MFPL Career Day
October 5th, 2015

Scientists have to make some of their most important career decisions during their PhD and Postdoc time. The MFPL Career Day offers a fantastic opportunity to get information on a wide variety of career possibilities in the field of life sciences and beyond.

**JOB-SPEED-DATING: group discussions with peers**
**October 5th, 13:30 – 17:30**
Hotel Lindner am Belvedere, Rennweg 12, 1030 Vienna

So far, we have 12 confirmed guests representing many different career options in Life Sciences and beyond. In small group discussions, participants will have the opportunity to meet up to four guests during the course of the afternoon. This personal approach creates a comfortable discussion atmosphere far away from the usual classroom lectures and allows talking about individual interests.

**Guests**
- Dr. Amanda Jamieson – Assistant Professor, Brown University, Providence, USA
- Dr. Christina Eresheim – Lecturer, FH Technikum Wien, Vienna
- Dr. Julia Plieschnig – Brand Manager Oncology, AstraZeneca Österreich, Vienna
- Dr. Dieter Pullirsch – Deputy Head Department of Biological Analysis, AGES, Vienna
- Laura Symul – Scientific Illustrator, Illustrated Science, Geneva, CH
- Dr. Chantal Rodgaria-Dara – Product Specialist Life Science Research, THP Medical Products
- Dr. Irene Fialka – CEO of INITS (University Business start-up service), Vienna
- Mag. Thomas Tallian – Operational project management Biology and Medicine, FWF, Vienna
- Dr. Michael Metzlaff – Senior Manager Innovation Relations, Bayer, Leverkusen, DE
- Dr. Heike Dorninger – Project Leader, Boston Consulting Group, Vienna
- Dr. Andreas Pilz – Head of Vaccine R&D, ORIGIMM Biotechnology

**Time schedule:**
13:30 – 13:45   Welcome
13:45 – 14:30   Introduction of guests
14:30 – 14:45   Break (choose which guests you want to talk to)
14:45 – 15:45   Focus group discussions I (2x25min, approx. 10 attendees/guest)
15:45 – 16:15   Coffee Break
16:15 – 17:15   Focus group discussions II (2x25min, approx. 10 attendees/guest)
17:15 – 17:30   Closing remarks

**Registration:**
Places are limited so register quickly! Send your name and e-mail address to lilly.sommer@mfpl.ac.at until September 16th, 2015.