

Transferable Skills Course

Sketchnotes for Scientists

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Sketchnotes

... are visual notes that combine drawings and text. They can be used to quickly record content and visualise it in a way that it is easy to understand and more memorable.

... can be used, for example, to illustrate the outcome of meetings, to visualise the main objectives of a research project or to make scientific content understandable for non-experts (in films, blogs, presentations, etc.).

... focus on the essentials. Drawings are therefore reduced and lack many details. Simple objects and symbols as well as different text characters are typical for the sketchnote style.

In this course you will

- ... learn to draw symbols in an easy way
- ... discover different forms of typography
- ... learn how to include colours
- ... develop ideas for drawings and start a collection of images
- ... practice to combine your ears, eyes and hand
- ... experience situations, in which you can use sketchnotes

The trainer

Natalie A. Peter is an illustrator. She gives seminars and workshops in flipchart design and sketchnoting. She also draws live during events. As a former scientist in legal sciences, Natalie A. Peter is also familiar with the needs and tasks of scientists.

Location and Time

MARUM, University of Bremen, Leobener Str. 8, 28359 Bremen, Germany
MARUM I (main) building, room 2060

09.00 – 17.00 hrs.

Target group

MARUM and GLOMAR members

Access to this course is limited to people who agree to apply what they have learned in the course and produce a sketchnote of an aspect of their scientific work. The sketchnote must be submitted no later than 1 week after the course.

Material

Participants are expected to bring 5 € to the course to cover the costs for a sketchbook and pen.

Registration

To register for this course, please visit the [course webpage](#).

Please note that your registration will be binding.

The registration deadline for this course is **10 January 2019**.

Any enquiries regarding the course should be addressed to early-career@marum.de.