## Save the date for Lifespan symposium on 6<sup>th</sup> September 2018

Psychology, University of Turku

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How to succeed in international grant calls?

High end speakers and panel discussion moderators will enlighten the audience to the secrets on how to prepare successful grant applications to international grant calls.

Please join the seminar to grasp tacit knowledge from those who already have succeeded, to learn more about the application opportunities and processes, and to network and discuss with other researchers. This symposium may be useful for you regardless if you are thinking of applying for international or national grants.

## Programme (Pha 1):

12.30	Opening: Lifespan management team, dr Kirsi Laitinen
12.35-13.00	Revisiting Lamarck's ideas by using multigenerational epidemiologic designs Professor, Olli Raitakari, Research Centre of Applied and Preventive Cardiovascular Medicine, University of Turku
13.00-13.20	Well-tried advices for a successful international grant proposal - a bioinformatics viewpoint Dr Laura Elo, Research Director, Medical Bioinformatics Centre and Turku Centre for Biotechnology, University of Turku and Åbo Akademi University
13.20-13.30	Pitch your Science! What to Say and How to Say it Three Minute Thesis competitor winners: Khalil Shahramian & Tarek Omran, Institute of Dentistry, University of Turku
13.30-14.00	Networking with coffee/tea and snack
14.00-14.30	How to get ready for the Research Funding game? Dr Maria Maunula, Research Funding Specialist, Development services, University of Turku
14.30-14.50	ERC consolidator grant - old mistakes and new tricks Professor Cecilia Sahlgren, Turku Centre for Biotechnology, Åbo Akademi and University of Turku
14.50-15.10	TBD Associate professor Lauri Nummenmaa, Turku PET Centre and Department of

15.10-16.00 Panel discussion & questions. All & moderators: Lifespan directors, professor