Dear all,

For those who attended the first WiSER conference, *From Surviving to Thriving: Women in Science*, thank you! We hope you had an informative and enjoyable day. There has been very positive feedback and already people are mentioning they are looking forward to the next one!

In the November bulletin you will find information on:

1. How to give your invaluable feedback about the WiSER conference
2. Registering for our successful Springboard personal and career development programme
3. WiSER website update
4. Other events of interest in Trinity and around Ireland

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**WiSER Events in TCD**

**Summary of the WiSER Conference**
The WiSER conference was a huge success and over 70 attendees from around the country joined us for the day. Further information on the conference can be found at [http://www.tcd.ie/wiser/activities/conference/index.php](http://www.tcd.ie/wiser/activities/conference/index.php). We’re also particularly eager to hear your thoughts on the day and would be very grateful if you could spare a moment to fill in a feedback form found at the above address.

**Springboard Registration Open**
Once again we will be running the award-winning Springboard personal and professional development programme this year, following the enormous success of last year’s series. The 4-session programme will begin in January, and registration and further information can be found here: [http://www.tcd.ie/wiser/activities/springboard.php](http://www.tcd.ie/wiser/activities/springboard.php). Places are limited so early registration is advised.

**WiSER Web Update**
Following the WiSER Workshop “Career Planning for WiSER Researchers” last week, we will be updating the website with a section full of useful careers information that was presented at the workshop. You can browse through it all on our website here: [http://www.tcd.ie/wiser/resources/careers.php](http://www.tcd.ie/wiser/resources/careers.php)

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**Other Events of Interest in TCD**

The Centre for Gender and Women’s Studies is hosting a half-day seminar entitled “The Workplace of the Future: Reconciling Pregnancy, Parenting and Employment” on the 8th November. Further details can be found on their website here: [http://www.tcd.ie/cgws/](http://www.tcd.ie/cgws/)
Out and About in Ireland

My Brilliant Career
Queen’s University Belfast Gender Initiative are hosting a conference entitled, 'My Brilliant Career' on 30 November 2007, which will bring together seven of the highest achieving women in UK academia for a day’s frank discussion of career paths open to women, beyond the obvious. Attendance is sought from all UK and Republic of Ireland universities.

Further details can be found on their website here: http://www.qub.ac.uk/sites/QueensGenderInitiative/NovemberConference/

If you are interested in attending, please let us know at wiser@tcd.ie.

And Finally, Congratulations!

Congratulations to Rozenn Dahyot of the Dept. of Computer Science, TCD, who received a €50,000 award from Google under their Research Awards scheme, for her work on offensive content detection in videos. Dr. Dahyot is the first person in the Republic of Ireland to receive this award.

If you have any comments or suggestions for our WiSER programme, please contact wiser@tcd.ie or 896 3508.

Best wishes,

Caroline