

Online Seminars: Employability and entrepreneurship for PhD candidates

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The Doctoral School, in collaboration with the career orientation platform **Carreras Científicas Alternativas**, offers two online seminars on employability and entrepreneurship for PhD candidates in its cross-curricular training program. These talks offer the opportunity to learn about a variety of career pathways inside and out of academia as well as useful advice to explore new professional horizons.

Both seminars are taught in Spanish and English. Registration is only allowed in one language version of each seminar.

Carreras alternativas al mundo académico. 15th of February, 2022 | 3:00-4:30 pm
Alternative career pathways after your PhD. 17th of February, 2022 | 3:00-4:30 pm

LinkedIn, empleabilidad y networking. 22nd of February, 2022 | 2:30-4:30 pm
LinkedIn, employability and networking. 24th of February, 2022 | 2:30-4:30 pm

Schedule according to Spanish peninsular time zone (CET)

[Registration Form.](#) Deadline: **10th of February, 2022.**

Free registration. Limited seats. Allocation on a first come, first served basis.
The links to follow the seminars will be sent once registration is confirmed.

Please note:

- Access the form with an open session on your UC3M e-mail account so the system can verify your identity as a UC3M student.
- It is required to upload this [authorization form](#) signed by your thesis advisor or an e-mail stating their authorization to carry out this activity.

Credits

The Doctoral School awards 0,5 cross-curricular credits for each seminar provided that the requirements listed below are met:

- Online attendance to full seminar.
- Active participation during the seminar plus reply to questions from the lecturer.

Carreras Alternativas al mundo académico

15th of February, 2022 | 3:00-4:30 pm

- ✓ ¿Existen oportunidades profesionales para doctores fuera de la academia?
- ✓ ¿Has pensado alguna vez en emprender?
- ✓ ¿Los doctores son realmente valorados en ambientes no académicos?
- ✓ ¿Sabes cuáles son tus habilidades y competencias personales?
- ✓ ¿Conoces tu trabajo ideal? ¿Tienes una estrategia para llegar a él?
- ✓ ¿Se puede combinar tu trabajo en el laboratorio con un hobby que pueda llevarte a un nuevo horizonte profesional?
- ✓ ¿Cómo se comienzan a explorar carreras fuera del mundo académico?

Todas estas cuestiones y muchas otras relacionadas con la empleabilidad para doctores y científicos serán abordadas en este taller. Durante esta sesión, exploraremos de forma introspectiva quiénes somos, qué tipo de carrera queremos para nosotros y qué estrategias necesitamos para descubrir nuestro propio camino profesional. En este workshop online, combinaremos trabajo individual y en equipo, y aprenderemos nuevas herramientas que nos permitirán abrirnos a nuevos desafíos profesionales.

Alternative career pathways after your PhD

17th of February, 2022 | 3:00-4:30 pm

- ✓ Are there professional opportunities for PhDs outside academia?
- ✓ Are PhDs really valued in non-academic environments?
- ✓ Do you know what are your skills and competences?
- ✓ Have you ever thought about transitioning beyond academia?
- ✓ Do you have a dream job? Do you have a strategy to reach it?
- ✓ Is it possible to combine work in the lab with a hobby that may lead to a new professional path?
- ✓ How to start exploring careers outside the lab?

All these questions and many others related to non-academic transitions for PhDs will be discussed in this workshop. During this session, we will explore who we are, what kind of career we envision for us and the strategies needed to discover a fulfilling professional career. In this workshop, we will combine individual and team work, learning tools to open our minds to new professional challenges.

LinkedIn, empleabilidad y networking (dentro y fuera del mundo académico)

22nd of February, 2022 | 2:30-4:30 pm

- ✓ ¿Cómo puedo mejorar mi empleabilidad?
- ✓ ¿Cómo construyo un perfil profesional no académico?
- ✓ Una vez que tengo mi perfil, ¿qué hago con él?
- ✓ ¿Cuáles son las claves para tener un buen perfil de LinkedIn?
- ✓ ¿Cómo transmitir mis competencias en redes sociales profesionales?
- ✓ ¿Cómo puedo usar las redes sociales para comunicar mi experiencia?

Todas estas cuestiones relacionadas con la elaboración de un perfil profesional no académico en redes profesionales serán abordadas en este taller. Durante esta sesión realizaremos un análisis de las claves para transmitir eficientemente nuestras competencias tanto técnicas como transversales. Utilizando dinámicas individuales y grupales descubriremos el potencial que tienen las redes sociales para mejorar la empleabilidad. Además, aprenderemos cómo aproximarse de manera diferencial a la elaboración de un CV o al desarrollo de un perfil profesional en redes sociales.

LinkedIn, employability and networking (inside and outside academia)

24th of February, 2022 | 2:30-4:30 pm

- ✓ How can I improve my employability?
- ✓ How do I create a non-academic professional profile?
- ✓ Once I got my profile, now what?
- ✓ What are the keys for a great LinkedIn profile?
- ✓ How can I convey my experience and skills in a resume?

How can I convey my experience and skills in social networks? All these questions and many others related to the generation of a great professional profile will be discussed in this workshop. During this session, we will understand how to transmit the importance of our technical and soft skills. In this workshop, we will combine individual and team work to learn how to take advantage of social networks to improve our employability.