Working Together Successfully in International Research Teams

Objective
Cross-cultural collaboration in international teams has become a crucial everyday part of (scientific) working environments. It brings numerous benefits, but also leads to misunderstandings and irritation that can hinder productivity.

Description
The aim of the training is to prepare participants for teamwork from an intercultural perspective in academia. To achieve this goal, we will work with science-based models, short lectures and numerous exercises with a strong focus on the relevance for your professional and daily life.

Course content:
• Engage individually with our own cultural backgrounds and their impact on intercultural collaboration
• Analyze teamwork in an intercultural context
• Develop strategies for self-experienced difficult situations in international teams

After this workshop you will
• be able to analyze situations of your work life in an international team,
• know strategies to deal with intercultural situations,
• have the basics to feel more secure when intercultural situations occur in your work.

Methodology
The workshop will be a mix of input, working on case studies, discussions, and group work.

Organizational Information

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                    Friday, 24 January 2020, 9:00 – 17:00 |
| Registration     | For registration click here |

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