Developing an Academic Identity

This lecture and workshop series focuses on ways to develop your academic identity through dissemination of your research. This exploration will be through concrete examples and discussions with fellow participants in the workshop. A central focus throughout these meetings is on how to become a reflective academic practitioner.

In the first meeting (2nd Sept.), you will explore your current research themes and how these can be framed for different audiences. In small group discussions, you will share your ideas for writing and presenting your research and try out different presentation techniques.

The second meeting (28th Sept.) will focus on developing an academic identity and through recognition of your own skills and passions incorporate opportunities when they arise, into your academic identity.

In the final meeting (1st Nov.), we will work on establishing and developing academic communities and how this is both a process of finding a community to talk to, as well as, how to creatively build new research communities.

The workshop is driven by the participants’ interests and suggestions. Attendance at the lecture and workshops is physical.

Format; The lecture and workshop series will begin with a short presentation from Professor Shumar, followed by a short plenary discussion. The workshop part will then take up the remaining time (at least an hour).

Participants; Early career researchers, including PhD candidates interested in developing an academic identity

Dates; 2 September, 28 September, 1 November

Times; 1pm – 3.30pm

Venue; Building 1910 room 228

Registration; https://events.au.dk/academicidentitydevelopment/signup

NB - You do not have to sign up for the whole series!