

Developing your Research Career

Have you thought about your career lately? Would you like some time to review and design the next steps in your career?

In order to provide Queen's research staff with time and space to focus on their career development a programme of activity will be available over the next few months.

This programme will enable you to develop a deeper understanding of the potential for career planning. The four-part programme aims to support researchers in looking at their interests and abilities, their career objectives and to develop career management strategies that work for them. The programme includes a personally tailored career consultation in early September.

The course aims to assist you to:

- Review your research career
- Identify your career objectives
- Consider your career options
- Identify your transferable skills
- Establish how work fits into the rest of your life
- Develop your CV
- Prepare for Interviews
- Be supported in your career decision making

Date and course duration:

Workshop 1. Career Exploration **4th June** (09.00 -13.30)

Workshop 2. Career Management **19th June** (09.15-15.45): two sessions focusing on developing your CV and preparing for interviews.

Individual Career Consultation **7th, 8th and 9th July 2020** (1.5 hours per participant)

All participants are required to complete pre-work for this programme. This will be approx. 1.5 hours and include the completion of a Careers Anchors questionnaire and activities in the online Professional Skills for Research Leaders course, available via QOL.

Target Audience:

This course is for those engaged in full time research (including postdoctoral researchers and early career academics) who are:

- Interested in finding out more about themselves and how to develop their career
- Considering their career options
- Facing career decisions
- Considering applying for new roles

Registration

Places are limited to 12 researchers and are available on a first come basis. Please register on itrent at https://hrwebapp.qub.ac.uk/tlive_ess/ess/#/login

Search for the programme title Developing your Research Career. You will then be registered for all the workshops. Places for the individual career consultations will be allocated during the workshop. *Please register by Friday 6th September.*