

CDT Training seminar programme; 2016

Date	Speaker	Time	Venue and time
Thurs 11 Feb	James Brooks, Free lance science journalist	Science communication and journalism	QMC South Block C1072 12 – 1.30pm
	James has worked in science communication for most of his career, with experience in science PR as well as journalism. He is now a free lance journalist, contributing to many different publications. He will talk about how his career evolved and what it takes to succeed in science journalism.		
Thurs 17 March	TBC		Med Sch B141 1-2.30pm
Thurs 14 April	Dr Laura Bellingan FRSB Director of Science Policy for the Royal Society for Biology.	Science Policy	Med Sch B129 12.30 – 2pm
	Laura leads the Policy team at the Royal Society for Biology. The RSB represents many stakeholders in UK science to government and other policy makers. Laura will talk about the way in which we can influence science policy in the UK, and how we can get involved, not only by making it a career.		
Thurs 19 May	Dr Craig Bullock Scientific Officer, Arthritis Research UK	Science research funding	Med Sch B130 12.30-2pm
	Craig Bullock did his PhD here in Nottingham, in the Pain Centre, with Sara Kelly. He then moved to work at Arthritis Research UK. He will talk about how he decided to go into working for a charity funding research, and give information on what the job entails.		
Thurs 16 June	Dr Louise Hickey and Dr Andrew Benest	The great divide: Post-PhD teaching specialist, research specialist or both?	QMC South Block C1072 12.30 – 2pm