

Seminar for PhD supervisors 21 February 2019 in Bergen

Time: 9:00 – 15:00 Place: Hotel Terminus

Seminar moderator: Sofie Kobayashi, Department of Science Education, University of

Copenhagen

Program:

9:00 Registration and coffee

9:15 **Welcome**, introduction to the seminar by Professor Trond Riise, EPINOR and IGS, and by Professor Thorkild Tylleskär, NRSGH and CIH, and Professor Ingvild Sandøy, leader of Research School of Public Health and Head of research at IGS

9:30 Supporting autonomy through good feedback.

A central element of supervision is giving feedback to PhD students' research and writing. Through exercises and discussions participants will gain insights into types of feedback that can support learning and autonomy. Based on this, the workshop will lead to a discussion on how to use formal evaluation (annual, mid-term) in a formative way.

Coffee break will be integrated in the group work.

11.30 Lunch

12.30 Building relations while ensuring that supervision takes place in a professional manner.

While observing the ethical guidelines of the university, how can supervisors balance the personal and professional aspects of supervision in a friendly, professional relationship? Dilemmas: How close or distant? (#MeToo)

13:45 Coffee break

14.00 Aligning expectations / having a discussion about expectations.

Problems in supervision can often be traced back to mismatch of expectations, so finding ways to continuously align expectations can prevent some problems.

15:00 – 16:00 End of formal program, mingling and refreshments until 16:00



