

MAGIC2018

Mentoring and Guidance in Careers workshop

for early career female or gender diverse researchers in mathematics & physics
29 October – 2 November, University House, Canberra



Monday 29 October:

Career aspirations and goals

1000 – 1045	Registration and morning tea
1045 – 1110	Opening and Introduction
1115 – 1300	Panel Discussion 1: A short walk in mathematics and physics careers
1300 – 1310	Genesis of the Georgina Sweet Laureate Fellowship:
1310 – 1400	Lunch
1400 – 1530	Interactive session 1: Tailoring CVs for different sectors
1530 – 1600	Afternoon Break
1600 – 1730	Breakout Session 1: Aspirations and goals Guided by discussion leaders, participants form groups and discuss their career goals and aspirations.
1730 – 1830	Welcome drinks in the Quadrangle Garden, University House
1830 – 2100	Dinner in the Common Room, University House

Tuesday 30 October

Gathering the building blocks of a career

0900 – 0905	Introduction by Dr Merryn McKinnon (CPAS) who will be the facilitator for the morning panel
0905 – 1030	Panel Discussion 2: Building a long-term perspective in career
1030 – 1100	Morning break*
1100 – 1300	Interactive Workshop 1*: Public speaking, promoting your research/results and pitching your message *Sponsored by the ARC Centre of excellence in Future Low-Energy Electronics Technology (FLEET). During the tea break, the participants will have the opportunity to interact with Associate Professor Elena Ostrovskaya, a member of the FLEET executive.
1300 – 1400	Lunch break
1400 – 1530	Panel Discussion 3: Towards a successful research grant application



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1530 – 1600	Afternoon break
1600 – 1730	Breakout Session 2: Career development Guided by discussion leaders, participants form groups and explore strategies for career development.

Dinner – own arrangements

Wednesday 31 October

Progressing further

0900 – 0905	Introduction
0905 – 1030	Panel Discussion 4: Leadership skills, collaborations and building networks
1030 – 1100	Morning break
1100 – 1230	Panel Discussion 5: Outreach and service
1230 – 1330	Lunch break
1330 – 1800	Free time
1830 – 2100	BBQ dinner at the Department of Nuclear Physics, Building 57, Garran Road, ANU Small group tours of the Heavy Ion Accelerator Facility, ANU

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Thursday 1 November

Being a balanced researcher & exploring a diversity of careers

0900 – 1030	Interactive Workshop 2 (part 1): The Balanced Researcher
1030 – 1100	Morning break
1100 – 1300	Panel Discussion 6: Employer needs and expectations in industry and other non-university sectors
1300 – 1400	Lunch break
1400 – 1530	Interactive Workshop 2 (part 2): The Balanced Researcher
1530 – 1545	Short afternoon break

Check your allocated interviews and room.

1545 to 1730	Choice of individual mock (not public) interviews (15-20 min each) and/or working on your CV when not being interviewed				
	Working on CV	“Academia -1” mock interviews	“Academia- 2” mock interviews	“Industry” mock interviews	“Public Service” mock interviews
	<i>Common Room</i>	<i>Fellows Room</i>	<i>North Room</i>	<i>Torrance Room</i>	<i>Joplin Room</i>
	Until 1700	Panel: Catherine Greenhill (UNSW), and Nanda Dasgupta (ANU)	Panel: Vince Craig (ANU), and Nalini Joshi (USyd)	Panel: Samuel Bunting (Aginic), Geraldine Chappell (Silanna), and Sean Carmody (APRA)	Panel: Thomas McGoram (Public Service), and Annette Berriman (ANU)
1745 to 1845	Drinks and finger food in Quadrangle Garden, University House				

Dinner – own arrangement

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Friday 2 November

Putting learnt things into practice

0900 – 0905	Introduction
0905 – 1030	Breakout Session 3: Research grant application review: In teams of two, participants review their 100-word grant application summaries before presenting them to discussion leaders. Discussion leaders: Stephen Buckman (ex ARC), Vince Craig (ANU), Nanda Dasgupta (ANU), Catherine Greenhill (UNSW), and Nalini Joshi (USyd)
1030 – 1100	Morning break
1100 – 1300	Breakout Session 3 (continued): Research grant application review continued Feedback and how to keep in touch as a group
1300 – 1400	Lunch break and goodbyes