



Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research

More than 3,000 researchers have already participated in the NWO Talent Days, since we have started organizing them in 2003. Most participants clearly indicated to have a need for a follow-up, with more in-depth and personalized information. That is why we organize six NWO-Talent Classes each year as well. We received a lot of positive and enthusiastic reactions from the participants, and also many requests for continuing with these Talent Classes.

In Spring 2010, we will organize Talent Classes on 13 April, 11 May, and 22 June. The workshops that will be held are:

13 April:

- Branding yourself
- Creative thinking
- Presentation
- Funding

11 May:

- Media training
- Moving on in your career
- Presentation
- Write it right

22 June:

- Creative thinking
- Marketing yourself effectively
- Networking
- Negotiating

These masterclasses take up one full day. The classes are in Dutch, unless indicated otherwise. If you don't speak Dutch, but would like to participate in a Dutch-spoken workshop, let us know by sending an email to verdieping@nwo.nl. Indicate your name, email address and workshop of choice, and the organisation will do its best to respect your wish.

You are invited to participate. Here's your chance to get professional training and advice against a reduced fee. Please check the website www.nwo.nl/verdieping for registration and information.

Registration, fee and direct debit mandate

You can register on www.nwo.nl/verdieping to participate in the masterclasses. **Please note that your participation is only confirmed if we receive your direct debit mandate on time!** The registration fee is € 95.00.

If you wish to participate, we would strongly advise you to register as soon as possible, since the number of places available is limited and registration will be closed for fully booked masterclasses.

Value for money

Registration costs for the NWO-Talent Classes are low compared to other - commercial - training courses. Still, quality is guaranteed with the set up of the masterclasses. The masterclasses are supervised by professional trainers. Each expert has put together an interactive program of presentations, tests and assignments that help you find solutions for your challenges.

For whom?

If you're a researcher at PhD or postdoc level you can register for one of the masterclasses. It is not required that you previously participated in one of the NWO-Talent Days.

Place and time

The Talent Classes will take place at NWO in The Hague. The Talent Classes will start at 9.00 and finish at 17.00 hrs.

More information

Detailed masterclass descriptions and information about requirements and deadlines are available on www.nwo.nl/verdieping.

We look forward to seeing you at one of our Talent Classes.

Kind regards,

On behalf of the NWO-Talent Classes team,

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