

# Career Day 14<sup>th</sup> of June 2018

*Perspectives for Women in Life Sciences*



9:00 – 17:00

**Leibniz Institute for Neurobiology  
Ebbinghaus Lecture Hall**

08:30 - 09:00 Arrival, Welcome Reception, Registration

09:00 - 09:15 Welcome Addresses

Traudel Gemmer\* (Magdeburg)  
Prof. Dr. Frank Ohl (LIN Magdeburg)

\* President of AMU  
(„Verband selbstständiger Frauen in Sachsen-Anhalt“)

Session I: Female Careers in Academia & Industry

09:15 - 09:45 Dr. Ines Erdmann (Hilden)  
Stepping out of Academia - My Way to QIAGEN

09:45 - 10:15 Dr. Karin Bodewits (Munich)  
On a Wobbly Road to 'Success'

10:15 - 10:35 Coffee Break

10:35 - 11:05 Dr. Marija Petrinovic (London)  
From Academia to Industry and Back.  
Impressions from a Journey

11:05 - 11:35 Dr. Grit Landgraf (Frankfurt a. M.)  
Early and Late Stage Clinical Development: What  
Fits Best to You?"

11:35 - 12:05 Prof. Dr. Kristine Krug (Oxford)  
Making Decisions - In the Brain and in Life

12:05 - 12:35 Christiane Neumann (Berlin)  
To What Extent Can a Career Be Planned

12:35 - 14:00 Group Photo + Lunch Break

Session II: Job Fair/CV-Check/Workshop

13:00 - 16:30 Job Fair

13:00 - 16:00 Photo Session  
Alena Stalmashonak  
(AlenaS-Art-Photography)

13:00 - 17:00 CV-Check  
Katrin Gruschka (HS Magdeburg-Stendal)

14:00 - 18:00 Workshop  
Dominik Frisch  
(Shift Happens – Coaching, Leadership und  
Organisationsentwicklung)

Parallel



**Dr. Ines Erdmann (Hilden)**

Dr. Erdmann studied Biology and Integrative Neuroscience at the University of Hamburg and the OVGU Magdeburg. During her PhD at the LIN and the OVGU Magdeburg, she was awarded with the Hugo-Junkers-Preis for her project: "In vivo cell-selective protein labeling using click chemistry". Since February 2017 she has been working as account manager at QIAGEN.



**Dr. Karin Bodewits (Munich)**

Dr. Karin Bodewits is speaker, author, seminar leader and founder of the career platform NaturalScience.Careers. She studied Biology at the University of Groningen and received her PhD in Biochemistry at the University of Edinburgh. Since then she is working and writing around the topic "Women, career & science". She published a career guide for female natural scientists (Wiley, 2016) and her first novel 'You must be very intelligent - the PhD Delusion' (Springer, 2017).



**Dr. Marija Petrinovic (London)**

Dr. Marija Petrinovic obtained her PhD in Neuroscience at the ETH Zurich and continued her career at the pharmaceutical company F. Hoffmann-La Roche supervising research concerning how malfunctions of neural circuits serve as hallmarks of neurodevelopmental disorders. In 2016, Marija joined King's College London to become a Lecturer (Assistant Professor) at the Institute of Psychiatry, Psychology and Neuroscience.



**Dr. Grit Landgraf (Frankfurt a. M.)**

Dr. Grit Landgraf studied Biochemistry and received her PhD in Biochemistry at the MPI in Halle (Saale). After a post-doctoral fellowship she joined the pharmaceutical industry where she held different positions in early and late stage clinical development of pharmaceuticals (Serumwerk Bernburg AG, NOXXON Pharma, Sandoz, Pfizer). Currently, she is working as a Medical Science Liaison at Otsuka Pharma GmbH.



**Prof. Dr. Kristine Krug (Oxford)**

Prof. Dr. Kristine Krug received her PhD at Oxford University studying the formation of ordered maps during brain development. Since then she was awarded Royal Society Dorothy Hodgkin and Royal Society University Research Fellowships to conduct her research. Currently, Prof. Krug is an Associate Professor of Neuroscience in the Department of Physiology, Anatomy and Genetics, and Fellow in Biomedical Sciences at Oriel College.



**Christiane Neumann (Berlin)**

Christiane Neumann studied German Literature, Musicology and Law in Frankfurt (a. M.) and Berlin. After acquiring her German State Exams in Law and working as an Attorney-at-Law/Barrister she joined the Berlin public sector serving in several executive positions. Having already been Administrative Vice President for the Leibniz-Association (1998 - 2003), she became General Secretary for the Leibniz-Associations in 2010 (until 2017).



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**Katrin Gruschka, 14:00 - 17:00**

As the head of the Career Center of the Hochschule Magdeburg-Stendal, Katrin Gruschka is responsible for establishing networks between research and economy. She counsels students, graduates and companies, thus providing support in receiving internship positions and promoting future career prospects.

Workshop – Discover What You do Best!



**Dominik Frisch, 14:00 - 18:00**

Dominik Frisch, Coach from "Shift Happens" in Berlin, offers this exciting workshop. Based on the scientifically validated tool "strength finder 2.0" of the Gallup Institute, participants will work out their individual strength profile, analyze the results and formulate a plan of action for their further career.

Max. 15 participants