# **Effective Visual Communication of Science** The **Seyens Method**<sup>™</sup> Training for Researchers

Workshop by Dr. Jernej Zupanc

#### **Onsite Workshop**

6<sup>th</sup> October 2025 (9 am – 5 pm) Venue: Fritz Pregl Straße 3, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor Room Patscherkofel

#### Registration

Email: <u>sc-forschung@i-med.ac.at</u> Limited to 20 participants Free of charge

Aim: You will learn the Seyens Method<sup>™</sup>—a comprehensive design philosophy, process, and set of strategies tailored specifically for scientists to visually communicate your own complex ideas so your messages are effortlessly understood by scientists or non-scientists.

It is a structured, no fluff, memorable, easy to follow, useful and fun training that will empower and enable you to create **effective images**, **slides**, **posters**, and **grants**. You will imediatelly apply the new skills to communicate your own science, draw a graphical abstract and discuss it with your peers and receive actionable feedback on your images and slides.

#### Content:

Self-study module—Mandatory Fundamentals, Slides, and Homework (5 h)

- **Fundamental Visual Communication**: understand how human visual perception and psychology shape our interpretation of visual information. Discover a science-based design method to visualize your research, making it easily comprehensible. We will cover strategic use of layout, eye-flow, colors, and typography applied to all types of scientific images.
- Slides, Posters, Grants: you will learn how to apply the Seyens Method<sup>™</sup> design philosophy and strategies introduced in the *Fundamentals* to slides, posters, and grants. This will give you a holistic approach that builds from the first principles, makes sense and is easy to remember and apply.
- Homework: submit your images and slides to receive personalized feedback.



### Live Workshop—In person (7–8 h)

- **Recap and Q&A**: an effective review of self-study topics and optional 1-on-1 consulting with facilitator to address your individual challenges.
- Feedback on your submitted materials: you will get actionable suggestions on how to improve your own scientific images and slides. Discussions on your own posters, grants, and other means of visual science communication encouraged.
- Graphical abstract drawing exercise: you will draw a sketch of your research
- **Peer-instruction group discussion**: you will give and receive informed and structured feedback to improve yours' and other participants' images.

## Trainer: Dr. Jernej Zupanc, Founder of Seyens Ltd.

My mission is to empower scientists to effectively communicate their ideas and findings, maximizing the impact of their research. I am passionate about teaching and communication, continually seeking innovative approaches from various fields that can be quickly and easily applied by scientists. I simplify these principles into engaging learning experiences where participants imediatelly get results.

Recognizing that time is our most valuable resource, I strive to ensure that time spent in my training is a valuable long-term investment for scientists. Close to 7000 researchers from research institutions and multinationals have attended my training and I look forward to the opportunity to work with you.

Detailed schedule at <u>www.seyens.com/workshops</u> Feedback from past participants on <u>Trustpilot</u>

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