

# NEWSLETTER FOR EARLY CAREER RESEARCHERS

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WELCOME TO THE NEWSLETTER FOR DOCTORAL CANDIDATES AND POSTDOCS, ISSUED BY THE JENNY ALONI CENTRE FOR EARLY CAREER RESEARCHERS!

The *Jenny Aloni Centre for Early Career Researchers* brings together numerous institutions at Paderborn University that offer services for doctoral candidates, Postdocs, and junior professors. This newsletter brings you the latest news from the Jenny Aloni Centre, courses and events, as well as current calls for applications.

Note: Unless otherwise stated, the language is German. Events and courses in English are marked "[EN]".

## CURRENT COURSES & EVENTS

Start/date	Title	Organisation	Target group(s)
04.11.2024	Good scientific practice for doctoral candidates	Staff Development	Doctoral candidates
05.11.2024	Planning and organising stays abroad during your doctorate	Academic Career Development Office	Doctoral candidates
05.11.2024	Teaching stays in the Erasmus+ area	International Office	Lecturers
05.11.2024	Multiple choice and short answers	University Didactics	Lecturers
06.11.2024	Stays abroad for further education and training purposes	International Office	All
06.11.2024	Agile eLearning tools for classroom teaching	University Didactics	Lecturers
07.11.2024	Navigating an International Academic Career: Challenges, Risks, Opportunities [EN]	Staff Development	Doctoral candidates & Postdocs
08.11.2024	Legal foundations of university teaching: university and examination law	University Didactics	Lecturers
11.11.2024	Adobe Photoshop basics training	Staff Development	All
12.11.2024	Manage literature and organise knowledge with Citavi	University Library	All
12.11.2024	Research funding days at HHU	-	All
13.11.2024	Teaching spotlight: "I have something you can't see." - Making teaching accessible	University Didactics	Lecturers
13.11.2024	Work-life leadership - how do I want to lead?	Staff Development	Doctoral candidates & Postdocs

13.11.2024	WissZeitVG - Compact	Human Resources Department	Academic staff & line managers
13.11.2024	OER introduction	University Didactics	Lecturers
13.11.2024	Digital lecture: Basic knowledge of anti-Semitism	Equal Opportunities	All
14.11.2024	Further training: Anti-Muslim racism	Equal Opportunities	All
14.11.2024	Launch event of the GeFoWiss specialist centre	GeFoWiss	All
15.01.2025	Making tutors fit for their work in teaching	-	Lecturers
19.11.2024	Career Spotlight: From PhD to Akademischer Rat	Academic Career Development Office	Doctoral candidates & Postdocs
19.11.2024	Counselling skills in a university context	Staff Development	All
19.11.2024	LimeSurvey basic training	Staff Development	All
20.11.2024	Setting and marking exams	University Didactics	Lecturers
20.11.2024	Digital lecture: Finding options for action & language in the Middle East conflict	Equal Opportunities	All
21.11.2024	Communicative effectiveness, voice and personal presence in research and teaching	Staff Development	All
25.11.2024	Hybrid leadership - team development in virtual space	Staff Development	Managers
26.11.2024	First audition? Applying for professorships	Staff Development	Postdocs & junior professors
27.11.2024	Teaching spotlight: Countering discriminatory communication and populism	University Didactics	Lecturers
27.11.2024	Thinking about anti-Semitism and anti-Muslim racism together	Equal Opportunities	Lecturers
27.11.2024	Thinking about anti-Semitism and anti-Muslim racism together	Equal Opportunities	Doctoral candidates
27.11.2024	Digital lecture: Thinking anti-Semitism and anti-Muslim racism together	Equal Opportunities	All
28.11.2024	Supervising theses and dissertations - suitable for learning and everyday use	University Didactics	Lecturers
28.11.2024	Negotiation and dialogue skills with a focus on Harvard/cooperative negotiation	Staff Development	All

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## CURRENT CALLS

Deadline	Call	Target group(s)
01.11.2024	<b>Fulbright Doctoral Programme (Research Fellowship USA)</b> Are you researching a project related to the USA as part of your dissertation and planning a research stay? Then you can apply for the Fulbright Doctoral Programme! Funding is available for a research stay of up to 6 months in the USA from 1 August 2025.	Doctoral candidates
15.11.2024	<b>Battery research junior research groups (BattFutur)</b> The "BattFutur" funding programme gives excellent young scientists the opportunity to set up their own independent junior research group at a university or non-university research institution in Germany. The research focuses on material-, process- and recycling-based issues relating to rechargeable, electrochemical energy storage systems (secondary batteries) with an application focus on electromobility, stationary systems and other industry-relevant applications.	Postdocs
25.11.2024	<b>University Competition 2025 - Show your research!</b> The Science in Dialogue (WiD) competition invites students, doctoral candidates and young researchers from all disciplines to submit their communication ideas on innovative technologies such as geothermal energy or hydrogen as well as on topics such as sustainable mobility, social justice and energy poverty, smart grids and more. We are looking for imaginative projects that make scientific content accessible to citizens and promote dialogue between research and society.	Doctoral candidates & Postdocs
30.11.2024	<b>BMWK EXIST Research Transfer</b> Funding is available for research teams at universities who are planning outstanding research-based start-up projects that involve complex and high-risk development work. Project funding for development work in preparation for the start-up, usually 18 months, max. 36 months. Continuous submission possible. Assessment from 31 March, 31 August and 30 November of each year.	All
31.01.2025	<b>Establishment of academic junior research groups - Quantum Futur</b> As part of the "Quantum Futur" competition for young researchers, excellent young scientists are supported in setting up their own independent junior research group that deals with new interdisciplinary research approaches in second-generation quantum technologies. Thematically, all areas of second-generation quantum technologies and their specialised environment are addressed. In particular, these are quantum computing, quantum simulation, quantum informatics, quantum sensor technology and metrology, quantum communication and supporting technologies.	Postdocs

➔ *If you are interested in submitting an application, the [Research Unit](#) will be happy to advise you, unless stated otherwise. Further funding calls can be found in the [FIT newsletter](#).*

## NEWS FROM THE JENNY ALONI CENTRE FOR EARLY CAREER RESEARCHERS

### **Gender as an analytical category: GeFoWiss Kick-off on 14 November**

On 14 November 2024, the launch of the Centre for Gender as a Category of Analysis in University Research and Knowledge Contexts (GeFoWiss) will be celebrated. The BMBF-funded structural project supports researchers at Paderborn University in taking gender aspects into account in their research projects. The centre's new services will be presented at the launch event: GeFoWiss offers research advice for researchers from all subjects and status groups at UPB and organises workshops, specialist conferences, lunch talks, and a "Gender Salon" in cooperation with the city of Paderborn. There will also be a podcast, training courses for disciplinary multipliers and a platform with networking opportunities, digital resources and best practice examples from projects at the university. The keynote speech by Prof Dr Friederike Eyssel from Bielefeld University on the topic of "Gender aspects in research using the example of social robots" will provide a vivid insight into the relevance of gender issues in applied research. Afterwards, there will be time to get to know each other over lunch. Please register at [gefowiss@upb.de](mailto:gefowiss@upb.de).

Further information: [go.upb.de/GeFoWiss](http://go.upb.de/GeFoWiss)

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