/postdoc>



Events – Thursday, 22 September 2022

Understanding the German Research System

organized by the German Scholars Organization e.V. (GSO)

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 22.09.2022, 4:00 PM-5:30 PM

Description Navigating a career in academia is always challenging. In order to make informed decisions and strategically plan your career or next step in the German research landscape, it is important to know how the system works and what options you can pursue. The input will cover the following topics and you will get the chance to discuss your questions:

- An overview of academic career paths in Germany
- Specifics of the German system
- Funding options
- Managing your expectations and tapping into resources

Trainer/Speaker Birte heads the advisory services and programs at German Scholars Organization (GSO), an independent nonprofit that advises, connects, promotes, and funds researchers who want to build a career in Germany.

After receiving her PhD in Chinese Studies, Birte built an academic cooperation with China, led a PhD program and advanced services for entrepreneurs in science. She is trained as a systemic coach.

Connect with Birte via LinkedIn: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/birte-seffert/>

Target group Postdocs and researchers

#PAWde #PAWgso #AcademicSystem #Germany

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Max. number of participants: 300 | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: <https://www.eventbrite.de/e/free-webinar-understanding-the-german-research-system-pawde-tickets-407352411027>

Further information: Please register for the event.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Anne Schreiter, Executive Director, German Scholars Organization, info@gsonet.org

About the Host: The German Scholars Organization e.V. (GSO) is an independent nonprofit in Berlin that advises, connects, promotes, and funds researchers who want to build a career in Germany.



Events – Thursday, 22 September 2022

MPN Stammtisch on Mentoring

organized by the Max Planck Institute of Biochemistry & the Munich Postdoc Network (MPN)

In-person event, Date & Time: 22.09.2022, 4:00 PM-8:00 PM

Large Lecture Hall, T-Building, Max Planck Institute of Biochemistry

Description With this event, we would like to offer you an opportunity to meet and network with mentoring experts from academia and the private sector. You will also be able to exchange about your life as a PostDoc, discuss with people from other research disciplines and maybe even make new friends!

Our program includes short presentations as well as active and open discussions. The networking part of the event will be informal over food and drinks (which will be provided).

Trainer/Speaker Maja Beilmann-Schramm, MSL Excellence, <https://www.msl-excellence.de/Ueber-mich.html>

Matthias Mann, MPI of Biochemistry, <https://www.biochem.mpg.de/mann>

Fabiana Perocchi, SyNergy Cluster LMU-TUM-Helmholtz, <https://www.helmholtz-munich.de/en/research/research-excellence/scientists-in-focus/dr-fabiana-perocchi/index.html>

Angelika Harbauer, MPI for Biological Intelligence, <https://www.bi.mpg.de/harbauer>

Host Munich Postdoc Network, <https://munich-postdoc-network.mpg.de/3153/ABOUT-MEMBERS>

Camila Hernandez Frederick, Career Development, MPI of Biochemistry, <https://www.biochem.mpg.de/career-development>

Target group Postdocs and anyone interested are welcome to participate

#mentoring #networking

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: <https://eveeno.com/mpn-stammtisch-22-Sep-2022>

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Camila Hernandez Frederick, MPI of Biochemistry | Munich Postdoc Network, munich-postdoc@gwdg.de

About the Host: The Munich Postdoc Network is an initiative from the Postdoc Associations of the Helmholtz Munich, the Hochschule München University of Applied Sciences, the LMU Faculty of Biology, the LMU Biomedical Center Munich, the Max Planck Institute (MPI) of Biochemistry, the MPI for Biological Intelligence i.f., the MPI of Psychiatry and the Technical University of Munich (TUM). We aim to connect postdoctoral researchers working in the Munich area and facilitate communication among them. Moreover, we envision a wide collaborative organisation to identify areas of need and develop solutions to improve the postdoc experience.



Events – Thursday, 22 September 2022

Failure Slam – Postdoc Version

organized by the HZDR Postdoc Representatives

In-person event, Date & Time: 22.09.2022, 5:00 PM-7:00 PM

Bottoms Up,

Martin-Luther-Straße 31, 01099 Dresden

Description Are you tired of hearing highly polished success stories and picture-perfect ideas from other scientists? Not anymore! #FailureSlamPostdocVersion brings you the most energetic and honest conversation about failures and learnings! No matter if you lost a grant, broke equipment, or got scooped - You get 5 minutes to tell us about your biggest failure and the key insight you took away from it. Join us as we celebrate all our “sh*t, sh*t, sh*t”-moments!

Trainer/Speaker HZDR Postdoc Representatives: Lakshmi Bhaskaran, Svenja Lohmann, Stefan Dirlich, Tino Gottschall, Manja Kubeil, Wildan Abdussalam

Target group All Dresden postdocs within and outside academia

#FailureSlamPostdocVersion, #IchBinHanna

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: <https://www.hzdr.de/db/Cms?pOid=64739&pNid=884>

Further information: Bring your most authentic self to the event!

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Jasmin Hettinger, Postdoc Center HZDR-TUD, j.hettinger@hzdr.de

About the Host: The HZDR Postdoc Representatives are a self-organized group of postdoctoral researchers at Helmholtz-Zentrum Dresden-Rossendorf (HZDR). They aim at representing the interests of all HZDR postdocs at all locations. In addition to that, the Postdoc Representatives want to improve networking among postdocs across disciplines and institutes, provide a framework for exchanging information about research, and be a point of contact for questions, problems, and suggestions.



Events – Thursday, 22 September 2022

FAUpostdocmeetup

organisiert vom Graduiertenzentrum der FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg

Event vor Ort, Datum & Uhrzeit: 22.09.2022, 6:00 PM-7:00 PM

Restaurant Steinbachbräu Erlangen,

Vierzigmannstr. 4, 91054 Erlangen

Beschreibung Bei einem gemeinsamen Abendessen im Steinbachbräu Erlangen haben die Postdocs die Chance, in lockerer Atmosphäre neue Kontakte zu knüpfen.

Trainer/Sprecher/Referent Dr. Christian Schmitt-Engel (Leiter des Graduiertenzentrums)

Zielgruppe Postdocs allgemein

#FAUpostdocmeetup

Interne Veranstaltung: Alle Postdocs der FAU können teilnehmen | Max. Anzahl an Teilnehmenden: 20 | Vorherige Anmeldung nötig: Ja

Anmeldelink: Anmeldungen per Email an graduiertenzentrum@fau.de

Weitere Hinweise: Das Event ist auf Selbstzahlerbasis und mit einem "open end".

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Dr. Silke Schnurbusch (Graduiertenzentrum, silke.schnurbusch@fau.de), Natalie Seifert (Graduiertenzentrum, natalie.seifert@fau.de), Dr. Christian Schmitt-Engel (Graduiertenzentrum, christian.schmitt-engel@fau.de)

Über die Einrichtung: Das Graduiertenzentrum (und Unterstützung wissenschaftlicher Nachwuchs) unterstützt den wissenschaftlichen Nachwuchs der FAU beim erreichen der nächsten Karriereziele durch ein umfangreiches Veranstaltungsprogramm, kostenlosen Coaching und vielem mehr.



FRIDAY, 23 SEPTEMBER 2022

Impulse zur Entwicklung einer Drittmittelstrategie für PostDocs

organisiert vom Dezernat Forschung und EU-Hochschulbüro,
Technologietransfer der Leibniz Universität Hannover

Präsenz-Veranstaltung, Datum & Uhrzeit: 23.09.2022, 9:15 AM-4:00 PM

Villa Simon,

Brühlstraße 27, Hannover

Beschreibung Drittmittel bilden einen zentralen Baustein für die eigene Karriere. Um sie erfolgreich einzuwerben, braucht es mehr als einen Förderatlas – es braucht einige strategische Überlegungen. Interaktiv und systematisch werden wir mit Ihnen persönliche Voraussetzungen und Erwartungen reflektieren und eine Standortanalyse machen. Zudem werden wir die Fragen „Wer kann mir dabei helfen?“ und „Wie haben es andere gemacht?“ klären.

Trainer/Speaker Dr. Heike Gernns und Dr. Maria Leuteritz, Leibniz Universität Hannover

Target group Postdocs, die sich einen Tag Zeit nehmen wollen, um Ihre Karriere und Drittmittelstrategie aktiv zu planen

#StrategicFunding #AcademicCareer

Interne Veranstaltung: Die Veranstaltung ist nur für interne Teilnehmer:innen | Max. number of participants: 12 | Vorherige Anmeldung nötig: Ja

Anmeldelink: <http://go.lu-h.de/paw> (Achtung der Link führt auf interne Seiten)

Weitere Hinweise: Wir werden für Getränke sorgen.

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Dr. Maria Leuteritz, Leibniz Universität Hannover, maria.leuteritz@zuv.uni-hannover.de

Über die Einrichtung: Das Dezernat Forschung und EU-Hochschulbüro, Technologietransfer an der Leibniz Universität Hannover bietet Informationen und Unterstützung zu allen Aspekten der Forschungsförderung und des Wissens- und Technologietransfers. Unser Beratungsspektrum umfasst allgemeine und programmspezifische Themen der nationalen und europäischen Forschungsförderung, Erfindungen und Patente, Gründung sowie die Vermittlung von Kontakten in die Industrie.



Media Training: The Basics of Science Communication - Communicating your own research in an exciting and understandable way

organized by the Junior Scientist and International Researcher Center,
Heinrich-Heine-University Düsseldorf

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 23.09.2022, 10:00 AM-5:00 PM

Description In the media training you will learn how to work successfully with journalists:

You will learn what expectations the media have of scientists in particular. You will learn to present your complex facts in a simple and pointed way. You will find the emotional story in your own research topic and can also communicate it in contact with journalists.

Trainer/Speaker Robert Kötter is a scientist, trained coach and rhetoric trainer and is frequently asked to be an interview partner himself. With his company zweirat he has been working as a media trainer in large companies and at many German universities, such as RWTH, Humboldt University Berlin and the University of Bonn since 2005.

Target group Postdocs and also other researchers

#postdoc #PAWde #sciencecomm

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | There are a few remaining spots for this event | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: <https://www.juno.hhu.de/workshops-und-veranstaltungen/media-training-i-basics-of-science-communication>

Further information: active participation during an online-live workshop is desirable

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr. Kristina Rubarth, Junior Scientist and International Researcher Center, Heinrich Heine University Düsseldorf, kristina.rubarth@hhu.de.

About the Host: The Junior Scientist and International Researcher Center of HHU offers interdisciplinary qualification and soft skill trainings for postdocs, young research group leaders and junior professors in order to support the scientific independency of the young academics at HHU.



Events – Friday, 23 September 2022

Pride and Pressure – Presentation and discussion of the results of our Postdoc Survey 2022

organized by the Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office, JLÜ Gießen

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 23.09.2022, 10:30 AM-12:30 PM

Description Presentation and discussion of the results of the Justus Liebig University Life Science Postdoc survey 2022 and comparison to other national and international surveys. Our survey focused on:

- describing the postdoc community at our University.
- the postdoc environment and systemic constraints.
- career development perspectives of current postdocs.

We will highlight some unique features of the postdoc community and the value that postdocs create for (our) university(s) and future employers.

Trainer/Speaker Presenter: Dr. Martin Blaser, Postdoc Coordinator Postdoc Career Mentoring Office at the Giessen Graduate Center for the Life Sciences.

Target group open to all postdoc and researchers

#JLUGiessen

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: No

Registration & further information: <https://www.uni-giessen.de/org/admin/dez/c/personalentwicklung/projekte/pcmo/angebote/veranstaltungen/karriere/termine/postdoc-appreciation-week-germany>

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Martin Blaser, Justus Liebig University, postdocs@ggl.uni-giessen.de

About the Host: Das Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office ist die zentrale Servicestelle für Postdocs aller Fachbereiche an der JLÜ Gießen. Wir bieten Postdocs Weiterbildungen und individuelle Beratungen zu allen Themen ihrer Karriere und vernetzen Postdocs innerhalb ihrer Disziplinen sowie darüber hinaus.



Wirksam führen in der Wissenschaft

organisiert von der JMU Research Academy, Universität Würzburg

Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 23.09.2022, 12:00 PM-2:00 PM

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Themen: Führungsmodell nach Neuberger / Führungsstile / Selbstreflexion

Trainer/Dozent/Referent Krischan Brandl, JMU Research Academy, Universität Würzburg

Zielgruppe alle Wissenschaftler*innen

#uniwue, #leadership

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen | Max.

Teilnehmerzahl: 300 | Vorherige Anmeldung nötig: Ja

Anmeldelink: <https://go.uniwers.de/paw-fuehren>

weitere Informationen: Interaktiver Vortrag, Kamera und Mikro werden benötigt

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Krischan Brandl, Leiter Personalentwicklung im wissenschaftlichen Bereich, JMU Research Academy, Universität Würzburg, krischan.brandl@uni-wuerzburg.de

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Kurz-Workshop: Fit für das Assessment Centre

organisiert vom Postdoc Career and Mentoring Office, JLU Gießen

Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 23.09.2022, 1:00 PM- 4:00 PM

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Trainer/Dozent/Referent Verena Graulich, Postdoc-Referentin, Arbeits- und Organisationspsychologin

Zielgruppe Postdocs, die sich für außeruniversitäre Führungspositionen interessieren

#AssessmentCentre

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen | **Max. Teilnehmerzahl:** 20 | **Vorherige Anmeldung nötig:** Ja

Anmeldelink: https://www.uni-giessen.de/fbz/zentren/ggs/veranstaltungen/index_html/sose2022/FitFuerAssessmentCentre

Weitere Informationen: Bitte suchen Sie sich als vorbereitende Hausaufgabe zwei Stellenanzeigen, auf die Sie sich bewerben würden. Diese möchten wir im Rahmen des Workshops diskutieren.

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Verena Graulich und Jennifer Heiny, postdocs@ggs.uni-giessen.de

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How to build a Postdoc Network (and keep it alive)

organized by the Scientific Training and Career Development, Helmholtz Munich & the Munich Postdoc Network

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 23.09.2022, 1:00 PM-3:00 PM

Description For this webinar, we have invited members of postdoc networks in Germany & the UK who will share offer a look behind the scenes: How did they start their networks? How are they organized and what are their goals? How do they reach out to postdocs and how do they keep the network alive?

The panel discussion will bring together members of the Leibniz Postdoc Network, the Max Planck PostdocNet, the MDC-FMP PostDoc Association, the Munich Postdoc Network and the Postdocs of Cambridge Society.

Speakers

Leibniz Postdoc Network: Dr. Marta Ferreira Gomes is a postdoctoral researcher at the Therapeutic Gene Regulation Group at the German Rheumatism Research Center Berlin (DRFZ) and spokesperson of the Leibniz Postdoc Network together with Rajini Nagrani.

Dr. Rajini Nagrani is a postdoctoral researcher at the Epidemiological Methods and Etiological Research Department at the Leibniz Institute for Prevention Research and Epidemiology (BIPS) in Bremen and spokesperson of the Leibniz Postdoc Network together with Marta Ferreira Gomes.

Max Planck PostdocNet (Germany): Dr. Marta Pomicie Kumar is a postdoctoral researcher in Neuronal Control of Metabolism at Max Planck Institute for Metabolism Research in Cologne and spokesperson of the Max Planck PostdocNet.

MDC PostDoc Association: Dr. Giovanna Dilettia Ielacqua is a postdoctoral researcher at the Department of Animal Phenotyping at the Max Delbrück Center for Molecular Medicine (MDC) in Berlin, which is part of the Helmholtz Association, and she is a leading member of the MDC-FMP Postdoc Association (FMP = Leibniz-Forschungsinstitut für Molekulare Pharmakologie).

Munich Postdoc Network: Dr. Camila Hernández Frederick is PhD and Postdoc Coordinator – Career Development at the Max Planck Institute of Biochemistry in Munich and Board Member of the Munich Postdoc Network.

Postdocs of Cambridge Society: Dr. Marisa Oliveira is a postdoctoral researcher in Innate Immune response to viral infections at Cambridge Institute for Medical Research, University of Cambridge (UK) and the Researcher Development Officer at Postdocs of Cambridge Society.

Host Dr. Neele Meyer is Postdoc Coordinator in the Scientific Training and Career Development Team at Helmholtz Munich and Board Member of the Munich Postdoc Network.

Target group Postdocs & science managers supporting postdocs who would like to support bottom-up networks.

#Networking #PostdocNetwork #Collaboration

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: Yes

Registration: https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_tgSUISUqSO-04hD4TJV8w

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Neele Meyer,
neele.meyer@helmholtz-muenchen.de

About the Host: The Scientific Training and Career Development Team supports doctoral and postdoctoral researchers at Helmholtz Munich with workshops and webinars as well as a structured career development for early-career postdocs. We closely collaborate with the Munich Postdoc Network to connect postdocs across Munich. Follow us on [Twitter](#) or [LinkedIn](#).



Writing prompts and writing strategies – Workshop for postdocs preparing a research proposal

organized by Research and Innovation Services at Leibniz University Hannover

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 23.09.2022, 2:00PM-3:00 PM

Description Applying for funding has become an integral part of everyday scientific life and with it the ability to formulate successful proposals. In this workshop, we will take a closer look at linguistic and stylistic peculiarities of the text type "research proposal". Together with the Academic Writing Team of LUH's Centre for Quality Enhancement in Teaching and Learning, we will present and try out impulses that can activate the flow of writing and mobilize creativity in writing (not only) proposals.

Trainer/Speaker Dr. Johannes Wespel (Research and Innovation Services), Leibniz University Hannover

Target group Postdocs preparing a research proposal

#Writingskills #GrantWriting #CreativeWriting

Internal Event: The event is only for internal members | Registration required?: No

Registration & further information: <http://go.lu-h.de/paw> (This Link leads to an internal page)

Further information: We wish for an active participation during the event.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr. Johannes Wespel, Leibniz Universitiy Hannover, johannes.wespel@zuv.uni-hannover.de

About the Host: The Research and Innovation Services at Leibniz University Hannover provides guidance and support for researchers and administrators in search of funding opportunities.



FDM-Anforderungen der Förderer – Welche Informationen zum Forschungsdatenmanagement gehören in den Drittmittelantrag?

organisiert vom Leibniz-Informationszentrum Technik und Naturwissenschaften und Universitätsbibliothek (TIB)

Online-Event, Datum & Uhrzeit: 23.09.2022, 2:00:00 PM-3:00:00 PM

Beschreibung Viele Förderorganisationen fordern Angaben zum geplanten Umgang mit Forschungsdaten ein. Doch warum ist den Drittmittelgebern Forschungsdatenmanagement (FDM) so wichtig und was versteht man darunter? Was fordern DFG, BMBF und EU bezüglich des Forschungsdatenmanagements und was schreibe ich in meinem Antrag? Welchen Einfluss haben meine Angaben zum FDM auf meine Förderchancen und worauf legen die Gutachtenden wert?

Diese Themen werden in einem Kurzvortrag beleuchtet mit anschließender Fragerunde.

Trainer/Dozent/Referent Anna-Karina Renziehausen, Janna Neumann, Leibniz-Informationszentrum Technik und Naturwissenschaften und Universitätsbibliothek (TIB)

Zielgruppe Postdocs, die einen Forschungsantrag schreiben wollen.

#FAIRData, #GrantWriting, #RDM #FAIR

Offene Veranstaltung: Ja, die Veranstaltung ist offen für externe Teilnehmer:innen | Yes, the event is open to external participants | Vorherige Anmeldung nötig: Nein

Anmeldelink und weitere Informationen <https://meet.gwdg.de/b/bri-vev-ejs-obu>

Über eine aktive Teilnahme würden wir uns freuen.

Bei Fragen zur Veranstaltung wenden Sie sich gern an: Anna-Karina Renziehausen, TIB, anna.renziehausen@tib.eu

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Leibniz-Informationszentrum Technik und Naturwissenschaften und Universitätsbibliothek (TIB), <https://www.tib.eu/de/>.



Career Coffee Academia

organized by the DKFZ Career Service

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 23.09.2022, 4:00PM-5:00 PM

Description Join this Career Coffee and seize the opportunity to hear first hand insights from Pavlo, Elisa and Florian: they are DKFZ Postdocs who are proceeding in 2022 in their career in Academia as group leaders and soon-to-be Professor. In our small and informal setting you will have the chance to ask our speakers all your questions around Academic Research and Teaching, the freedom and the chance to contribute to society and the challenges that come along the way.

Trainer/Speaker Florian Heigwer (<https://dkfz-connect.de/user/26489>),

Elisa Espinet (<https://dkfz-connect.de/user/31360>), Pavlo Lutsik (<https://dkfz-connect.de/user/30672>)

Target group PhD students and Postdocs

#DKFZ

Internal Event: The event is only for internal members | Registration required?: No

Registration & further information: <https://dkfz-connect.de/events/1532>

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: PhD Careers Office, phd-careers@dkfz-heidelberg.de.

About the Host: DKFZ Career Services provide individual career counselling to PhD students and Postdocs at the DKFZ. They also organise career development events like career days, training courses and networking sessions.



Friday Light Talk – Special Edition

organized by the “Friday Light Talks” Team, postDocs at the Humboldt Universität zu Berlin

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 23.09.2022, 5:00PM-9:00 PM

Main Lecture Hall (Christian-Gerthsen-Hörsaal),

Physics Institute, Newtonstr. 15, 12489 Berlin

Description The “Friday Light Talks” are back after the summer break with a special edition! In occasion of the PostDoc Appreciation Week we are thrilled to welcome Dr Petya Jordan, the coordinator of the newly established PostDoc Center Adlershof, that will talk about “PostDoc Center: what is it and why we need it”. Afterwards, Giulia Carina will present her PhD project in the group of Pr Paarmann at the Fritz Haber Institute. To best conclude the day, we will then have a get-together with drinks and pizza!

Host & Speakers Dr Petya Jordan (coordinator of the PostDoc Center Adlershof, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin) and Giulia Carini (PhD student of Physical Chemistry, Fritz Haber Institute, Berlin)

Target group PhD students and Postdocs

#FridayLightTalks, #PDCAdlershof, #HumboldtUni, #Adlershof

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: No

Registration & further information: <https://www.physik.hu-berlin.de/en/gop-en/seminar/flt>

Further Information: Drinks and pizza will be provided by the organizers. Being a self-paid event, a small contribution as a freewill offering will be asked to the participants.

If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with: Dr Sofia Pazzagli (HU Berlin), member of the „Friday Light Talks“ team, light.talks@physik.hu-berlin.de.

About the Host: We are a group of young PostDocs that since April 2022 is promoting and organizing the “Friday Light Talks”, a series of events to promote networking and ideas exchange among PostDocs, PhD and master students working on scientific discipline in Adlershof and Berlin. Each event comprises a 20-30 min scientific presentation by a young investigator (PhD, PostDoc) followed by a discussion and a get-together with drinks. After more than two years of pandemic, it is great to finally meet and get to know each other!



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Closing Event Postdoc Appreciation Week

organized by the Munich Postdoc Network & Research and the Innovation Service at Leibniz University Hannover

Virtual Event, Date & Time: 23.09.2022, 03:00 PM-03:30 PM

Description During our closing event we will present you the highlights of the first joint Postdoc Appreciation Week in Germany as well as our future perspectives.

The event is open to everyone interested, especially those who would like to get involved on next year's PAW. Join us on Friday afternoon to find out more!

Trainer/Speaker Anneke Meyer, Britta Lesniak & Maria Leuteritz, Leibniz Universität Hannover; Camila Hernández Frederick, Max Planck Institute of Biochemistry; Neele Meyer, Helmholtz Munich

Target group Everyone interested in the Postdoc Appreciation Week

#PAWde #PAW-Closing

Open Event: Yes, the event is open to external participants | Registration required?: No

Link to join: <https://meet.gwdg.de/b/bri-sae-hfo-tne>

Further information: If you have any questions about the event, please get in touch with your PAW Coordinators via https://linktr.ee/paw_de



Join the Postdoc Appreciation Week & share your input about being a postdoc or supporting postdocs via your social media channels!

This year, Germany is joining the Postdoc Appreciation Week (PAW), which originated in the US & UK, and offer a series of events in the week of 19-23 September 2022 that are specifically designed and held for postdocs. The events will be offered by institutions all over Germany.

To establish the Postdoc Appreciation Week more firmly in the scientific community and to promote it to a wider audience, we are organising a (social media) campaign during the week and are inviting everyone – postdocs, professors, PIs, science managers, institutions & networks to join. In the spirit of the Postdoc Appreciation Week, we would particularly encourage professors and PIs get a chance to express their appreciation for (their) postdocs. The initiative also provides an opportunity for postdocs to convey their views and wishes about their own postdoc experience in Germany and to address challenges they are facing.

Other stakeholders supporting postdocs such as networks, trainers, coordinators or administrators are welcome to join the campaign and share any successes or challenges they see when dealing with postdoc matters. We would be very pleased if you all participate in this campaign.

Please spread the word and feel free to share these materials with social media managers, researchers and everyone else involved in supporting postdocs in Germany.

How can you contribute?

Post, share and retweet our campaign materials before and during the PAW!

We have prepared this document and other materials that you can post yourself, share or retweet via social media. You can use the materials to encourage others to participate in the PAW campaign. You can of course also prepare and use your own materials as well using your regular design and branding.

Share the joint open event program for the PAW!

The joint program includes events organized by different institutions, organizations, networks and individuals in Germany. Feel free to share the program via social media, email, newsletter etc.

The program is open for all postdocs in Germany irrespective of whether your institution actively organizes an event. So please spread the word! The program brochure can be accessed via the Linktree https://linktr.ee/paw_de in early September. Registration and participation rules of the respective organizer apply.

Prepare your own posts for the PAW!

Do you have a social media profile on Twitter or LinkedIn? Share a post, image or video during the Postdoc Appreciation Week (Sept. 19-23rd). As an inspiration we are suggesting some questions you may want to answer as part of your posts/videos, etc. below.

The German campaign is connected by the joint Twitter account [@PAW_Germany](#) as well as the Hashtag #PAWde. Please use the tag/hashtag to join the campaign. We will be happy to like and retweet your contributions from our PAW account.



Social Media Campaign

Further hashtags you may use for your contributions: #PostdocAppreciation #PostdocsGermany
#postdocs /#postdoc #AcademicChatter #lovescience

In addition, please also tag your institution, organization, research group, point of contact for postdocs, etc.!

We also appreciate feedback on the initiative! This is the first time such a campaign and joint program is offered for the PAW in Germany! We'll share a short survey towards the end of the PAW week via our [linktree](#).

Questions you could address in your posts

As a Postdoc...

- ❖ Share your profile with the community!
- ❖ What do you enjoy about being a postdoc?
- ❖ What has been your biggest achievement as a postdoc so far?
- ❖ What motivates you to stay in academia?
- ❖ If you are an international postdoc: How do you feel as an international postdoc in Germany?
- ❖ Which challenges do you face as a postdoc? Feel free to be critical and also link posts with #IchBinHanna (also see the FAQ below).

As a PI, Professor, Group Leader...

- ❖ Use Social Media to thank the postdocs in your group during the week with a video, post, or photo! You can of course also use the PAW as an occasion to say thank you offline during your next group meeting etc.
- ❖ Plan a post to express how important the postdocs are for your group!
- ❖ Which postdoc has recently inspired you?
- ❖ Which accomplishments of (your) postdocs do you consider particularly important?
- ❖ What do you appreciate about the postdocs in your group?
- ❖ If you have a particularly international or diverse group, what benefits do you see?
- ❖ What challenges do postdocs in your group/in Germany in general face? How could their situation be improved?
- ❖ Share tips from your own postdoc time! Which advice was most helpful for you?

As a Science Manager, Postdoc Coordinator/Advisor, Administrator ...

- ❖ Why are postdocs an important group for you? Why and how do you support them?
- ❖ Present your program & your portfolio! Which activities are you currently offering or planning to support postdocs?
- ❖ Tell us about an event you organized or a situation that made you realize that your activities are meaningful and important for postdocs!
- ❖ What would be your vision to improve the experience of postdocs in Germany?
- ❖ You may also use posts to encourage professors or postdocs to prepare their own posts during the week!



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As an Institution, Team, Network or Trainer supporting Postdocs...

- ❖ Feel free to use your social media channels as well as your website or a press release to share how important postdocs are for you and how you support them!
- ❖ How about a joint post or video that you share during the week? Maybe you can combine statements from different researchers on postdocs and share it as a video?
- ❖ Introduce important, active, visible postdocs at your institution! Who's a particularly promising researcher, an excellent networker, who has won a special award or successfully applied for funding? Bring them into the spotlight!
- ❖ Which challenges do you see when supporting postdocs? What are your ideas on how this can be improved? What's your take on all the debates about the career perspectives and insecure situation of postdocs, the WissZeitVG, IchBinHanna, etc.?

If you have other topics you want to address, you are of course totally free to do so.



FAQ

Can I use the official PAW Germany logos in my posts or on my website?

Feel free to include the PAW Germany logo as long as you tag our Twitter account ([@PAW_Germany](#)), accordingly. We have shared one of the logos and social media images with the participating institutions & organizations.

If you use the logo on your website, please mention the Max Planck Institute of Biochemistry (MPIB) (<https://www.biochem.mpg.de/en>; Twitter: https://twitter.com/MPI_Biochem) who created this logo.

Can I use my own or my institution's design for the PAW?

Yes, you can definitely use your own design. We suggest to tag the [@PAW_Germany](#) on Twitter and/or to use the hashtag **#PAWde** on all social media channels. Feel free to prepare your own materials, use your own design, etc. if you prefer to.

Should I share my posts in German or English?

Feel free to use any language you are comfortable with! We mainly use English to ensure that the many international researchers in Germany can also participate, events will be both in German and English.

Do I need to send you my posts?

You can share your own posts from your account. You are welcome to share your posts via your own accounts, but we recommend to use the tags for a higher visibility.

If you are not using social media, but would nonetheless like to share your input, feel free to approach us or social media managers e.g. at your institution.

I don't use social media but would like to share my input for the campaign. How can I contribute?

You could either reach out to persons in charge of social media channels at your institute, institution, network, etc. and discuss whether they would be willing to share your input through their official channels. Please note that you may need to provide them with the respective rights to use and share your content.

What do I need to keep in mind when uploading videos or pictures?

Make sure that the persons shown in the video or images give their consent and agree to sharing the material on Social Media. We suggest that you contact the person at your institution responsible for data protection and ask them in case of doubt.

I have a message I want to share, but I don't have experience with videos.

You could record yourself with one of the usual platforms like Zoom or Webex. The Leibniz University of Hannover has prepared [manuals for Webex in German](#) and [English](#) which can download and share.

What is the Postdoc Appreciation Week (PAW)?

The Postdoc Appreciation Week (PAW) was started in the US by the [National Postdoctoral Association](#) to recognize the significant contributions postdocs and researchers make towards research and academic life in general. The PAW is also widely celebrated in the UK and Ireland. In 2022, the [Research and Innovation Services of the Leibniz University of Hannover \(LUH\)](#) and the [Munich Postdoc Network](#) (particularly Helmholtz Munich and the Max Planck Institute of Biochemistry) teamed up to establish this initiative in Germany.



Social Media Campaign

I am not convinced that a Postdoc Appreciation Week is helping anyone given the difficult situation and lack of perspectives postdocs face in Germany.

All of us are doing our best to support postdocs and very aware of the difficulties postdocs are facing. We believe that postdocs are extremely important for the German academic system and deserve more appreciation & joint support. You are most welcome to share your input on social media and to link the PAW and e.g. #IchBinHanna, #IchBinReyhan, #WissZeitVG, #GegenWissZeitVG10 etc. There are also some webinars planned for the week which are directly addressing this essential topic.

Why should I get involved and participate in the campaign?

If you feel like publicly stating your appreciation for postdocs/your insights into postdoc-life in a social media campaign that is joined by institutions from all over Germany, we'll be happy to have you on board. Postdocs are usually not a very visible group in Germany and do not receive the appreciation they deserve for all their hard work. If you don't feel like participating because you are not convinced, that's absolutely fine as well.

All contributors hence promote the cause of giving more attention and appreciation to postdocs in Germany and our joint program offer postdocs a more extensive program during this week than any single institution could provide. The formats also promote the exchange of postdocs and a collaboration of institutions, organizations and networks across Germany.

Who is coordinating the PAW?

The Research and Innovation Services of the Leibniz University of Hannover (LUH) and the Munich Postdoc Network (MPN) are the main players behind the PAW Coordination. In particular, Anneke Meyer, Britta Lesniak and Maria Leuteritz from the LUH as well as Neele Meyer (Helmholtz Munich) and Camila Hernandez Frederick (Max Planck Institute of Biochemistry) from the Munich Postdoc Network started collaborations with different research institutions, organizations and postdoc networks across Germany to offer a collective program with events and activities for postdocs during PAW.

We appreciate the positive feedback received so far and all the interest that this initiative has raised. We would also like to thank all the coordinators, administrators, postdoc networks, and postdoc support groups that have offered their assistance and have opened their activities to external postdocs.

Will the PAW be repeated next year?

Definitely! We expect to establish the PAW in Germany as a regular annual event to celebrate everything related to postdoc life or the postdoc experience.

How can I reach out to you if I have further questions and concerns?

Please use the contact form ("Get in touch!") mentioned in the Linktree: https://linktr.ee/paw_de.

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