Success Factors for DFG Proposals – Ask the Review Panel. Focus Natural and Life Sciences
In Cooperation with the Research Support

**Objective**
Advanced doctoral students and postdocs can learn about the application and review process at Germany's most important research funding organization. They will learn about success factors for DFG proposals, discover how a review panel works, and they can discuss their questions with scientists who are closely involved on the selection of proposals for funding.

**Description**
Funding proposals by scientists are, in most cases, reviewed by other scientists. At the DFG, the review panels play a crucial role in selecting proposals for funding. The panelists are elected scientists from German universities and research institutions. Several of them work at Goethe University.

At this workshop, DFG review panel members from the various major scientific fields at Goethe University will come together and answer your questions:

- How exactly does the selection and review process work?
- How does the review board select suitable proposals and what are the most important selection criteria?
- How much preliminary work do you need?
- Etc. - you bring the questions with you!

**Methodology**
The workshop starts with two short presentations on funding opportunities and the review process at the DFG. Afterwards, the participants will have the opportunity to discuss their questions with the panelists.

**Conference Organization & Moderation**

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