

# JUNIOR RESEARCH GROUPS

Funding Opportunities and Career Paths



Tuesday, February 18, 2014 | 5:00 – 8:30 pm

Junges Wissenschaftsforum Dahlem is part of Freie Universität Berlin's institutional strategy "VERITAS – IUSTITIA – LIBERTAS: International Network University". It is a platform through which junior researchers at Freie Universität and its partner institutions on the Berlin-Dahlem research campus can engage in the creation and exchange of ideas. It enables researchers to look beyond the confines of their disciplines, to discuss issues of common interest, to get information about funding opportunities, and to organize workshops.

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The German academic system offers different paths towards a career in academia and research. Aside from the traditional habilitation process and the creation of junior professorships, junior research group programs are the most important of these. Within such programs, excellent post-doctoral researchers can realize their own independent research projects, thereby gaining the necessary qualifications for a professorship. The third event organized by Junges Wissenschaftsforum Dahlem will give an overview of all current funding programs, starting with one of the most prominent, the Emmy Noether Programme by Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG). Speakers from DFG and Freie Universität Berlin will give short presentations and answer your questions. In the second part of the evening, junior research group leaders from different academic disciplines will discuss their experiences.

### PROGRAM

5:00 pm Admission

- 5:30 pm Greetings | Prof. Dr. Brigitta Schütt, Vice-president of Freie Universität Berlin
- 5:35 pm The Emmy Noether Programme | Dr. Michael Fuchs, Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft
- 6:00 pm Further Funding Opportunities for Junior Research Groups: BMBF, Volkswagen Stiftung and ERC Grants | Dr. Eva-Maria Silies, Research Funding Support Service, Freie Universität Berlin
- 6:20 pm Dahlem International Network Junior Research Groups | Dr. Jaane Rauschenberg, Center for Research Strategy, Freie Universität Berlin

#### SHORT BREAK

6:40 pm Panels with leaders of junior research groups from different academic disciplines, joined by the speakers from DFG and Freie Universität Berlin

7:30 pm Reception

# REGISTRATION

LOCATION

Due to the limited number of seats available, please register by sending an email to crs@fu-berlin.de by February 7, 2014 the latest. By registering, you allow the Center for Research Strategy to include your contact data on the attendance list and to publish photos taken over the course of the evening on the website of Junges Wissenschaftsforum Dahlem. Please understand that you will receive a confirmation notification only after the passing of the registration deadline. For this event, professional child care can be provided. Should you want to make use of this offer, please register by January 31.



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