Karlsruhe House of Young Scientists

Karlsruhe House of Young Scientists (KHYS) is the central institution for the promotion of junior researchers at Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT). We support doctoral researchers, postdocs*, the Young Investigator Network (YIN), and doctoral programs. Our various offers are specifically tailored to junior KIT researchers and aim to foster an open scientific and interdisciplinary exchange of ideas and knowledge.

The central objectives of KHYS are to provide advice, support and funding to junior researchers, to further develop both the promotion of young scientists and the framework conditions for doctoral researchers and postdocs at KIT.

Further education opportunities

With our further education opportunities we support young scientists regarding professional competencies in order to prepare them as best as possible for their careers in and outside academia.

Our partners are the Research Office (FOR), Innovation and Relationship Management (IRM), National Institute for Science Communication (NaWik), Personnel Development and Vocational Training (PEBA) and Sprachenzentrum (SpZ).

* KHYS promotes junior researchers in the postdoc phase (orientation phase, which mostly lasts up to two or three years).

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### Research and communication

**March 5/6, 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.**
- Workshop: Publishing in scientific journals  
  Dr. Mai Thi Nguyen-Kim, NaWik

**March 7, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.**
- Workshop: Schreibbraum – endlich Zeit für den Projektantrag  
  t.b.a., FOR (KIT)

**April 24/25, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**
- Workshop: Wissenschaftliches Schreiben für Promovierende aus den Natur- und Ingenieurwissenschaften  
  Dr.-Ing. Hartwig Junge, Schöner-Lehren.de

**April 24/25, 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.**
- Seminar: Besser fachlich argumentieren  
  Kristin Raabe, NaWik

**June 26, 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.**
- Seminar: Social Media für die Karriere nutzen  
  Dr. Ulrike Brandt-Bohne, NaWik

### Management

**January 18/19, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m./9 a.m. to 1 p.m.**
- Workshop: Gelingende Kommunikation im Projekt  
  Ulrike Gentner

**February 8, 10:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.**
- Workshop: Konfliktmanagement  
  Karin Probst, 2-change

**March 14/15, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**
- Workshop: Grundlagen der Führung für Nachwuchswissenschaftler/-innen  
  Ute Thomasky

**May 4 and 18, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.**
- Workshop: Zeit- und Selbstmanagement für Promovierende und Postdocs  
  Manuela Schnaubelt

### Languages

**February 26 - May 31, two individual lessons**
- Individual course: English à la carte lite  
  Donald Richardson, Angela Althen, SpZ (KIT)

**February 26 - May 31, four individual lessons**
- Individual course: English à la carte  
  Donald Richardson, Angela Althen, SpZ (KIT)

**Call for applications in spring 2018**
- Funding: Refund for participation fees for German courses

### Promotion and career

**February 27/28, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**
- Workshop: Nach der Promotion – Karriereoptionen und Bewerbungsstrategien  
  Doris Brenner

**March 8, 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**
- Workshop: Pers. Standortbestimmung, Karriereschritte und Kompetenzentwicklung planen  
  Simone Belgardt, PEBA (KIT)

**April 19, 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**
- Workshop: Personal orientation, planning career steps and competences  
  Simone Belgardt, PEBA (KIT)

**May 24/25, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**
- Training: Disputationstraining  
  Dr. Daniela Twilfer

**June 7, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**
- Training: Job application training for international doctoral researchers  
  Dr. Eva Reichmann, beruf & leben GbR

**June 13, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.**
- Coaching: Kollegiales Promotionscoaching  
  Simone Belgardt, PEBA/t.b.a., KHYS (KIT)

### Costs

KHYS covers the major part of the costs for the courses for all KHYS members. There is either no fee or only a small fee of EUR 40 for the courses.

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**For further information please visit:**

[www.khys.kit.edu/english/weiterbildungsangebote](http://www.khys.kit.edu/english/weiterbildungsangebote)

**KHYS membership**

By registering via the KHYS Registration Portal (doctoral researchers) or KHYS Network (postdocs), you become a member of KHYS and become eligible for our manifold offers.