John Thomson Scientific Presentations

o1 November 2013, 9.00–12.00 h and o8 November 2013, 8:30–13:30 h Auditorium, "Zur Rosen", Johannisstraße 13

This training course addresses the challenges that one faces when confronted with the task of conducting a scientific presentation in English. The hands-on, workshop-like character of this course gives the participants the opportunity to receive highly practical and personally relevant input, information, and tips on how to effectively deliver a presentation in the foreign language.

The course is split into two sessions. The first more theoretical session focuses on a wide range of aspects that commonly affect the quality of a presentation, which include: structuring a presentation effectively, avoiding common presentation mistakes, using body language, dealing with questions confidently, using communication strategies, etc. In the second session, the participants will prepare a mini-presentation and apply the principles we have covered during the previous session. This offers the participants the chance to receive concrete feedback on their own performance and to experience a number of different presentation methods and styles.