

WHICH CAREER OPPORTUNITIES AFTER A PHD?

BACKGROUND & OBJECTIVES

Knowing the different professional opportunities at the end of a doctorate is a valuable aid in your career choices. This training aims to sweep the wide spectrum of job opportunities for PhDs as well as the competencies expected by recruiters.

- > Know how to identify the competencies developed during the doctorate
- > Better knowledge of the market and the socio-economic context
- > Identify the competencies sought by the job market
- > Know how to identify the career opportunities open to PhDs (in France and abroad), both in the academic sector and in the private sector, adapted to your profile

TOOLS & PEDAGOGICAL METHODOLOGY

Testimonials of PhDs; Sector-specific data provided by the R&D division of Adoc Talent Management; Analysis job description sheets; Documentary resources and link to go further.

PRACTICAL DETAILS

- **Duration:** 1 day
- **Participants:** up to 12 participants

TRAINING PATH

- **Before:** Define your career path
- **After:** Towards an effective job search - Digital identity and networking
- **Prerequisite:** none

CONTENT

UNIT 1: CHARACTERISTICS OF THE JOB MARKET FOR PHDS

Professional opportunities open to PhDs in the first years following the defense: key figures of the job market for PhDs in France (statistical studies on career pursuits, CAREER study, employment surveys, etc.), business sectors, professions' typology, wages

Comparison between disciplines
The international job market for PhDs: comparison between the major geographical areas' dynamics

UNIT 2: CAREER EVOLUTIONS OPEN TO PHDS ON THE LONG-TERM

Know the possible evolutions in terms of sectors and professions throughout the career
Illustration via examples of path and argumentation of professional transitions

MODULE 3 : FIND OUT ABOUT PROFESSIONS

Techniques to identify the types of positions and sectors of activity recruiting PhDs
Know how to decrypt a job description: the missions, the work environment and the expected competencies

TARGET AUDIENCE

PhD candidates and fixed-term contract researchers
Permanent researchers
Other (on request)