MPI-BN Postdoc Association Meeting

23-02-2018
Goals

• Promote interactions between Postdocs from different departments

• Organize career workshops, social events, retreats...

• Act as a liaison between the Postdocs and the Directors/Management
Meeting agenda

• Survey results

• Department representatives

• 1st event planning (workshop, retreat, social events)

• Open floor
Survey results

54.3% response rate (50/92)

Are you interested in having a postdoc society at MPI-BN?

- Very Interested
- Interested
- Neutral
- Not Interested

% Participants

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Are you interested in attending career development workshops?

- Very Interested
- Interested
- Neutral
- Not Interested

% Participants
Survey results

**Type of Workshops**

- Jobs after postdoc (industry)
- Jobs after postdoc (academia)
- Interview preparation
- Leadership skills
- Management
- Grant writing
- Funding
- Scientific Writing and Editing
- Work-life balance
- Starting up a new lab

% Participants
Survey results

Are you interested in attending poster sessions/social events?

- Very Interested
- Interested
- Neutral
- Not Interested

How often would you like these events to occur?
- Never
- Annually
- Every 6 months
- Every 3 months
- Monthly

% Participants
Department representatives?
First event

- Workshop: Career planning (industry & academia)
- Poster session & beer hour
- 1 day postdoc retreat
Open floor
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• Connections to MPI Frankfurt – possibility of joint events
• Website?
Please let new postdocs in your department know that they need to contact the IT department to be added to the postdoc mailing list.

For more information from the MPG (workshops, etc) you can sign up at: https://listserv.gwdg.de/mailman/listinfo/mpg-postdocnet