



2nd Cancer Careers Day

April 1, 2022, 1 pm

Is there a life after your PhD?

Doing a Postdoc and not sure where your talents and your hard work will lead you?

Doing your specialist training or working as a CS and considering other career options?

We will help you to shed light on those questions with our joint Career Day events!

Together, the MSNZ/UCCH and the UCCSH have established a series of events where we will give you an overview about career options within and outside of the „classic“ academical world. In discussions and interviews with experts from all kinds of fields from classic (but also unconventional) „university jobs“ over pharmaceutical industry to communication, law, PR and others you will get a glimpse of what all of these jobs actually look like and which skills are needed to succeed.

On our 2nd Cancer Careers Day on April 1, 2022, we want to discuss „Academic Career Opportunities“.



Zoom Meeting

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Please register at: ucch.science.info@uke.de

More information at: www.uke.de/msnz

Program:

- 1:00-1:15 pm **Welcome and introduction „Academic Careers“:**
Prof. Susanne Sebens (UCCSH, Kiel), Dr. Inga Melzer (MSNZ, Hamburg)
- 1:15 - 1:45 pm **„Career Pathways in Academia“**
Katharina Helmig, Legal Counsel (German Association of University Professors and Lecturers (DHV))
- 1:45 - 2:00 pm **Q&A**
- 2:00 - 3:00 pm **Panel discussion with colleagues working in academic settings:**
- W1, W2 and W3 positions and how to achieve them
 - shared professorships with external institutions
 - group leader positions
 - research service positions
 - must-have skills & achievements
 - working conditions, and other topics based on YOUR questions & input!
- Hosts: Dr. Inga Melzer & Prof. Susanne Sebens

Speaker:



Katharina Helmig

Legal Counsel, German Association of University Professors and Lecturers (DHV)

Katharina Helmig studied Law at the University of Greifswald. After completing her second state examination at the State Judicial Examination Office in Düsseldorf, Ms. Helmig initially worked as in-house counsel at the German Association of University Professors and Lecturers (DHV) before moving to the legal department of a university in North Rhine-Westphalia. Since January 2022, she has again been working as in-house counsel at the German Association of University Professors and Lecturers (DHV) and advises on all aspects of higher education and civil service law. She also conducts individual coaching sessions and supports members in the strategic planning of their academic careers.

Panelists:



Prof. Dr. John Baines, University of Kiel/MPI for Evolutionary Biology

Prof. Baines received his Ph.D. from the University of Munich. After a postdoctoral phase in Cologne and a group leader position in Munich, he became a professor at the Institute for Experimental Medicine at Kiel University and guest group leader at the Max-Planck Institute for Evolutionary Biology in 2009. His current research focuses on evolutionary genomics, population genetics, and bacterial metagenomics.



Prof. Dr. Timo Gemoll, University Clinic Schleswig-Holstein (University Hospital Schleswig-Holstein, Campus Lübeck)

Prof. Gemoll studied Molecular Life Sciences in Lübeck and received his Ph.D. in Cancer Proteomics at the Karolinska Institutet, Sweden. After a postdoc phase, he held a W1 professorship for “Oncological Proteomics” in 2015, which was tenured into a permanent W2 position in 2021. He is the acting head of the Section for Translational Surgical Oncology & Biobanking, Department of Surgery at the Lübeck University and UKSH, and a member of the UCCSH.



Dr. Sanjay Tiwari, University Clinic Schleswig-Holstein (University Hospital Schleswig-Holstein, Campus Kiel)

Dr. Tiwari obtained his Ph.D. at the University College of London, UK. Subsequently, he was a postdoctoral fellow at the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute at Harvard Medical School in Boston, USA, researching in the field of hematological diseases. Since 2004, he has been working as a principal scientist at the University Hospital in Kiel where his research interest is focused on the application of molecular imaging in testing novel therapeutics in cancer.



PD Dr. Jasmin Wellbrock, UCCH/UKE Hamburg

Dr. Wellbrock obtained her Ph.D. at the University Medical Center Hamburg-Eppendorf. In 2011, she started her postdoctoral phase at the UKE Department of Hematology and Oncology and has been co-PI and group leader of the research group “Acute Leukemias” since 2015. She serves as a lecturer for Biochemistry at the Medical Faculty and regularly holds seminars for medical students and students of Molecular Life Sciences. She is the mother of three sons.



Prof. Dr. Matthias Wilmanns, EMBL Hamburg/UKE Hamburg

Prof. Wilmanns obtained his doctoral degree at the University of Basel, Switzerland. Since 1997, he has headed the EMBL outstation on the DESY campus in Hamburg and founded the Center for Structural Systems Biology in 2014. Since 2015, he is also a professor at the Medical Faculty of the University of Hamburg. His research focuses on structural biology, in particular by X-ray crystallography to determine the structures of biological macromolecules.



Prof. Dr. Isabell Witzel, MPH, UKE Hamburg

Prof. Witzel is a trained clinician and holds a master’s in Public Health. Since 2002, she has been working in the Department of Gynecology at the University Medical Center Hamburg-Eppendorf. Since 2013, she is head of the Breast Center and spokesperson for the Center of Excellence for Familial Breast and Ovarian Cancer. Since 2020, she has also been the equal opportunity officer for the scientific staff and students of the Medical Faculty. She is a mother of three children.