

## 4 Workshops for Researcher Training

WS1: Impressive Academic Presentations

WS2: Applying for Research Positions

WS3: Effective Grant Writing

WS4: Getting Published:

Effectively Communicating Your Research

### Instructor from Nature will hold 4 Researcher Training Workshops!

Each workshop comprises several webinars including pre-work activities and interactive involvement between the instructor and attendees. You can learn **practical strategies and methods for**

**WS1: making impactful poster/slide presentations**

**WS2: writing impressive job application and making successful interview presentation**

**WS3: selecting compelling research topics and writing competitive proposals**

**WS4: writing, publishing and disseminating high-impact papers**

**Target people:** Researchers and URAs affiliated to Kanazawa Univ. (faculty members, postdocs, doctoral students, master's students who will go to a doctoral course, URAs)

**Target research fields:** All research fields

**Workshop format:** Online in **English\*** (250 attendees/workshop; 5 attendees for Workshop 3 Webinar 3)

\*Talks by the instructor in each workshop will be also displayed in real time on your screen in English. Thus, you can also practice English!

**Requirement:** For each Workshop, you must attend as many Webinars as possible in real time and watch the recordings of the Webinars that you cannot attend in real time."

\*Registered people can watch recording of each Webinar at a later date.

As for Workshop 4, we will open the registration for those who have never attended it before.

### Workshop Schedule and Content

You can register for each workshop until the day it starts, but it will be closed as soon as reaching 250 people.

#### ● Workshop 1: Impressive Academic Presentations

- 2/20 (Mon) 13:00-15:00 **Webinar 1: Preparing impressive poster presentations**  
15:30-17:30 **Webinar 2: Developing and delivering impactful slide presentations**  
2/21 (Tue) 13:00-15:00 **Webinar 3: Professional presentation skills**

Registration for Workshop 1 has been closed.

#### ● Workshop 2: Applying for Research Positions

- 3/2 (Thu) 13:00-15:00 **Webinar 1: Finding the right position**  
15:30-17:30 **Webinar 2: Applying for the Position**  
3/3 (Fri) 13:00-15:00 **Webinar 3: Successful Interviews**

To register for Workshop 2 [Click here](#)

#### ● Workshop 3: Effective Grant Writing

- 3/13 (Mon) 13:00-15:00 **Webinar 1: Understanding KAKENHI and identifying an important research question**  
15:30-17:30 **Webinar 2: Writing impressive grant applications**  
3/28 (Tue) 10:00-12:00 **Webinar 3: Group session\***

To register for Workshop 3 Webinars 1 & 2 [Click here](#)

Registration for Workshop 3 Webinar 3 has been closed. Thanks!

\*Limited to 5 people (1st-come, 1st-served). Using skills learned from Webinars 1 & 2, you will write a summary of your proposed research, share it with other attendees in advance and discuss each attendee's summary in Webinar 3. We will record Webinar 3. Those who attended only Webinars 1 & 2 can view all the summary files and the recording. You can attend Webinar 3 only if you can accept this condition as well as attend Webinars 1 & 2.

#### ● Workshop 4: Getting Published: Effectively Communicating Your Research

- 3/23 (Thu) 13:00-15:00 **Webinar 1: Effective academic writing**  
15:30-17:30 **Webinar 2: Logical manuscript structure**  
3/24 (Fri) 13:00-15:00 **Webinar 3: Maximizing discoverability**  
15:30-17:30 **Webinar 4: Preparing Impactful Figures**  
3/27 (Mon) 13:00-15:00 **Webinar 5: Successful submission strategies**  
15:30-17:30 **Webinar 6: Navigating Editorial Decisions and Peer Review**  
3/28 (Tue) 13:00-15:00 **Webinar 7: Publication ethics**

To register for Workshop 4 [Click here](#)

Registration is for those who have never attended this workshop before. However, if there are still seats left even on the day close to the event, we will open the registration to those who attended it last year and let you know about it.



**Instructor profile:** Dr. Jeffrey Robens has a diverse research background in life science and is an experienced author, peer reviewer and workshop trainer. He earned Ph.D. in Pharmacology from the University of Pennsylvania and has researched at various institutes in Singapore and Japan, including RIKEN and Kyoto University. In his current role as Editorial Development Manager at Springer Nature, Dr. Robens holds educational workshops worldwide for researchers to improve their academic skills and reach their research goals. Using his extensive research and publication background, Dr. Robens is particularly able to assist non-native English-speaking researchers in increasing their chances of success in publication and research.