



## COURSE 3: Scientific careers, steps towards success (35 hours in classes and preparation –CERTIFICATE PROVIDED- )

**FEBRUARY 7<sup>th</sup>**  
Thursday, 7pm (CET) Overview of the career path in science. Career self assessment (My IDP).  
**Dr. Maria Soriano**, Vice President, IMAHE (Boston)

**FEBRUARY 16<sup>th</sup>**  
Saturday, 4pm (CET) **ROUND TABLE:** Pros & Cons of the Academia; Steps to succeed in Academia.  

- **Dr. Esther Baena** PI at Cancer Research UK Manchester Institute
- **Dr. David Lagares**, Assistant Professor MGH-Harvard Medical School (Boston)
- **Dr. Rosario F. Godino**, Faculty/Instructor, MEEI-Harvard Medical School
- **Dr. Joan Montero**, Ramon y Cajal Researcher, IBEC (Barcelona)

**FEBRUARY 20<sup>th</sup>**  
Wednesday, 7pm (CET) Grants and Fellowships opportunities for PIs, postdocs,  
**7pm: Dr. Odeña Limaj**, Scientific Project Officer, ERC. Grant opportunities for PIs & Postdocs from European Research Council

**FEBRUARY 23<sup>rd</sup>**  
Saturday, 4pm (CET) **ROUND TABLE:** Responsible conduct in research and how to publish a paper in a high impact Journal .  

- **Dr. Javier Carmona**, Senior Editor Nature, Nature Medicine
- **Dr. Toni Celia**, Group Leader, Princeton-Hospital del Mar
- **Dr. Miguel Prado**, Instructor, Harvard Medical School

**FEBRUARY, 27<sup>th</sup>**  
Wednesday, 8pm (CET) Funding from USA. Bridge collaborations with USA to attract funding and write a successful grant.  
**Dr. Joaquin Lopez Herraiz**, Researcher, UCM & IMFAHE Innovation Director

**MARCH, 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
Saturday, 4pm (CET) Grant/Fellowship writing.  
**Dr. Jessalyn Ubellacker**, Research Fellow, UT Southwestern Medical Center

**All FEBRUARY**  
Video Series  
LINK: <https://goo.gl/hMKxZc>

- Academia. **Drs. Joan Montero & Marc Biesa**, (IBEC & UCSD)
- Digital Marketing. **Marta Travieso**, Medela
- Patents. **Dr. Marco del Rey**, European Patent Office
- LLC. **Dr. Carlos Riquelme**, Google
- Pharma. **Dr. Ana Cadete**, Moderna
- Consulting, **Dr. Rocio Lopez**, ThinkBrain
- Editorial work, **Dr. Marcos Valiente**, Nature Publishing Group

**Practical Exercises**

- Create a 5 years- career plan with different pathways that suit your professional aspirations and personality.
- Apply for national and international internships/fellowships.
- Transfer the knowledge learned during the course to paper/grant writing.

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