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50 Years – Research for A Life Without Cancer

DKFZ Career Day
Clinical Research & Regulatory Affairs

Monday, March 24th, 2014

Deutsches Krebsforschungszentrum (DKFZ)
Communication Center, Lecture Hall
09:30 am – 4:00 pm

09:00 – 09:30	Registration
09:30 – 12:00	Session I Clinical Research in Pharma and CRO
12:00 – 14:00	Lunch – Round Tables with Speakers
14:00 – 16:00	Session II Drug Safety & Regulatory Affairs / Consulting

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Programme

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9:00 – 9:30 Registration

9:30 – 10:00 Introduction, Dr. Inés Fernández Ulibarri, PDN DKFZ

10:00 – 12:00 Session I - Clinical Research in Pharma and CRO

Speakers:

Dr. Andreas Eisenmenger, NCT Trial Center

Anna-Lena Gamer, Gregor Benedikt Ottawa, Koordinierungszentrum für Klinische Studien (KKS)

Dr. Alberto Calabro, PPD

Dr. Tilo Netzer, PharmaLex International

Dr. Sarah MacKenzie, Medical Writer, Freelance and OTD (Oncology CRO)

Moderation: Dr. Barbara Janssens

12:00 – 14:00 Lunch - Round Table Discussions *(Registered participants only)*

For lunch participants will have the opportunity to join TWO consecutive round tables with one of the speakers of the morning and afternoon session, respectively.

14:00 – 16:00 Session II - Drug Safety & Regulatory Affairs / Consulting

Speakers:

Dr. Matthias Renner, Paul-Ehrlich-Institut

Dr. Susanne Becker, spm² - safety projects & more GmbH

Dr. Jamel Nezzar, PRA International Mannheim

Dr. Dieter Schlaps, IT-Consultant Life Science, Self-employed

Dr. Simone Christiane Seiter, IMS Consulting Group

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Clinical Research in Pharma & CRO

Dr. Andreas Eisenmenger, Coordinator of clinical trials, NCT Trial Center

Dr. Eisenmenger is head of the NCT Trials Center. He obtained a Diploma in Physics in the field of Cellular and Radiation Biophysics at the Justus Liebig Universität Giessen in 1994. In 2000 he got his PhD from University Hospital Benjamin Franklin of the Freie Universität Berlin for radiation protection research. During the following time at DKFZ his work covered research on the German Uranium Miners Study, Medical Physics, Heavy Ion Therapy, and Radio-Immune-Therapy. In 2004 he changed workplace at DKFZ and established a workgroup for Clinical Trials. In 2006 he entered the NCT Trials Center as a Project Manager for Clinical Trials and heads the unit already in 2006.

Anna-Lena Gamer, Leiterin Klinisches Monitoring, Koordinierungszentrum für Klinische Studien (KKS)

Anna-Lena studied biology (molecular and cell biology and pharmacology) at the University of Heidelberg and graduated in 2007. As she didn't want to do a PhD she worked as research associate and kept looking for other possibilities than working in the lab. Soon she found an open position as clinical monitor at the KKS Heidelberg. She was always very interested in clinical research, so she took the opportunity and she is still very happy about this decision. After 2,5 years of working as clinical monitor she also started to do project management. In 2012 she became head of the department of clinical monitoring.

Dr. Alberto Calabro, Senior CRA, PPD

Alberto Calabro is a 34 year old European of Italian origin. He obtained his M.Sc. in Biotechnology at the University of Bologna in 2004. In 2008 got his PhD. from the University of Heidelberg under the supervision of Prof. Poustka at the DKFZ. He is currently employed as Senior CRA, by an american multinationational CRO: PPD. His main responsibilities in this role are: (i) protect the right and safety of human subjects; (ii) ensure that trial data are accurate, complete and verifiable; (iii) ensure that monitored sites conduct clinical trials according to protocols, ICH-GCP and applicable regulatory regulations; (iv) train junior members.

Dr. Tilo Netzer, Managing Director, PharmaLex International

Tilo is a pharmacist by training and holds a PhD. in Pharmacology. In 1992 he joined the company Merck KGaA based in Darmstadt, Germany. There, he worked in various positions with increasing responsibility in Clinical Development and Regulatory Affairs. In 2003 Tilo achieved as a member of a cross-functional team the first marketing authorization worldwide for the monoclonal antibody cetuximab (Erbitux®). Tilo was Senior Vice President, Head of Global Regulatory Affairs at Merck Serono before he joined PharmaLex in June 2012 as Partner, Business Development and Regulatory Strategy. Since January 2014 Tilo is Chief Operating Officer of PharmaLex.

Dr. Sarah MacKenzie, Medical Writer, Freelance and OTD (Oncology CRO)

After obtaining a BSc majoring in biochemistry and genetics in Australia, Sarah completed her PhD in developmental biology at Guy's Hospital, London. She then moved to France where she worked for over 10 years as a medical writer in a CRO specializing in clinical oncology with a preclinical translational research antenna. She subsequently worked in a biotechnology company and a small company specializing in medical writing. Sarah is now self-employed while working part-time in a CRO. As a medical writer, Sarah prepares a variety of clinical and preclinical regulatory and academic documents in a variety of therapeutic domains including oncology, asthma, diabetes, dairy products, and HIV.

Drug Safety & Regulatory Affairs / Consulting

Dr. Matthias Renner, Scientific Assesor, Paul-Ehrlich-Institut

Matthias is scientific assessor in the Department of Medical Biotechnology at the Paul-Ehrlich-Institut, Germany, where he is involved in the evaluation of clinical trial applications and national scientific advice procedures for ATMPs and is acting as supervisor of research in virology, cell and gene therapy. Since 2009 he serves as expert to EMA for the assessment of marketing authorisation applications. He was member of the gene therapy working party since 2010 and its vice chair since 2011. Before joining PEI in 2009 he was working for more than 12 years in biotech-industry in Vienna, Vector Development and Preclinical Models. Since 2007 he is also affiliated to the University of Veterinary Medicine Vienna, as group leader at the Institute of Virology and, after his habilitation, as senior lecturer. Matthias is biologist by training and did his PhD at the Max-Planck Institute of Biochemistry in Martinsried, Germany.

Dr. Susanne Becker, Pharmacovigilance Manager, spm² - safety projects & more GmbH

Susanne Becker is a medical doctor. Since her PhD she has taken leadership roles with a focus on clinical monitoring and drug safety in an association and a CRO. She is cofounder and senior partner of spm² - safety projects & more GmbH, offering Pharmacovigilance services for Pharma industry.

Dr. Jamel Nezzar, Drug safety associate, PRA International Mannheim

Jamel Nezzar has studied Biochemistry at the University Louis Pasteur of Strasbourg where he obtained an advanced Master in Molecular Biology. Further, he achieved in 2003 his PhD on Human Genetics at the University of Ulm, within the Department of Applied Physiology. After a short period of postdoc research at the Department of Molecular Botany together with an advanced training on Pharma- and Biotech-industry achieved in Munich, he turned to Clinical Research Organizations. Since 2008, he has worked at the Drug Safety Department of PRA International, in Mannheim, where he got involved in Pharmacovigilance of several Phases I to III clinical studies.

Dr. Dieter Schlaps, IT-Consultant Life Science, Self-employed

Leaving DKFZ after 7 years of Doctoral/ Postdoctoral Research (Biophysics, Medical Imaging Diagnostics, Richtzenhain Award 1983) Dieter Schlaps continuously worked as a Consultant for Healthcare and Life Science. He held consulting and management positions at IABG, CSC, Logica and NNIT before he started my independent consulting business this March, at the age of 58. Looking back at this long period, his DKFZ research work was an excellent basis for the different consulting projects in Health Technology Assessment, Content Management/ Archiving and Clinical Research, although the work environment was quite different. Does he regret not to continue in Medical Research? Maybe sometimes, which was probably the reason why he always tried to keep up some teaching engagements in parallel to my industry job (University of the Armed Forces, Munich, UMIT, Hall, Austria, and currently FOM Munich).

Dr. Simone Christiane Seiter, IMS Consulting Group

Simone Seiter is Vice President, Brand & Commercial Strategy and Global Lead Launch Excellence with IMS Consulting Group. She has been with IMS since 2006 and has a deep healthcare and pharma knowledge and understanding of management and process consulting. Prior to joining IMS Health, she worked with Capgemini´s Life Sciences/Healthcare sector focusing on marketing and sales projects as well as product launch support. She received her MD Ph.D. degree from Heidelberg University, has a Board Certification in Dermatology and has been working as clinical dermatologist for seven years. She did her postdoctoral work at NIH/NCI and is a DKFZ alumna. She received an MBA from University Neu-Ulm, Germany.

Job profile: Dr. Andreas Eisenmenger

Job/role:	Head of NCT Trials Center / Project Manager for Clinical Trials, DKFZ Heidelberg / NCT Trial Center
PhD obtained in:	2000
Scientific Background:	Physics, Oncology and Radiation Treatments, Medical Physics, Radiation Protection and Incorporation Monitoring, Cellular and Radiation Biophysics
Postdoc experience:	4 years

What do you do in your current role?

The job profile of a Project Manager for clinical trials at a public institution like the NCT comprises several tasks: Ethical-legal counseling, feasibility and risk analysis, project scheduling, budget planning, contract design and negotiations, preparation of trial documents, regulatory affairs like applications at authorities and ethics committees as well as reporting, definition of supply chains, trial start-up, coordination and controlling etc. The Project Management is the central linchpin for all functions and people concerned with the trial and co-ordinates all processes. That makes the business multidisciplinary, diversified, and communicative.

What do you enjoy most about the job?

I enjoy my work so much because it offers a broad spectrum of different and challenging tasks – it never becomes uniform.

What are the challenges you face in your job?

Murphy´s law (“Anything that can possibly go wrong, does.”) – The better you plan every step of a trial the less pitfalls you will be faced with; but never you will have not any.

What attracted you to this position?

Everybody looks for the job of one´s dreams – I worked out my vision, fitting with my wishes and skills and found it.

What skills have been useful in getting and doing the job?

You have to be a generalist, having excellent organizational and communicative skills, being a team-player but also self-dependent, reliable and precise, you should have an affinity to laws, regulations and process-orientated thinking. Clinical knowledge of the regarding research area is of use. And, a small amount of humor is always helpful.

What is your one tip for scientists who might be considering a move to this sector?

Be sure you want to tread that path.

Job profile: Anna-Lena Gamer

Job/role:	Head of Clinical Monitoring, KKS Heidelberg, Coordination Centre for Clinical Trials Heidelberg
PhD obtained in:	N.A.
Scientific Background:	Diploma in Biology
Postdoc experience:	None

What do you do in your current role?

Support and supervision of the conduct of clinical trials (continuous “in-process” quality control)

What do you enjoy most about the job?

Variety – constantly new challenges due to different trial settings in different indications, individual problems in the different clinical trial centers…

What are the challenges you face in your job?

Frequent travelling, non-compliant clinical trial centers…

What attracted you to this position?

The opportunity to start a career in the broad field of clinical research.

What skills have been useful in getting and doing the job?

Good communication skills, assertiveness, focus on problem-solving, sense of responsibility, medical knowledge (basics).

What is your one tip for scientists who might be considering a move to this sector?

Participate in an advanced training to achieve basic knowledge about clinical research. This will help to find a job in this field.

You could contact me via E-mail: [redacted]

Job profile: Gregor Benedikt Ottawa

Job/role:	Head Advanced Training, KKS Heidelberg
PhD obtained in:	None
Scientific Background:	Medical Documentalist / state certificated and recognized
Postdoc experience:	None

What do you do in your current role?

Management of the Department of Advanced Training
Course offer development
Acquisition and customer consulting
Marketing strategy development

What do you enjoy most about the job?

That I …
… have interactions with people from all divisions of clinical trials and a wide variety of scientific backgrounds
… can contribute new and creative ideas and course offers
… can influence the development of the department I am working in.

What are the challenges you face in your job?

Recognition and transfer of actual, relevant and realistic issues.
To be up to date.

What attracted you to this position?

Working in a multidisciplinary area, building a team with colleagues with very different scientific and personal background.

What skills have been useful in getting and doing the job?

The ability and the pleasure to communicate
Creativity
The openness to learn and to adapt to new challenges.

What is your one tip for scientists who might be considering a move to this sector?

Find a job you are really interested and happy in. It is difficult, I know, but it is also possible.

You could contact me via E-mail: [redacted]

Job profile: Dr. Alberto Calabrò

Job/role:	Senior Clinical Research Associate, PPD
PhD obtained in:	12/2008
Scientific Background:	Biotechnology (M.Sc.), PhD in Molecular Tumor biology
Postdoc experience:	5 years in CRO industry

What do you do in your current role?

I visit different clinical research sites, mostly hospitals or clinics, to fulfill the prescribed monitoring requirements:
protect the right and safety of human subjects
ensure that trial data are accurate, complete and verifiable
ensure that monitored sites conduct clinical trials according to protocols, ICH-GCP and applicable regulatory regulations
Moreover, I provide logistic and technical support to the research sites in order to prevent any inconvenience during the process of the clinical trial.
Furthermore I am responsible for the financial aspects of the assigned sites and for the training of junior members. Last but not least, I am deeply involved in investigative site audits and inspections.

What do you enjoy most about the job?

The variety of tasks I am performing. Almost impossible to fall into a routine.
The **opportunity** to deal with a great number of different people.
The **opportunity** to use my **scientific** background without sitting behind a lab bench.
The opportunity to travel extensively.
The flexibility of my working time.

What are the challenges you face in your job?

Great workload.
Multitasking skills are stretch to an extreme.
Keeping tight time lines.
Travel requirements burdens.

What attracted you to this position?

The impossibility to fall into a routine and a permanent contract.

What skills have been useful in getting and doing the job?

Quick learning skills is the one prerequisite to keep the fast pace of the clinical research environment**.**

What is your one tip for scientists who might be considering a move to this sector?

Humility. **Independently** from the previous academic achievement, the entry level positions are the highest position anyone without first hand field experience might aspire.

You could contact me via LinkedIn: https://de.linkedin.com/in/albertocalabro

Job profile: Dr. Tilo Netzer

Job/role:	Chief Operating Officer, PharmaLex GmbH
PhD obtained in:	12/1991
Scientific Background:	Pharmacist (State examination), PhD in Pharmacology
Postdoc experience:	None

What do you do in your current role?

Management of the operative business of PharmaLex
Business development
Regulatory strategy in particular for innovative therapies
Preparing and leading health authority interactions worldwide

What do you enjoy most about the job?

That I …
… have interactions with people from all over the world with a wide variety of cultural and educational backgrounds
… can contribute to bringing novel products to patients with a high medical need
… can influence the development of the company I am working in.

What are the challenges you face in your job?

Managing change in a quickly growing organization.
Fulfilling customer expectations with respect to cost, quality and timing of our services.

What attracted you to this position?

To work in an agile organization on a lot of opportunities with a team of very nice and dedicated colleagues.

What skills have been useful in getting and doing the job?

The ambition to deliver results on target (which is probably more a developers skill than a researchers skill).
To find creative solutions and be open for alternatives while still having the ultimate goal in mind.
The openness to always learn and develop as a person.
… and of course a very thorough understanding of what it takes to bring a new drug to the market.

What is your one tip for scientists who might be considering a move to this sector?

Try to find out what you really love to do … and then see whether it matches with what you need to do in drug development (e.g. by doing a practical training).

You could contact me via LinkedIn: http://de.linkedin.com/pub/tilo-netzer/9/5ab/aa2, ResearchGate

Job profile: Dr. Sarah MacKenzie

Job/role:	Medical Writer, Freelance / OTD
PhD obtained in:	05/1993
Scientific Background:	Molecular biology / Genetics / Developmental biology
Postdoc experience:	None

What do you do in your current role?

Preparation and editing of clinical and preclinical documents for regulatory (ICH) and academic purposes including clinical trial protocols and reports, patient informed consent, investigator brochures, contributions to marketing applications, SOPs, peer-reviewed manuscripts, abstracts, posters, presentations. In addition, I translate clinical documents, and may be involved in the review of statistical documents and outputs. My work covers a wide variety of therapeutic domains.

What do you enjoy most about the job?

Being part of the clinical development process and team; exposure to a variety of therapeutic domains; transferability of skills (to alternative disease conditions, document types, and geographic locations); producing a well written final document.

What are the challenges you face in your job?

Being at either the start or the end of the clinical trial process (i.e., writing of protocols and final study reports), you often face unrealistic timelines; managing multiple projects while being dependent on others to complete various tasks; understanding new therapeutic domains rapidly; in-depth statistical analyses; working alone (freelance).

What attracted you to this position?

Being able to combine writing, science, medicine, and working in a team.

What skills have been useful in getting and doing the job?

Attention to detail; ability to review a large, complex, and detailed document for consistency, coherence, adequacy and completeness; good communication skills and taking pleasure in communicating at both a written and personal level; scientific approach.

What is your one tip for scientists who might be considering a move to this sector?

I believe that working in smaller organizations helps make you a well-rounded medical writer – it offers wider exposure to the clinical development process and greater opportunities to learn about new areas, as well as facilitating communication and flexibility.

You could contact me via LinkedIn: http://fr.linkedin.com/pub/sarah-mackenzie/3/769/38b, E-mail: [redacted]

Job profile: Dr. Matthias Renner

Job/role:	Scientific Assessor, Paul-Ehrlich-Institut, Federal Institute for Vaccines and Biomedicines
PhD obtained in:	7/1995
Scientific Background:	Biologist (Diploma), PhD in Molecular Virology, Habilitation in Virology
Postdoc experience:	2 years academia, 12 years industry, 5 years regulatory agency

What do you do in your current role?

Scientific assessment of manufacturing and non-clinical aspects of gene and cell therapy products to be used in clinical trials and on the market.
Giving scientific regulatory advice to companies and academia developing such products.
Accompanying inspections for conferral of manufacturing licenses.
Supervising research in virology and gene therapy.

What do you enjoy most about the job?

Insight into cutting edge development of novel products.
Dealing with a variety of development and products.
Mix of regulatory work and science.
Possibility to work fairly independent.

What are the challenges you face in your job?

Involvement in the decision on benefits and risks for patients od a medicinal product.
Knowledge about different product classes.
Keeping tight time lines.

What skills have been useful in getting and doing the job?

Hands on experience in the development of gene and cell therapies. Basic knowledge of virology.

You could contact me via LinkedIn: http://de.linkedin.com/pub/matthias-renner/9/4a/1b, E-mail: [redacted]

Job profile: Dr. Jamel Nezzar

Job/role:	Senior Drug Safety Associate, PRA International
PhD obtained in:	06/2003
Scientific Background:	Biochemist (Diploma), PhD in Human Biology
Postdoc experience:	2 years

What do you do in your current role?

Management of Drug Safety data
Planning of drug safety activities
SAE, ADR, and Event of Special Interest processing
Safety reporting
Pharmacovigilance quality management/control

What do you enjoy most about the job?

Adaptability to client, other department, regulatory authorities
International environment
Mix of regulatory work and science/medical science
Working independently and within team

What are the challenges you face in your job?

Timelines
Working in project involving several actors (tasks, regions, responsibilities)
Pro-activity and reactivity
Client oriented

What attracted you to this position?

Functions, tasks and responsibility are clearly defined, alternating routing and short term projects.

What skills have been useful in getting and doing the job?

Good communication skills (writing), organized, reactive, diplomat

What is your one tip for scientists who might be considering a move to this sector?

Ready to think as jurist and not as scientist anymore

You could contact me via E-mail: [redacted]

Job profile: Dr. Dieter Schlaps

Job/role:	IT-Consultant Life Science, Self-employed
PhD obtained in:	12/1983
Scientific Background:	Dip.-Inform. (Med.), PhD in Biophysics
Postdoc experience:	3 years academia, 28 years industry

What do you do in your current role?

Supporting Pharmaceutical Companies in the optimization of their processes in Regulatory Affairs, Clinical Development, Marketing and Production by process analysis, identification of requirements, proposal of potential solution scenarios, selection of solutions and solution implementations.

Very often, these projects are triggered by new (national/ international) regulatory standards that the respective customer needs to comply to. Examples are IDMP, XEVMPD, Serialization, SPL, eCTD etc.

What do you enjoy most about the job?

Insights into how Pharmaceutical R&D is carried out in the different companies
Defined timelines and project scopes
Right mix of IT and pharmaceutical process knowledge is essential
Possibility to work fairly independent.

What are the challenges you face in your job?

Need to sell my own knowhow and to deliver projects at the same time.
Keeping tight time lines and budgets.

What attracted you to this position?

As I experienced in my management positions at the previous employers an increasing amount of non-value-adding, administrative work, I decided to “simplify” my life, get independent and make better use of my large industry network by concentrating on my consultant skills and Pharmaceutical process knowledge.

What skills have been useful in getting and doing the job?

Good knowledge (broad and deep) knowledge and hands-on experience of Pharmaceutical R&D processes and related IT solutions, but also personal flexibility and intensive project experiences.

What is your one tip for scientists who might be considering a move to this sector?

Start with one of the big consulting companies who have a good standing in the business area in which you want to work.

You could contact me via LinkedIn: http://de.linkedin.com/pub/dieter-schlaps-dr/2/77/609, Xing, E-mail: [redacted]

Job profile: Dr. Simone Christiane Seiter

Job/role:	Vice President, IMS Consulting Group
PhD obtained in:	1996
Scientific Background:	MD, PhD University of Heidelberg
Postdoc experience:	2 years

What do you do in your current role?

Vice President IMS Consulting Group

What do you enjoy most about the job?

Helping clients develop and commercialize new products

What are the challenges you face in your job?

Ensuring to be constantly up to date with the key trends in the industry

What attracted you to this position?

Opportunity to work with different clients and get exposed to different organizations

What skills have been useful in getting and doing the job?

Analytical thinking and business sense

What is your one tip for scientists who might be considering a move to this sector?

Be open to the business challenges clients put forward and accept that in business 80 20 rule may apply

You could contact me via E-mail: [redacted]

For your notes:

The organizing team

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Dr. Inés Fernández Ulibarri

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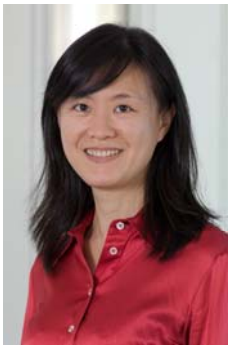

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PostDoc at the DKFZ

The Welcome & Get-Together group encourages networking & exchange of ideas by organizing **Get-Together**-events for PostDocs from the DKFZ and other Heidelberg institutes. Additionally, the group provides newcomers useful information about life in Heidelberg & work at the DKFZ.

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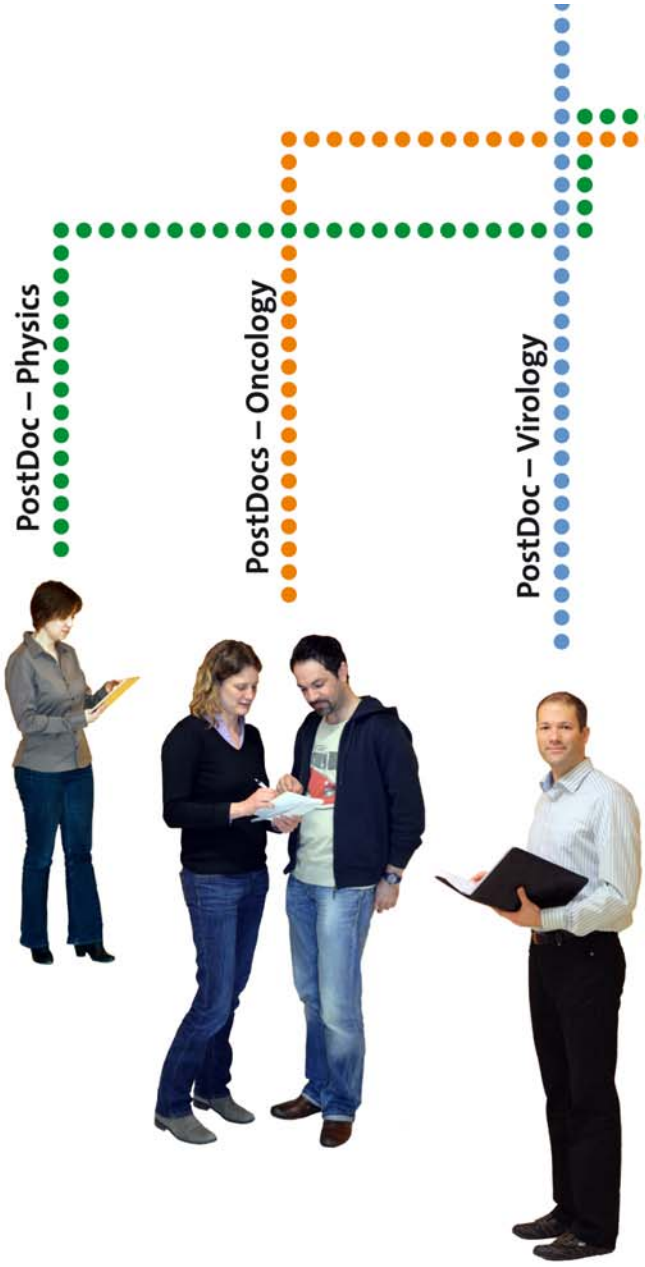
We offer **PostDocs** at the DKFZ a variety of seminars and a regular **PDN retreat** which is an excellent opportunity for networking and scientific exchange. **The Academic Career Team** wants to help young PostDocs who aim for an academic career to get first-hand advice from people that have already established their own lab.
Additionally, **the PDN Career Series** provide insights into alternative career options outside academia. To cover a broad spectrum of topics, **PDN** invites experts from non-academic environments: e.g. R&D, marketing and sales, science management and communication, consulting or patenting.



PDN – The Network

Find information on **PDN** activities on our **official website:** **www.dkfz.de/en/postdoc-network**

To be up-to-date with current and upcoming events join our mailing list: **all-postdocs@dkfz.de**

Check out our facebook site **PDN@DKFZ** Here you can find information on PDN activities, the dates of our events and interesting links for PostDocs. **Join us and be part of the PDN social network.**

Our mission

The **PostDoc Network (PDN)** of the DKFZ was founded to provide and spread information on **career opportunities specifically for PostDocs**. The scientific and personal diversity of the postdoctoral community encountered at the DKFZ required the establishment of a unifying platform that efficiently **represents the interests and needs of PostDocs.** The PDN is continually aiming at maintaining and growing a **vibrant postdoctoral community** that will contribute to **improve the quality of the PostDocs' work**, their working conditions and will establish an **environment that will enrich your postdoctoral experience** at the DKFZ.

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PhD Student Council

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You are sometimes stuck in the lab and wondered who you can ask for help or what to do? - We the PhD student council might be able to help you!
With the support of the Graduate School and the DKFZ Career Service we established a wide portfolio of activities and events which encourage you to be confident about your future and help you to break out of your daily routine. The PhD student council supports you and your needs starting from the Selection Rounds up to the organization of your Graduation party. With events such as the Heidelberg Forum of Young Life Scientists, Pizza&Talk and the Happy Hours we offer you innovative and communicative platforms to build up diverse collaborative relationships with your colleagues and academia. However, all this is only possible with your help!
We are still recruiting people for various of our PhD teams so if you want to be part of this success story don't hesitate to send us an email to **phd-student-council@dkfz.de**.

Language tandem

PhD Happy Hour

www.dkfz.de/careers

Career Service

for Masters/PhD students/PostDocs

INFO on FACEBOOK: To receive updates with links to interesting events and pages (about 3 per week) please LIKE the page Dfkz PhD Careers. To join groups become a FRIEND

www.facebook.com/phdcareers

NETWORK on LinkedIn

For optimal career development **connect** to scientists with interesting jobs. Current and former dkfz scientists are warmly invited to join, as well as collaborators and other interested scientists. http://www.linkedin.com/groups/DKFZ-Career-Network-4831669

CALENDAR of all events in Heidelberg http://tinyurl.com/5wuerfx

INTRANET http://intracoop/sites/phd-careers

E-MAIL DISTRIBUTION LIST jobs-for-PhD: To receive job relevant job ads, information and events register on intranet http://listhost/jobs-for-PhD (externals can be added on request)

WORKSHOPS AND COURSES

DKFZ PhD students and postdocs can participate in workshops on e.g. application skills, CV writing, "Career Plan B/Life Work Planning", soft skills, business for scientists etc. Register on http://logaportal/maportal or per email to careers@dkfz.de

THURSDAY 1 pm – OPEN CAREER LUNCH

For all interested scientists to discuss with a guest about his/her career moves we have "career lunch" (see calendar)

SCIENCE & SOCIETY: Discuss your role as a Scientist, Science & Ethics, Talking to the Public, and Volunteering -> Interest – Engagement – Experience on your CV

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APPOINTMENTS (doodle) **Coaching** on Wednesdays 45' in TP4
CV checks on Fridays after workshops

DKFZ Career Manager since 2011: **Dr. Barbara Janssens.** She is Belgian (PhD in molecular and cell biology from Ghent University), and after a postdoc in Paris she worked for five years as an Editor at Wiley-Blackwell.

DKFZ Career Project Coordinator since July 2013: **Marion Gürth** studied Biology at the TU Darmstadt and did her Diploma in Heidelberg in 2005. Marion will support all projects and focus on building up the dkfz Career Network.

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DKFZ Career Service: Scientific Life beyond the Lab

Thank you for joining this event!

YOUR FEEDBACK

is important to us!!

Please briefly answer a few questions on
https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/CD98FXD

Use your mobile device to directly access the survey!

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