

Research in Europe

Career and funding opportunities for early career researchers

Date: May 15, 2025; 9.00 a.m. – 4.45p.m.

Venue: Saarland University, Campus, Großer Hörsaal Chemie (C4.3) | Großer Hörsaal Physik (C6.3) (Information stands will be open all day)

Preliminary Programme

Joint Opening [Place TBD]

09:00 – 09:15	Welcome (Prof. Dr. Robert Ernst, Vice-President for Research and Outreach, Saarland University)	
09:15 – 09:25	Welcome (Dr. Kristina Wien, KoWi)	
09:25 – 09:30	Organisational issues (Nina Christmann, Research Management Division, Saarland University)	
09:30 – 10:00	Testimonials of successful grantees (Moderation: Nina Christmann) Panelists: JP Dr. Laura Aradilla Zapata (ERC Starting Grantee) Dr. André Schäfer (DFG Emmy Noether) Dr. Nieves Ramirez Hernandez (MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowship) Dr. Mariana Romeiro Motta (DFG Walter Benjamin Fellowship)	
10:00 – 10:15	Break: Opportunity for discussion & consulting at information stands	
	Building TBD (Doctoral Researchers)	Building TBD (Postdoctoral Researchers)
10:15 – 10:45	MSCA Doctoral Networks (Laura Willems, KoWi)	MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships, European Research Council (Cristina Condovici, KoWi)
10:45 – 11:15	German Research Foundation (DFG) (Margret Heinze)	German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) (Brid Schenkl)
11:15 – 11:45	Max Planck Society (MPG) (Jennifer Gerling)	Leibniz Association (Dr. Samuel Krug)
11:45 – 13:30	Lunch break: Opportunity for discussion & consulting at information stands	
13:30 – 14:00	Gerda Henkel Stiftung (Jana Frey)	Alexander von Humboldt Foundation (Andrea Berg)
14:00 – 14:30	German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) (Brid Schenkl)	Fraunhofer-Gesellschaft (Dr. Ines Veile)
14:30 – 15:00	Bundesanstalt für Materialforschung und -prüfung (Dr. Stefanie Blankenburg)	German Research Foundation (DFG) (Margret Heinze)

15:00 – 15:15	Break: Opportunity for discussion & consulting at information stands	
15:15 – 15:45	Leibniz Association <i>(Dr. Samuel Krug)</i>	Gerda Henkel Stiftung <i>(Jana Frey)</i>
15:45 – 16:15	Fraunhofer-Gesellschaft <i>(Dr. Ines Veile)</i>	Max Planck Society (MPG) <i>(Jennifer Gerling)</i>
16:15 – 16:45		Bundesanstalt für Materialforschung und -prüfung <i>(Dr. Stefanie Blankenburg)</i>