

Session 1: Fellowship Bootcamp Programme Spring 2018

Faculties of Health Sciences and Life Sciences

14:30pm – 17:00pm Tuesday 17th April

Introductions, expectations and experiences

14:30 *Coffee/Tea on arrival*

14:45 A welcome to the programme by **Professor Nishan Canagarajah, Pro Vice-Chancellor Research**

14:55 Icebreaker and an outline of fellowship bootcamp programme (delivered by RD)

Participant introductions followed by an outline of each session in the programme including; expectations, participation, online resources.

15:30 **Introduction to Fellowships** (delivered by RED)

What is a Fellowship award, who funds Fellowships, how to find opportunities, what support is available?

Information will also cover;

- EU Fellowships (**Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions (MSCA)**) (Dr. Tiernan Williams)
- Elizabeth Blackwell Institute for Health Research, **Early Career Fellowship scheme** (Dr. Nina Couzin)

16:20 The experience of a **new fellow Dr. Emma Vincent** (Diabetes UK RD Lawrence Fellow, Faculty of Health Sciences)

Emma will speak to her personal experience of applying for a fellowship, her motivation to apply, her approach to the application process and her top tips to potential fellowship candidates.

16:30 *Networking, drinks and nibbles*