

PhD Get Started seminar

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09:00 *Welcome*

Troels G. Jacobsen, Director of Research and Innovation, UiS

09:05 *PhD administration at central and faculty level at UiS – A short introduction*

Lene Myhren & Robert Radu, Department of Research and Innovation

Solveig Röwekamp, Nadia Sandsmark & Carolina Hara, PhD coordinators at faculty level

09:15 *Interest organizations of the PhD candidates: UiS DC and SiN*

09:25 *Short presentation of each participant*

09:40 *An ideal course of studies: PhD regulations, milestones and mobility*

Lene Myhren & Robert Radu, Department of Research and Innovation

10:00 *Tools, technical support and Open Science*

Einar Krogstie, IT department

Else Sauge Torpe, University library

10:30 Coffee break

Session I: What does it mean – Pursuing a PhD?

10:40 Group work: What is your motivation, what are your ambitions, expectations and which challenges do you think you will face?

11:00 Plenary discussion: Each group presents its outcome which will be discussed with the others

11:10 Problems, conflicts and stress handling: Gunhild Bjaalid, UiS psychologist.

11:30 Lunch

Session II: Working together: Supervision

12:00 Group work: What do you expect from your supervisor? What is good supervision?

12:20 Plenary discussion

Terje Aven, Professor, Faculty of Science and Technology

Karina Aase, Professor, Faculty of Health Sciences

Session III: Thinking further: Career planning

12:45 Some facts and figures on different career paths of PhD holders – Start planning your career early! – PhD Competency Development Programme at UiS - Self-assessment of skills.

13:00 Group discussion: Which skills do I have – which skills do I need?

13:30 My path into the academic world – Sarah Hean, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Social Sciences

14:00 Close