

Seminar for experienced PhD supervisors 2016





Programme

Day 1 – November 1

09.30 – 10.00 **Arrival and coffee/tea**

10.00 – 10.45 **Welcome and introduction**
Presentation of participants and program

10.45 – 11.00 **Break**

11.00 – 12.45 **Critical moments in supervision and the active listening tool**
Short presentation followed by group work on exploring challenges in supervision.

12.45 – 13.30 **Lunch**

13.30 – 16.30 **Matching expectations in the supervisory relationship**
Presentations that sums up theoretical and empirical literature on supervisory relationships. Presentation and discussion of different tools for expectation matching. Selected tools are practiced and discussed in group work including feedback on supervisor letters.
Coffee break included

16.30 – 17.00 **Break**

17.00 – 18.00 **Participant's cases**
This session will be organised based on the concrete cases we receive from the participants.

18.30 **Dinner**

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Day 2 – November 2

07.00 – 08.45 **Breakfast**

09.00 – 10.30 **The art of supporting the PhD's writing process and giving text feedback**

Presentation on effective feedback combined with discussions and examples from the participants' own practice.

10.30 – 10.45 **Break**

10.45 – 11.45 **Participant's cases**

This session will be organised based on the concrete cases we receive from the participants.

11.45 – 12.30 **Lunch**

12.30 – 15.15 **Supervisory dialogues that promote independence**

Participants work in reflective teams with an authentic case. The case work is structured by a model called "The Dialogue Wheel" that aims at encouraging students' independent thinking and decision making. Coffee break included

15.15 – 15.30 **Round off & evaluation**

Reflection on and revision of your supervisor letter. Final comments, questions and answers.

Seminar for experienced PhD supervisors

The Danish Network for Educational Development in Higher Education (DUN) hosts a seminar for experienced PhD supervisors.

Teachers: This seminar is offered by two of the most experienced teachers and developers in the Scandinavian countries within the area of PhD supervision: Mirjam Godskesen, coach, consultant and researcher affiliated with Aalborg University and Gitte Wichmann-Hansen, associate professor and research director at Aarhus University.

Purpose: To increase your flexibility as a supervisor by expanding your repertoire of supervision strategies, feedback tools and communication methods. This will hopefully equip you to handle difficult cases of supervision and to contribute to the development of a collaborative and productive supervision culture in your department or research group.

Content and format: It is organized as an exclusive opportunity for experienced supervisors to meet and systematically exchange insights from own practice. Sharing of experiences will be put into perspective by drawing on theoretical knowledge and practical tools from the research literature on PhD education. You can expect to meet supervisors from different disciplines, nationalities and institutions, who have all supervised at least three PhD students.

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