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Scientific Writing Seminar

CCBIO-INTPART seminar

December 13th and 14th 2017

Birkehaugsalen, Haukeland University Hospital

CCBIO have received funding from NFR and SIU for an INTPART program, where students' education and exchange is promoted through collaboration between CCBIO and the Boston based Harvard Medical School and Harvard Kennedy School. Elisabeth Wik is coordinating the program. Several CCBIO-INTPART seminars and courses will take place the coming years. This **two-day seminar in scientific writing** is the first seminar in this series.

Christine Møller, an experienced lecturer in medical and scientific writing and assistant editor of APMIS, will take us through a mix of presentations on 'how to improve your writing'. Randy Watnick, associate professor at the Vascular Biology Program, Harvard Medical School, also contributes. The program should certainly have valuable input for both students, postdocs and professors. The seminar is open (requires registration), free of charge, and includes lunch.

WEDNESDAY DEC. 13

09:00–10:00 Organizing your ideas and improving your manuscript
10:00–10:15 BREAK
10:15–11:15 Clear Writing 1 + Nominalization exercise
11:15–11:30 BREAK
11:30–12:30 Clear Writing 2 + Deadwood exercise
12:30–13:15 LUNCH
13:15–14:15 The Art of Scientific Story
Telling 1: How to organize your results and message
14:15–14:30 BREAK
14:30–15:30 Punctuation + Comma exercise

THURSDAY DEC. 14

09:00–10:00 Titles and abstracts
10:00–10:15 BREAK
10:15–11:15 The Art of Scientific Story
Telling 2: Common mistakes and how to avoid them
11:15–12:00 What makes a manuscript memorable?
12:00–12:45 LUNCH
12:45–13:15 Numbers exercise
13:15–13:45 The cover letter
13:45–14:00 Summing up

Please register within **November 30**. You will find registration link at www.ccbio.no