

Programme DAY 1

09:30	Introduction and presentation of participants The researcher as a professional Different types of research and research environment The changing nature of roles and responsibilities <i>Coffee</i> Developing your career as a researcher Understanding yourself Recognising the wider picture Identifying and evaluating career options
12:30	<i>Lunch</i>
13:30	Strategy in the research context What it is and why it is important Reviewing your research agenda and career objectives The German research landscape Key players and stakeholders Current trends and developments <i>Coffee</i> Particularities of academia Career system and career paths Academic portfolio Planning for leadership Plenary discussion DAY 1
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Programme DAY 2

09:00

Exploiting funding opportunities

Types of funding and funding agencies
Managing the grant cycle effectively
Moving from smaller to larger grants
One idea – three applications?

Coffee

Practice scenario

Finding and selecting funding

12:30

Lunch

13:30

Towards a strategic plan for funding your research

Mapping future research projects
Preparing for a rolling cycle of proposals
Getting support from your host institution

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Plenary discussion

Challenges and perspectives of developing a sustainable career in research

Transfer and feedback

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