

MARUM / GLOMAR Transferable Skills Course

Research Funding and Career Development

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Objectives

This 2 day course aims at providing the participants with an overview of the research system in Germany and Europe as well as of funding opportunities for their individual research career development. In addition, it offers insights into the aims and policies of research funding institutions and their peer review procedures. By simulating a peer review session during the second day participants will gain a feeling for an actual review process. Qualified feedback will help them to optimise their own research proposals.

Contents

1. Envisioning your research career
2. The research system in Germany and Europe
3. Typology of research funding and career development programmes
4. Analyses of programme requirements, basics of project planning and peer review perspectives
5. Essential features of successful project proposals
6. Presentation of a research proposal in a nutshell

Please note: Participants are asked to submit a CV until 23 July!

This will enable the trainer to prepare the contents of the course with respect to the individual needs of the participants. Please send your CV to glomar-courses@marum.de.

The Trainer

Dr. Beate Scholz has worked as strategy consultant, project facilitator, trainer and coach since 2003 (until April 2008 in addition to her position at the German Research Foundation). Her focus is on supporting universities and research organisations in developing, implementing and evaluating concepts and strategies for research career development. She has gained considerable experience in teaching researchers of various career stages e.g. in planning their careers, making strategic use of research funds and in communication strategies vis-à-vis their respective peer groups. In addition, Beate serves as reviewer and science policy advisor to different research organisations, both in Germany and internationally.

Target group

PhD students from 2nd year onwards and Postdocs who are aiming for a (or the next) Postdoc position in Germany or Europe.
This course addresses natural as well as social scientists!

Course Schedule

Morning (09.30 – 12.30) and afternoon (13.30 - 17.00) sessions

Location

MARUM, University of Bremen, 28359 Bremen, Germany, Room 0190

To subscribe

To subscribe to this course, please fill in the [registration form](#).

The **registration deadline** for this course is **23 July 2015**. If registration is too low by this day, the course may be cancelled.

Any enquiries concerning the course should be addressed to glomar-courses@marum.de.