



# 6<sup>th</sup> Science Filmmaking Marathon

For all Swiss universities and research centres

15-17 September 2022

## DESCRIPTION

In the filmmaking marathon, we train researchers in tools used in dramatic storytelling and filmmaking to communicate their research, thereby making their science more readily accessible for a broader audience. Course participants learn the basics of visual storytelling and filmmaking and in working in groups supervised by professional filmmakers will produce short films during three intensive course days. The produced films will be screened as premieres at the 5<sup>th</sup> Global Science Film Festival ([www.sciencefilm.ch](http://www.sciencefilm.ch)), with a special award for the best film.

## PROGRAM

### Day 1

- Pitching of science stories, and small groups (scientists and artists) making
- Each group (Scientists and filmmakers) prepare their story, script and storyboard, and present them to the other participants in the marathon

### Day 2

- Filming (participants are free to decide where and when to film)

### Day 3

- Films editing and screening

**The premiere of the produced films will take place at the 5<sup>th</sup> Global Science Film Festival ([www.sciencefilm.ch](http://www.sciencefilm.ch))**

## WHERE

**Filmmaking Marathon:** University of Zurich

**Premiere of the produced films:** Resulting films will be screened at the 5<sup>th</sup> Global Science Film Festival (tba).

## **DATES**

**Applications:** Between 1<sup>st</sup> March and 10<sup>th</sup> June 2022

**Filmmaking Marathon:** 15-17 September 2022 (University of Zurich)

**Film screening:** tba (Global Science Film Festival)

## **APPLICANTS**

Scientists, Postdocs, PhD and Master students enrolled at any Swiss higher education institution

## **CREDIT POINTS**

Please check with your program (all Swiss universities and research centres) if you are eligible to claim credit points for attending this workshop.

All participating PhD candidates matriculated at UZH will be awarded 2 ECTS Credits by the UZH Graduate Campus

Participants from Life Science Zurich Graduate School (University of Zurich and ETH Zurich) are also awarded 2 ECTS Credits

## **INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION**

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## **MORE DETAILS**

Some results of the previous filmmaking marathons are here

[www.sciencefilm.ch/filmmaking-marathon](http://www.sciencefilm.ch/filmmaking-marathon)

## **ORGANISERS AND PARTNERS**

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