

IMAP meeting 5

Venue: CAP4, Room 519

Time: March, 2014; 9.00-11.00 am

Participants: Thorsten Bauersachs, Jan Dierking, Jonathan Durgadoo, Kristian Lass, Sven Neulinger, Barbara Neumann, Lavinia Patara, Sudipta Sakar,,Becky Scott, Jörn Schmidt, Tobias Steinhoff, Isabelle Taubner, Jörn Thomsen, Morelia Urlaub – Gesche Braker.

Guest: Dirk Fleischer

Agenda

- 1) Presentation Dirk Fleischer, Open Science, Reinventing Discovery
- 2) PhD and postdoc call
- 3) Results of the IMAP survey
- 4) Cluster-funded IMAP members: First evaluation
- 5) IMAP-Retreat
- 6) Miscellaneous

Ad 1) Dirk Fleischer, Data Manager of the Cluster/GEOMAR gave an introduction into Open Science. Using different examples he explained the meaning of open science and highlighted the opportunities of shared data sets for new discovery. His presentation was followed by a lively discussion on property rights and whether the open science concept really fits to the demands coming along with the postdoctoral status – here, the ability to demonstrate an outstanding publication record.

Ad 2) Gesche gave an update on the status of the PhD and postdoc call which was followed by a discussion of the aims of the call. Attracting new international postdocs or providing more security to some of those who are already working in marine sciences in Kiel.

Ad 3) Gesche reported that the IMAP survey was completed, it was agreed that the results will first be distributed among the IMAP community via the internal mailing list to allow for comments. If no concerns arise it is planned that the results of the survey will be published on the IMAP website.

Ad 4) First evaluations of Cluster-funded postdoc projects will be due soon. Gesche reminded to take care of it but the proceedings are unclear. Gesche reminded sending in the Career Development Plans and promised to communicate explanations, e.g. who has to be and who can be in the committee.

Ad 5) The IMAP-retreat will take place on July 1, 2014 at the Naturerlebniszentrum Kollhorst. This year the retreat is planned as a 1-day event. However, as only 8

potential participants signed up it was decided to start after lunch. For the program it was agreed that scientific exchange should be a priority and Gesche suggested to invite Eva Philipp, IMAP-Alumna who has quit academia and now works for Vattenfall Europe, Offshore Windcraft to give some insights into non-academic career opportunities.

6) Miscellaneous

Gender awareness Training: Gesche reported about the low interest in the course and that it is likely to be canceled.

It was discussed briefly whether it would be of interest to try initiating a COST Action.

Important dates:

May 5/6, 2014 Symposium to the PhD and postdoc call 2013/2014

May 14, 2014, 9-1.30 pm Information event on Career paths and their legal ramifications

May 22, 2014, 3 pm Presentation of Felicia Brisc, Cluster of Excellenc CliSAP, Hamburg, Scientific Visualization in Climate Sciences, Muthesius School of Fine Arts and Design. This is joint event of 'IMAP meets Muthesius' and the seminar series for students at the MKHS on science visualization.

June 11/12, 2014 8th Meeting of the Scientific Advisory Board

July 1, 2014, IMAP retreat, details will be communicated

September 17-19, 2014, ESWN Workshop on networking/communication and career building for female scientists