

# Dutch CardioVascular Association Training

## Diagnostic days “What else?” to provide personalized career advices

One-on-one coaching to provide tailored career advices on the basis of:

- Profile snapshots
- Elevator pitch on strengths, weaknesses and drive
- Discussion with a team or consultant + DCVA ambassador

## Training series “Steer your career”

to support young scientists taking control over their careers

## Grant writing training

to understand the pillars of successful grant writing

Introduction of the theory of the FFWD methodology (FIT, FRAMEWORK, WRITE and develop) of ttopstart followed by interactive sessions during which the participants will get/provide feedback on their own/others research idea.

Goals:

1. Learning why makes a winning proposal and what quality means
2. Understanding the key steps to build strong proposals
3. Fitting the project idea with call specifics
4. Building an impact strategy

## CANVAS training of ttopstart to identify current challenges and develop individual research strategies

Introduction to the three pillars of the Canvas tool (research focus, impact and collaborations) and to the other key elements of the tool. The theoretical part is followed by interactive sessions during which the participants will get/provide feedback on their own Canvases.

Goals:

1. Learning the significance of having a vision
2. Understanding the importance of analysing strengths and weaknesses to design a successful research strategy
3. Introducing the funding schemes that fit best each participant’s profile, vision and strategy.

## Webinar “Fundings, start, go!” to promote funding opportunities within reach in the short- and mid-term

Online event focused on the introduction of funding opportunities offered by Universities and other organisations at the National level.

## AMA with the Professionals to listen to the stories and ask questions to different professionals

Online AMA (Ask Me Anything) to connect with professionals with similar (academic) backgrounds who pursued different career paths (i.e. Academia, Biotech Company, Consultancy Company, Government).