

A photograph of a person's hands reaching towards a row of young plants in a greenhouse. The plants are in black trays and have thin wooden stakes. The background is a blurred greenhouse structure with a perforated metal screen. The text "START Retreat for Young Researchers" is overlaid in white.

# START Retreat for Young Researchers

# Programme

## Day 1 | 24 June

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9.30-10.00

**Arrival and light snack**

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10.00-10.30

**Welcome and ice breaker activity** | Presenter: Gitte Frandsen (University of Copenhagen)

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10.30-12.00

**How to work interdisciplinary** | Presenter: Heather Anne Swanson, Professor (Aarhus University) and Daniel Kardyb, Postdoc (Aarhus University)

Presentation and mini workshop on the science behind working interdisciplinary.

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12.00-13.00

**Lunch**

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13.00-17.00

**Interdisciplinary collaboration: exploring cross-disciplinary cooperation in funding application** | Presenters: Jacob Thyrsted Johansen (Aarhus University) and Christian Kvorning Lassen (Aarhus University)

Presentation on exploring cross-disciplinary cooperation in funding applications. We will be playing the board game "GRANTED: The Research Grant Game".

The GRANTED game is ideal for researchers across any field looking to develop multi- or interdisciplinary grant applications. It's also a valuable tool for junior faculty, PhD candidates, and post-doctoral researchers to sharpen their grant-writing skills.

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17.00-18.00

**Time for oneself**

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18.00

**Dinner**

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19.00-

**Hygge/fun** (voluntarily)

# Programme

## Day 2 | 25 June

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8.00-9.00

### **Breakfast**

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9.00-11.30

### **Taking Care of Your Career** | Presenter: Kristian Østergaard Sørensen (Aalborg University)

Presentation and workshop about finding the right career for you after your PhD. You will be presented with a number of considerations about your career after your PhD. Whether you are choosing academia, industry, entrepreneurship or something else there are elements that are relevant to consider during your PhD.

You will be able to reflect on and work with a plan for your career – that is more than just a job.

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11.30-12.15

### **Lunch**

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12.15-14.45

### **Pitch your research and competences outside academia** | Presenters: Nikolaj Falkenberg-Klok (University of Copenhagen) & Kristoffer Raun Thomsen, Advisory and Media Training, University of Copenhagen

Workshop on presentation techniques, rhetoric and how to present your messages short and precise to different audiences.

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14.45-15.00

### **Wrapping up and end of retreat**



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