

Venue: The Octagon (The Queens Building) - Mile End Campus

09:30 - 10:00	Arrival and Registration
10:00-10:10	<p>Chair's Welcome Dr Rui Pires Martins Researcher Development Manager, Centre for Early Career Researchers</p>
10:10 - 11:10	<p>Postdoc Development Using Your Time as a Postdoc to Prepare for Your Next Career Step</p> <p>Dr Emma Williams co-author of "What Every Postdoc Needs to Know"</p> <p>A short workshop for postdocs who want to make more deliberate choices about how they use their time and experience during their contract, with a view to supporting their next career step</p>
11:10 - 11:30	Break & Networking
11:30 - 12:00	<p>Postdoc Life: Responsibility Short talks from ECR Forum members reflecting on how they took ownership of their professional development and prioritised their local research environment alongside their research.</p> <p>Dr Isabelle Foote Lecturer in Genomic and Aging, Wolfson Institute of Population Health</p> <p>Dr Mark Jetsaphon Niyompatama Lecturer in Law, School of Law</p> <p>Dr Nhan Nguyen Postdoc in Omics Science, Precision Healthcare University Research Institute (PHURI)</p>
12:00 - 12:50	Lunch
12:50-13:00	<p>Address from the Deputy VP Research and Innovation Culture Prof Claudia Cooper Professor of Psychological Medicine – Wolfson Institute of Population Health</p>

13:00 - 14:15	<p>Table Discussions</p> <p>Postdocs join discussion groups at their tables. Each table has a different topic and postdocs get to contribute to two (2 x 30 min). Notes from these discussions will inform the closing address and will be shared with stakeholders across the institution.</p> <p>Table topics</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Making the Most of Development and Appraisal Conversations 2. QM Researcher Welcome Resources – Tell Us What You Think 3. Normalising Career Conversations 4. Sustaining Yourself in Research 5. What I Wish I'd Known at the Start 6. Driving a Thriving Research Culture 7. Protecting Time for Development  <p>Scan the QR code or visit: linktr.ee/QMPostdocCongress for more details on table discussions and how to feedback</p>
<p>Remember to hand in your Networking Bingo Cards by the end of this session</p>	
14:15 - 15:20	<p>Inspiring Future Leaders</p> <p>Panel discussion with QM academics discussing leadership and responsibility</p> <p>Dr Szilvia Mosonyi Senior Lecturer in Responsible Leadership; School of Business and Management</p> <p>Prof Claudia Garetto S&E EDI Lead and Professor in Mathematics; School of Mathematical Sciences</p> <p>Dr Pierre Maillard Senior Lecturer in Antiviral Immunity and UKRI Future Leaders Fellow; Blizard Institute</p> <p>Dr Daragh Murray Reader in Law & Human Rights and UKRI Future Leaders Fellow; School of Law</p>
15:20 - 15:30	<p>Closing Remarks</p> <p>Congress chair will summarise some of the messages coming from the discussions earlier in the programme.</p>
15:30 - 16:00	<p>Closing Reception with refreshments served</p>