The Postdoc Development Centre provides tailored support for postdocs and fellows working at Imperial College London.
The Postdoc Development Centre offers an extensive programme of professional skills and career development training, support and opportunities, enabling postdocs and fellows to succeed in their current position whilst planning their next step.

**COURSES AND WORKSHOPS**

We offer a portfolio of professional skills and career development courses, to include:
- Preparing successful fellowship applications
- Pronunciation and voice projection
- Taking charge of your career: a career development programme
- Time management
- Writing skills programme

Courses range from short workshops, to half-day, one and multiple day programmes.

**INDIVIDUAL SUPPORT**

We offer one-to-one support to all postdocs and fellows. Topics discussed include:
- CV advice
- Job searching and applications
- Fellowship applications
- Moving on from academia
- Issues relating to the working environment
- Personal and professional development opportunities

**MOCK INTERVIEWS**

Preparing for an interview is vital. We offer panel mock interviews for postdocs and fellows shortlisted for fellowship, lectureship and industry job interviews. These provide:
- An opportunity to hone interview skills
- A chance to practice answering key questions
- Feedback on interview technique

**POSTDOC REPS NETWORK**

The postdoc reps network provides a forum for raising issues and discussing ideas relating to postdoc life at Imperial. Members of the network:
- Foster a sense of community amongst postdocs at Imperial
- Organise events for postdocs in departments and faculties
- Make postdocs in their departments aware of relevant upcoming events and opportunities for postdoc development

**RESOURCES FOR FELLOWS**

We offer a range of support and development opportunities for early career fellows, including:
- Aiming for a lectureship – a half-day course
- Managing your first research group – a two day residential programme
- Coaching in all aspects of managing a fellowship
- Individual help preparing lectureship applications
- Mock interviews to help prepare for job interviews

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