

## Career Strategy for Academia and Beyond: A Seminar for International Academics

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Date: **18 May 2026**  
Venue: KiezLab, Tamara-Danz-Str. 13, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, 10243 Berlin  
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### PROGRAMME

#### ■ Morning

09:30 – 11:00

##### Check-in & Foundations

- Welcome and expectations
- “Inconvenient truths” about academic careers - and how to deal with them productively
- Introduction to career strategy
- Overview of the German academic system and its career paths

11:00 – 11:15 *Break*

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##### Positioning & Narrative

- Clarifying values and transferable skills
- Developing your personal narrative - for academia and beyond

12:45 – 13:45 *Lunch Break*

#### ■ Afternoon

13:45 – 15:00

##### Visibility & Networking

- Making your work and profile visible
- Strategic networking inside and outside academia

15:00 – 15:15 *Break*

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##### Applications & Next Steps

- Applications in academia and beyond
- Wrap-up, reflection, and concrete next step