



## Masterclass NWO VIDI call 2024



Obtaining a VIDI-grant from NWO is an important milestone in the research career of (young) scientists in the Netherlands. The Talent Scheme is highly competitive with average success rates between 10% and 20% depending on year and science division.

In this training we distinguish between the quality of the research project and the quality of the written proposal. Both have to be excellent to be successful.

We will address the typical characteristics of a VIDI application considering the different NWO domains and incorporating recent developments including signature of the DORA agreement by NWO and the latest development regarding the introduction of pre-proposals for all domains for VIDI applicants. In addition, focus will be on the correct interpretation of the evaluation criteria for the PI, for the research project and for scientific and societal impact including their interrelationship and in combination

with the proposal template.

This workshop is directed towards talented researchers who consider submitting an NWO VIDI pre-proposal for the next deadline in November 2024 and possibly a full proposal in March 2025. Participants will receive strategic and practical input for developing a competitive VIDI project and writing a convincing (pre-)proposal thereby increasing their chances to receive this prestigious grant.

### OUR TRAINING:

The training will be offered in Amsterdam by Aya van den Kroonenberg PhD, partner of Yellow Research as a 1-day workshop.

Topics of morning programme:

- Background and context, incl. evaluation procedure and criteria
- VIDI project development in 8 steps
- Optimizing Scientific and Societal Impact: Vision and Strategy
- Budget and Team

Topics of afternoon programme:

- VIDI Pre-proposal writing: Evidence based CV with special attention for leadership
- Getting ready to write sections 2a + 2b of the full proposal: Description of the proposed research and Scientific and Societal impact.

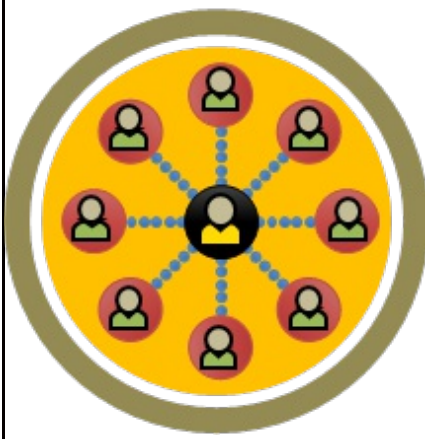
A copy of the slides of the workshop and our Yellow Research Guide on VIDI proposals will be made available via our E-learning environment.

**TRAINING**

**Via YR E-learning platform:**

**YR SLIDES**

**YR VIDI GUIDE**



### JOIN OUR WORKSHOP:

6 June 2024: 10:00 - 16:00 (Central European Time)

The fee for this course is €855, VAT exempted  
the fee includes coffee/tea and lunch

### HOW TO REGISTER:

The workshop is available for registration via our website:  
[www.yellowresearch.nl](http://www.yellowresearch.nl)

This Masterclass will be offered in Amsterdam. The exact location of the workshop will be communicated in due time.