

Career and acquisition strategy

Acquiring sufficient funding has become a prerequisite for scientific research and a crucial competency for academic scientists. But before acquiring any funding, a career strategy is needed. Random funding acquisition is not just ineffective; it has shown to impede academic careers.

During this course day, we will help you to form a career strategy, based on your CV and past results and activities, what you are good at, and what you enjoy doing. With the help of a simple self-evaluation tool, you can choose and define where you want to go. The second step is to create your own development plan, which states which competencies you would like to develop, which (types of) courses you want to follow, and which kind of grants would fit your career profile. Take a good hard look at your desired career path, and design a framework for the type of acquisition you aim at!

By sharing with your peers in this course, you will inspire each other to define and choose an acquisition strategy in line with your career plan and personal objectives. We will take your individual wishes into account by using an intake form.

About the trainer:

Dr. Louise Mennen was an associate professor in Paris. She enjoys sharing her 15 years of experience inside international academia. ElroyCOM was founded in 2005 by Dr. E. Cocheret de la Morinière. ElroyCOM consists of 20 trainers and actors who are all academics and who specialize in training scientists. Please refer to www.ElroyCOM.nl for more information.