



Scientific Writing for Young Astronomers

19-22 April 2016 - Puerto Varas (Chile)

PROGRAM

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Lecturers



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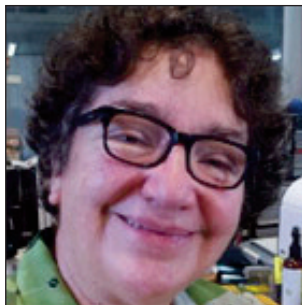
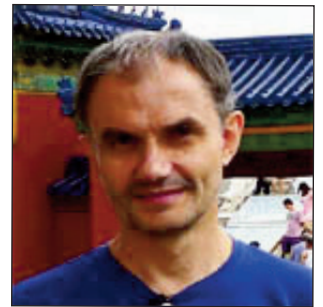
Astronomer at the Centre de Données Astronomiques de Strasbourg (CDS). He provides science expertise for SIMBAD and VizieR databases. His main research topics are interstellar medium and star formation in nearby molecular clouds.

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2002-2005: Fellow of the Royal Commission of the Exhibition of 1851: Imperial College London

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Scientist at the Max Planck Institute and Professor at the University Göttingen. The main area of research is solar and stellar activity using tool of extreme ultraviolet spectroscopy and magnetohydrodynamic modeling.



Program

DAY 0: Monday 18 April 2016

17:00 – 20:00 Registration
19:00 – 22:00 Welcome Reception at Hotel Cabannas del Lago in Puerto Varas

DAY 1: Tuesday 19 April 2016

Breakfast

SESSION 1: Morning

08:45 – 09:00	P. Rojo	Welcome
09:00 – 10:10	T. Forveille	Scientific publishing: General intro / publication landscape
10:10 – 10:35	A. Henri	<i>Astronomy and Astrophysics</i> History

Coffee

11:00 – 12:00	R. Kotak	Scientific Writing: The research perspective
12:00 – 13:00	A. Peter, H. Kinman	Scientific Writing: The language perspective

Lunch

SESSION 2: Afternoon

14:30 - 16:00	R. Kotak, T. Forveille, H. Peter	Writing Workshop
16:30 - 18:00	A. Peter, H. Kinman, L. Cambresy	Writing Workshop

Dinner

DAY 2: Wednesday 20 April 2016

Breakfast

SESSION 3: Morning

09:00 – 09:45	A. Henri	Producing A&A: The publisher's view
10:15 – 11:15	L. Cambresy	Publishing data: CDS tool
11:15 – 12:15	M. E. Gomez	Astronomy libraries: gateway to information

Lunch

DAY 2: Wednesday 20 April 2016

SESSION 4: Afternoon

13:30 – 15:00	H. Peter	Good scientific practice:
15:00 - 16:30		Writing Workshop
Coffee		
17:00 - 18:30		Writing Workshop
Dinner		

DAY 3: Thursday 21 April 2016

Breakfast

008:30 – 12:30 hiking trip

Lunch

SESSION 5: Afternoon

14:30 – 16:00	R. Kotak, T. Forveille, H. Peter	Writing Workshop
Coffee		
16:30 – 18:00	A. Peter, H. Kinman, L. Cambresy	Writing Workshop
19:00 – 22:00	Banquet	

DAY 4: Friday 22 April 2016

Breakfast + Checkout

SESSION 6: Morning

09:00 – 10:00	T. Forveille	The refereeing process / work of a science editor
Coffee		
10:30 - 11:30	R. Kotak	Introduction to visual communication
11:30 - 12:30	M. E. Gomez	Bibliometrics & OA publishing in Astronomy
12:30 - 12:45	P. Rojo	Summary
Lunch		

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We hope you'll enjoy your stay!

Before you leave, remember to fill in the survey
and give it back to Agnès Henri!

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