



## **Program IB PhD retreat 2017**

*Stay Okay Hostel Soest, Bosstraat 16, 3766 AG, Soest*

### **Monday April 24th 2017**

- 9:30 - 10:00**    **Arrival & Coffee/Tea**
- 10:00 - 10:20    Opening by the IB PhD committee
- 10:20 - 11:10    **Talk 1: Kim Bongers** (*Radboud University*) - Chemical biology methods to study protein homeostasis
- 11:10 - 12:00    **Talk 2: Andries van der Meer** (*University of Twente*) - Organ-on-Chip: Technology for Vascular Biology
- 12:00 - 13:00**    **Lunch**
- 13:00 - 14:15    Mindfulness Session by Inward Meditatiecentrum
- 14:15 - 15:05    **Talk 3: Johann P. Klare** (*Universität Osnabrück*) - Use of site-directed spin labelling EPR to study protein dynamics
- 15:05 - 15:55    **Talk 4: Christian Ottman** (*TU Eindhoven*) - Chemical Biology of 14-3-3 proteins acting on plasma membrane proton pumps and ion channels
- 15:55 - 16:20**    **Coffee break**
- 16:20 - 17:10    **Talk 5: Edwin Cuppen** (*UMC Utrecht*) - DNA mutation accumulation in adult stem cells during aging
- 17:10 - 18:00    Check-in rooms
- 18:00 - 19:30**    **Dinner**
- 19:30 - 20:00    Get together and prepare for the adventure
- 20:00 - bed**      **Strategic team-building fun game followed by drinks**

Tuesday April 25th 2017

**8:00-9:30 Breakfast and check-out**

**Career pathways after PhD**

9:30 - 10:00 Entrepreneurship: Gerrit Sitters (*LUMICKS*)

10:00 - 10:30 Academia: Harold MacGillavry (*Utrecht University*)

10:30 - 11:00 Company: Sima Rahimian (*TEVA Pharmaceuticals*)

**11:00-11:20 Coffee break**

11:20-12:00 Career Paths: Q&A session

**12:00-13:00 Lunch**

13:00 - 17:00 Workshop: Creative Writing Tools (Artesc)

*"We all know that science doesn't exist without writing. So you need to get your ideas on paper. And like a prose writer you want to be published. But prose writers face an extra challenge. They need to reach the mind of their readers in such a way that they want to keep on reading. And they can't afford to wait for inspiration. Just like you. What are their secrets? And can you use them in your writing? In this four-hour workshop you will get to know the basic ideas that make a text communicate. Discover how to apply the secrets of prose writing to your scientific writing and learn to get into the flow."*

**PLEASE SIGN-UP VIA THE IB WEBSITE OR USE THE REGISTRATION LINK**

<http://www.biomembranes.nl/ib-education/ib-retreat/>

**DEADLINE: 26<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY**

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