

CAREER DEVELOPMENT IN CANCEROLOGY

A PACRI EVENT

DATE November 16, 2017
PLACE Institut Curie | Amphitheater Constant Burg (12, rue Lhomond 75005 Paris)
AUDIENCE Post-docs (PhDs are also welcomed!)

PROGRAMME

→ 14h00 – 15h30 | PLANNING YOUR CAREER IN ACADEMIA AND BEYOND

How to plan your scientific career beyond your PhD and your Post-doc? In fact, one could put this the other way round and ask successful scientists in how they planned their careers: Often they will say that their career “just happened”. But of course we all know some factors do play a role in career development. How can you make informed decisions at each career step? Where can you get information and make up your mind? In this session we will focus on different aspects of career planning.

→ 15h45 – 17h15 | JOB APPLICATIONS IN ACADEMIA AND BEYOND

Have you ever wondered whether there are other options to find jobs apart from screening job ads online and in the newspaper? Do you want to learn about how people get employed? What is important to be aware of when writing your CV and cover letter? And what are the differences in applying in academia and industry? During this session you will have the chance to learn about different aspects in job applications, the so called “hidden job market” and the importance of networking.

BIOSKETCH: Marion GUERTH

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Marion studied biology at the Technical University of Darmstadt and the Ruprecht-Karls-University of Heidelberg and got her diploma in 2005. Afterwards she worked as a Research Assistant in the department "Applied Tumor Biology" at the Pathological Institute of the University Clinic in Heidelberg until 2008. From 2011 to 2013 she worked as a freelancer for "Informed Choice & Informed Sport" (Lexington KY, USA). In 2013 she joined the DKFZ as a project coordinator and took further trainings as project manager and professional careers advisor 2015 and 2016. Marion is doing one-to-one career guidance for young scientists and is working on projects related to Career Network, Alumni and Social Media at DKFZ. Since 2015, she additionally works as a freelance trainer in the field of Teams & Communication.

