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The event addresses all female researchers (doctoral students about to complete their PhD, postdocs, (junior) professors) who are interested in applying for an ERC grant in the future.

Date: 24 April 2017, 1:00–3:00 pm
Location: TU Berlin, EU Office, Fraunhofer Str. 33-36, room FH 604
Organizer: EU Office & IPODI Office, TU Berlin
Registration: Please send an e-mail with the subject line ‘ERC Information Event for Female Researchers’ to events@eu-buero.tu-berlin.de by 10 April 2017
Note: There will be an information event on the ERC Advanced Grants funding scheme on the same day, 4:00–6:00 pm (in German); further information: http://www.forschung.tu-berlin.de/eu_buero/menue/veranstaltungen/

Agenda

1:00 pm  Welcome Address
          Dr. Silke Köster-Riemann, EU Office of the TU Berlin
1:10 pm  The European Research Council (ERC) – An Overview
          Sarah Raphael, NKS ERC/KoWi
2:00 pm  What Does a Successful ERC Application Look Like?
          Prof. Dr. Sonja Entringer, Charité, ERC Starting Grantee
2:30 pm  The ERC Evaluation Process
          Prof. Dr. Hans-Liudger Dienel, TU Berlin, Member of the ERC Evaluation Panel