

CAREER CHAT

POST-ACADEMIC JOB PERSPECTIVES

with

Dr. Neele Meyer

Background: geosciences

Current position: science communication officer at Klimahaus

Bremerhaven 8° Ost

At MARUM: from 2017 to 2020 as a member of GLOMAR

(PhD student at Uni Bremen and Senckenberg

am Meer, Wilhelmshaven)



I studied (Marine) Geosciences at the University of Bremen. During my master studies, I was at the University of Waikato, New Zealand for one semester. After graduation, I had the opportunity to do a PhD in Marine Geology at Senckenberg am Meer, Wilhelmshaven, and the University of Bremen, supervised by Prof. Dr. André Freiwald. For my dissertation, I studied bioerosion in the Arctic and Antarctic. Throughout this time, I was a member of GLOMAR and took over the role as PhD representative for one year.

During my PhD, I already realised how much I enjoy science communication. Therefore, I am very grateful that I can now work as a science communication officer at the Klimahaus 8° Ost in Bremerhaven. In this role, I am asked to give talks and interviews (radio and television) and contribute to keeping the exhibitions up to date. I am further involved in the implementation of new exhibition areas. In other words, I make sure that the Klimahaus stays on the latest scientific level internally, and that this is also communicated to the outside world.

Meeting details:

Date: 25 January 2022

Time: 17.00 - 18.30 hrs.

Format: online via Zoom

Registration: https://www.marum.de/en/education-career/career-chats/220125.html

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