Monday 17 and Tuesday 18th of June 2024

**Course Title:** Writing successful Fellowship Applications

**Instructors:** David del Álamo and Thiago Carvalho

**Hours and Venue:** 09:00 to 18:00 (including the training hours, two coffee breaks and lunch for 20 people) in “Alkiviades Payatakas” Meeting Room.

The aim of this course is to guide PhD students and Postdocs through the basic aspects of the fellowship application process to enhance their chances of success. The course covers all stages of the process: choosing and approaching their host laboratory, identifying the appropriate fellowship programme and writing their application. We will also discuss post-decision steps, both positive (e.g., weighing competing offers) and negative (e.g., deciding if an appeal is appropriate, writing a rebuttal).

Wednesday the 19th of June 2024

**Course Title:** Communicating research: paper writing and short presentations.

**Instructor:** Poonam Bheda

**Hours and Venue:** 09:00 to 18:00 (including the training hours, two coffee breaks and lunch for 20 people) in “Alkiviades Payatakas” Meeting Room.

The aim of this course is to guide PhD students and Postdocs through the principles, practicalities and strategies of scientific publication. Topics covered include understanding the structure and content of a manuscript, assembling figures and writing effective titles and abstracts. The participants will also learn to navigate the editorial process at journals. The second part of the workshop is focused on how to effectively present your work in a short oral form in various contexts, e.g. poster presentation, flash talk or elevator pitch.

- These courses are supported by IMBB’s Mentoring and Career Track Scheme (MCTS).
- Interested early-stage researchers can submit to either or both courses and participation is free.
- Please submit your application on-line at the link below until the end of **Friday 19th April**: https://apps.imbb.forth.gr/imbb-forms/EMBO_courses/.
- Selected participants for the two courses will be announced until the end of April.