

## Minutes PhD council meeting - Apr 9th 2021

Present: Alessio, Alexandra, Avanish, Bouke, Igor, Lennart, Serena (all via Zoom)

1. Next Topical lectures virtual PhD lunch
  - First introducing PhD student council to new students
  - Then announcing “Stay in academia” event, supervision revision scheme (although still not well defined), “negative brainstorming”, buddy scheme
  - Serena and Bouke will give the talk on Thursday
2. Supervision revision scheme
  - staff members need to be involved, we need to schedule a meeting to organize the review
  - 28th April, 3 PM: meeting to discuss how to reform supervision
  - Still no response from Pieter
3. Issue with Dutch course
  - Update on free Uni Groningen Dutch course - actually free only if IOP (Institute Of Physics) member, 60 euros to obtain certificate
4. Workshop on “Stay in science”
  - 28th May as a possible date
  - Should be added on Indico
  - Need to start sending a document around as date is approaching, otherwise sending slides after the workshop