March Workshops to Support Learning and Teaching

During March the following workshops to support learning and teaching will take place:

- Providing effective feedback to students, 9 March
- Starting your application for Senior Fellowship of the Higher Education Academy (HEA), 19 March
- Starting your application for Fellowship of the Higher Education Academy (HEA), 25 March
- The Use of Prezi for Learning & Teaching, 26 March

To learn more about the workshops and register your interest, please go to the course booking site.

March Researcher Development Workshops

During March the following workshops for research staff will take place:

- Communication & Presentation Skills: Exceptional Conference Presentations, 3 March, Foresterhill
- Introduction to LaTeX, 6 March
- CV and Cover Letter Workshop for College of Arts and Social Sciences, 12 March
- Consultancy Skills for STEM Researchers, 18 March, Foresterhill
- Managing Successful Research Projects, 19 March
- Engaged Research: Science Communication Workshop and STEM Ambassador Induction, 20 March
- Introduction to LaTeX, 25 March
- Interview Workshop for College of Arts and Social Sciences, 26 March
- Interview Workshop for College of Arts and Social Sciences, 27 March

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Scottish Graduate School for Arts and Humanities Cohort Development Funding – NEXT DEADLINE: 27 MARCH

The SGSAH Panel Cohort Development Fund aims to support SGSAH staff, students and institutions to work collaboratively to develop and improve doctoral training across Scotland. The fund enables researchers to develop and/or deliver innovative training that cannot be delivered by individual institutions. Applications are welcome from academic staff and/or doctoral students in the arts and humanities in Aberdeen. To learn more about the fund, click here.
‘Preparing for Leadership for Research Staff’, 30-31 March, University of Edinburgh

This two-day non-residential Vitae course will be suitable for researchers who are starting to take leadership roles or who wish to take on leadership responsibility in the future. It is aimed at individuals who are typically within the first four years of their postdoctoral research. It recognises that these individuals often have a great deal of responsibility for projects, but often not a great deal of authority. By the end of the programme, participants will be better able to clarify the tasks that are expected of them now and in the future, and to develop a strategy based on these expectations.

This is a regional course which is free to attend but has limited places per institution. As such, interested researchers should email rdu@abdn.ac.uk by 16 February. Researchers should also register their interest – which includes a 150 word statement – via the Vitae website by 20 February.

Aspiring Independent Research Fellows Conference, 27 April, John Innes Centre – APPLICATION DEADLINE: 13 MARCH

The John Innes Centre (JIC) will host a one-day conference for individuals who wish to apply for independent research fellowships such as the BBSRC David Phillips Research Fellowships or a Royal Society Research Fellowship.

At this conference, researchers will be able to present a talk about their proposed research, the development of their group, and their future career plans with senior JIC scientists.

After the conference, JIC staff will select and mentor outstanding candidates in writing fellowship applications and/or offer the opportunity to move existing fellowships to the JIC.

To learn more about the conference, and to apply, click here

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