

Ad Hoc Seminar

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"How to get funded"

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As your academic career progresses, you will have to start acquiring funds to finance your research: you will have to write proposals. You need a good, new idea – but that is usually not the bottleneck. A good idea is a necessary, but not a sufficient condition for getting your proposal funded. In this lecture, I will present some pointers and pitfalls of writing proposals – and we will investigate how considering these may help you improve your proposal. During the lecture, we will explore what makes a good proposal, establish that some of the 'rules' of proposal-writing may seem counterintuitive, and compare these rules with those applicable when writing a scientific paper.

Venue: 2nd Floor Seminar Room
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All are welcome to attend