

## **Good Scientific Practice**

Surely everyone has a gut feeling what might be the right or at least acceptable behavior in performing and reporting research – and what might not. This gut feeling is usually based on personal norms and values, complemented by the examples of peers and supervisors that one follows.

This seminar is about reflecting on the process of doing science. It aims at creating an understanding of and awareness for the underlying principles of Good Scientific Practice, a set of rules for proper conduct, which is still developing.

After the course you should be in a better position to make informed judgements, to reflect on your personal behavior and that of others and to know what might be done in cases of conflict.

Topics that will be addressed:

- Basic principles of responsible conduct of research
- Categories of research misconduct
- People and institutions involved
- National and international regulations and guidelines
- Institutions and procedures dealing with misconduct