### On the way to Professorship!

**Strategic Planning of Research Careers for Postdocs**

**TARGET GROUP**
Early Postdocs (1st/2nd year of postdoc)

**TARGET**
This workshop supports postdocs to plan their research career in academia. Participants will be able to know long term goals as well as next steps and to develop them.

**TOPICS**
What are typical career paths in academia for postdocs in Germany or in similar academic systems like Austria and Switzerland?

- How is the recruitment of professors, Juniorprofessors and Tenureprofessors done in Germany at different career levels? And what do these different types of professorship mean?
- When should I start to apply for one of these positions?
- What is the job profile of professors – why is it attractive to be professor?
- What are achievements I need like publications, 3rd-party-funding, networks, etc.?
- Which personal competencies (soft skills) are helpful for science careers?
- How could I structure my career steps?
- What are the risks and difficulties? And how could I minimize my risks?
- Outlook: What is needed for application for (Junior-)Professorships?

**TRAINER**
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**FEE**
The Administrative Headquarter will cover the fees for the speaker. The institute needs to cover your travel expenses. Please note: Permission from your supervisor must be obtained before applying.

**NOTES**
Registration for this seminar starts 01.04.2019! Terms and conditions for the participation are included at the end of the brochure.

**MAXIMUM NUMBER OF PEOPLE**
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**REGISTRATION AND CANCELLATION**
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