An online information and training event on career opportunities and national and European funding programmes for junior researchers
Day 1: 25 November 2021  
Information on funding opportunities  
09:30 a.m. – 03:00 p.m. (CET)

→ On both days: contact a representative to set up a one-to-one meeting

### Opening of the event

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| 09:30 a.m. | Welcome address  
Prof. Dr. Oliver Kraft, Vice-President for Research (KIT) / Jennifer Striebeck, Director office Bonn (KoWi) |  

### Lecture 1

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| 10:00 – 10:30 a.m. | PhD cand. KoWi – European Liaison Office of the German Research Organisations  
European funding opportunities for PhD candidates: Marie Skłodowska-Curie Doctoral Networks  
▪ Isabel Herzhoff and Marco Rocca |
| 10:30 – 11:00 a.m. | PhD cand. Postdocs WGL – Leibniz Association  
Pursuing your career at a Leibniz Institute  
▪ Dr. Samuel Krug |
| 11:00 – 11:30 a.m. | PhD cand. Postdocs AvH – Alexander von Humboldt Foundation  
Funding opportunities for Postdoctoral Researchers  
▪ Mira Albus |
| 11:30 – 12:00 a.m. | PhD cand. Postdocs DFG – German Research Foundation  
Funding opportunities for Doctoral Researchers  
▪ Dr. Anjana Buckow and Margret Heinze |
| 12:00 – 12:30 p.m. | PhD cand. Postdocs DAAD – German Academic Exchange Service  
Funding programmes for PhD candidates / Postdocs  
▪ Brid Schenkl |
| 01:30 – 02:00 p.m. | PhD cand. Postdocs HGF – Helmholtz Association  
Career paths for early career researchers at Helmholtz  
▪ Dr. Mona Florian and Dr. Anna Tschaut |
| 02:00 – 02:30 p.m. | PhD cand. Postdocs MPG – Max Planck Society  
How to earn your PhD with MPG  
▪ Ilka Schießler-Gäbler |

### Lecture 2

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| 10:00 – 10:30 a.m. | Postdoc KoWi – European Liaison Office of the German Research Organisations  
European funding opportunities for Postdocs: Marie Skłodowska-Curie Postdoctoral Fellowships & ERC Starting Grants  
▪ Dominik Maas |
| 10:30 – 11:00 a.m. | Postdoc DFG – German Research Foundation  
Funding opportunities for Postdocs  
▪ Dr. Anna Böhme and Dr. Gerit Sonntag |
| 11:00 – 11:30 a.m. | Postdocs KIT – Young Investigator Group Preparation Program  
YIG Prep Pro: the path to your own junior research group  
▪ Ines Köhler |
| 11:30 – 12:00 a.m. | Postdocs Volkswagen Foundation  
Profile areas  
▪ Dr. Ulrike Bischler |
| 12:00 – 12:30 p.m. | Postdocs KHYS – Karlsruhe House of Young Scientists  
KHYS Postdoc Office: career development and funding  
▪ Jana Schmitt |
| 01:30 – 02:00 p.m. | PhD cand. Postdocs FhG – Fraunhofer Association  
Your career opportunities in applied research  
▪ Nicole Cumia |
| 02:00 – 02:30 p.m. | PhD cand. Postdocs MPG – Max Planck Society  
You have earned your PhD? Envision your future in the MPG!  
▪ Dr. Katharina Miller-Meyer |

### Conclusion and Outlook Day 2

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Janine Maurer, Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT)  

**12:30 – 12:45 p.m. Let’s swing our hips: Join us for an active break!**

**12:45 – 01:30 p.m. Lunch Break**

**2021-11-25**
Day 2: 26 November 2021
Career sessions and workshops
09:30 a.m. – 03:00 p.m. (CET)

Choose your preferred workshop when registering for the event. As the number of workshop participants is limited, we cannot guarantee the attendance of more than one workshop per person. However, in the registration process you can indicate another workshop as your 2nd choice.

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<td>Host: Prof. Dr. Anke-Susanne Müller, Head of the Institute for Accelerator Physics and Technology at KIT</td>
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<td>Finding my own way purposefully – in the professional/academic fields: orientation, prioritization and motivation – beyond self-optimization</td>
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<td>Dr. Alexa Kunz, Deputy Managing Director at the House of Competence (HoC), Head of HoC’s Methodology Lab</td>
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03:00 – 03:10 p.m.
Conclusion of the event
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