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Title of Project: Improving research in ophthalmology in Germany: from study design to publication

Purpose: Successful research applications and independent publications are essential for a career as an ophthalmic researcher. The aim of this project is to provide knowledge of soft skills, like grant application and publication writing, to young researchers.

Methods: The provided program consists of several parts. During regular peer mentoring meetings collegial advice in small groups on the individual goals is provided. Assistance from experienced scientists of higher career levels will also be given. Additionally, methodical workshops on writing, research grants, scholarships, and strategic use are provided. During a retreat active writing of own grant applications or publications is trained. This is accompanied by the coordinators and other experienced scientists.

Results: This project should provide a good basis for young clinicians/scientists to pursue a research career. Skills, like grant application and publication writing, become more and more important in becoming an independent researcher.

Conclusion: Improving research in ophthalmology in Germany by providing a good basis for scientific writing.