

UNIVERSITY OF TWENTE.

Dear Colleagues,

We are happy to share with you our February newsletter. Here are our most recent news and upcoming activities (see details below):

OVERVIEW NEWS/EVENTS



P-NUT Active Member Interest Lunch Walks

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[Click here for more info and registration \(see below for more details\)](#)



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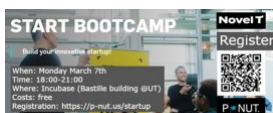
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P-NUT Speed Networking Event

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(March 10th).

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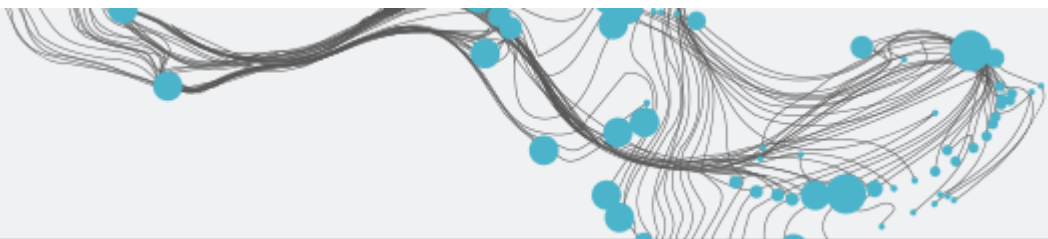
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P-NUT ACTIVE MEMBER INTEREST LUNCH WALKS



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[Click here for more information and registration.](#)



P-NUT BEER COLLEGE

Always wanted to know why we ever started drinking beer? How the brewing process works and why specialty beer sometimes smells like banana? Then come to the Stanislaus Brewskovitch Beer Lecture! Learn all about beer and taste four delicious beers during this interactive lecture. This interactive lecture is all about tasting, testing, learning, knowing, and experiencing. In addition to the basic beer lecture, this class will go deeper into combining the right beers with the right dishes and flavors. You will get 3 dishes that go with the beers you will taste.

P NUT. **BEER COLLEGE**

An evening all about tasting, testing, learning,
knowing, and experiencing beers

FEBRUARY 24TH, 2022 17:30H
TWENTSCHE FOODHALL
HOGE BOTHOFSTRAAT 39A, ENSCHEDE

For only 10 euros (normal price 30 euros) you will get
3 dishes and a handful of beers to taste

Registration required

<https://p-nut.us/beercollege>



P-NUT organizes this lecture in collaboration with the Twentsche Foodhall. For only 10 euros (normal price 30 euros) you will get 3 dishes and a handful of beers to taste. Note that the number of participants is limited. As soon as the capacity is reached, we will close the registration list

When: Thursday February 24th, 2022

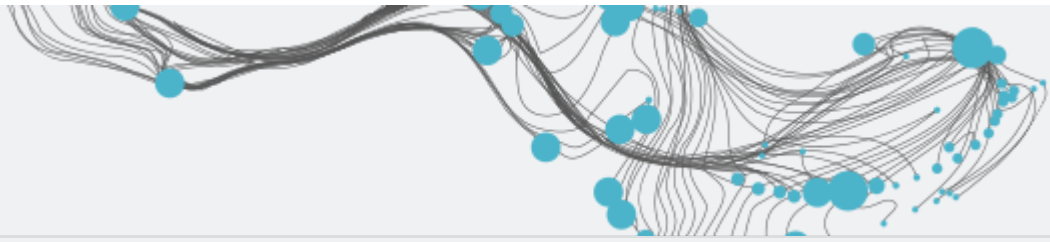
Time: entrance 17:30h, start program 18:00h

Costs: 10 euro (normal price 30 euro) and will be collected at the beginning of the event (card payment only).

Location: Twentsche Foodhall, Hoge Bothofstraat 39a, 7511 ZA Enschede;

Route [here](#)

[Click here for more information and registration.](#)



GROLSCH BEER BREWERY VISIT



P-NUT organizes a visit to the brewery of Grolsch for the Grolsch Brewery Tour.

The tour is an excursion to the beer brewery with the help of a professional guide. During this tour, you will get to see, smell, and taste all the aspects of brewing beer. Of course, this excursion wouldn't be complete without actually tasting the beers afterward!

Note that the number of participants is limited. As soon as our regular capacity is reached, we will open a waiting list. Currently, the status is: open for regular registration.

The adventure includes:

- Tour (takes approximately 2 hours)
- A reception with coffee/tea
- An extensive tour of the brewery under the guidance of an expert guide
- Tasting beers with some snacks (e.g., cheese, sausage, etc.)

When: Thursday March 3rd, 2022

Time: 17:00 - 19:30 (be sure to be there at 16:45)

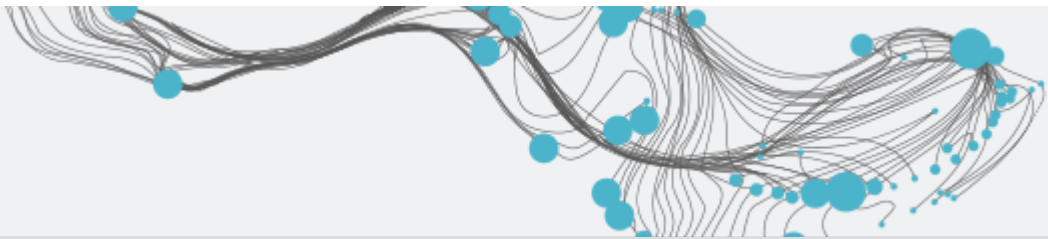
Costs: 5 euro (normal price 17,50 euro) and will be collected at the beginning of the event (card payment only).

Join the cycle group: you can get there on your own or join one of the cycle groups. At 16:00h sharp from building the Spiegel (@Campus University of Twente, [Google Maps link](#)) or 16:00h from Enschede Central Station (Stationsplein, [Google Maps link](#))

Location: Grolsch Ontvangstcentrum en Shop (Brouwerslaan 1, 7548 XA, Enschede); Route [here](#)

Registration deadline: 27th of February 2022.

[Please click here for more information and registration.](#)



P-NUT NOVEL-T BOOTCAMP

START BOOTCAMP

Build your innovative startup!

When: Monday March 7th
Time: 18:00-21:00
Where: Incubase (Bastille building @UT)
Costs: free
Registration: <https://p-nut.us/startup>

NovelT
Register

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Do you have an innovative idea? Need motivation to start your own company?

Novel-T organizes a START Bootcamp where all the important elements of entrepreneurship are discussed. The Bootcamp can be a first step to test if your idea is business worthy.

NOVEL-T START BOOTCAMP (in collaboration with p-nut)

During the START bootcamp you will get the basic insights to build your innovative idea into a business. In this bootcamp, you will get access to our knowledge, resources, and tools, that were used to build already over 2000 startups/spin-offs. You can find out if you get inspired to become an entrepreneur or to build an

innovative company. You learn everything from experts around the important elements such as business modeling, legal, finances, and pitching.

When: Monday March 7th, 2022

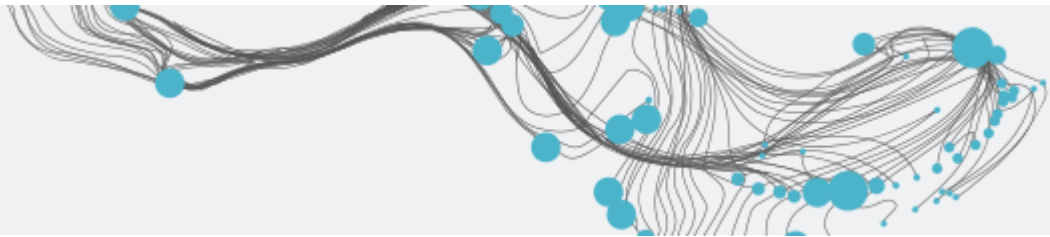
Time: 18:00 - 21:00

Costs: free! (registration is required)

Location: Incubase (located in the Bastille building at the University of Twente);

[Google maps location here \(link\)](#).

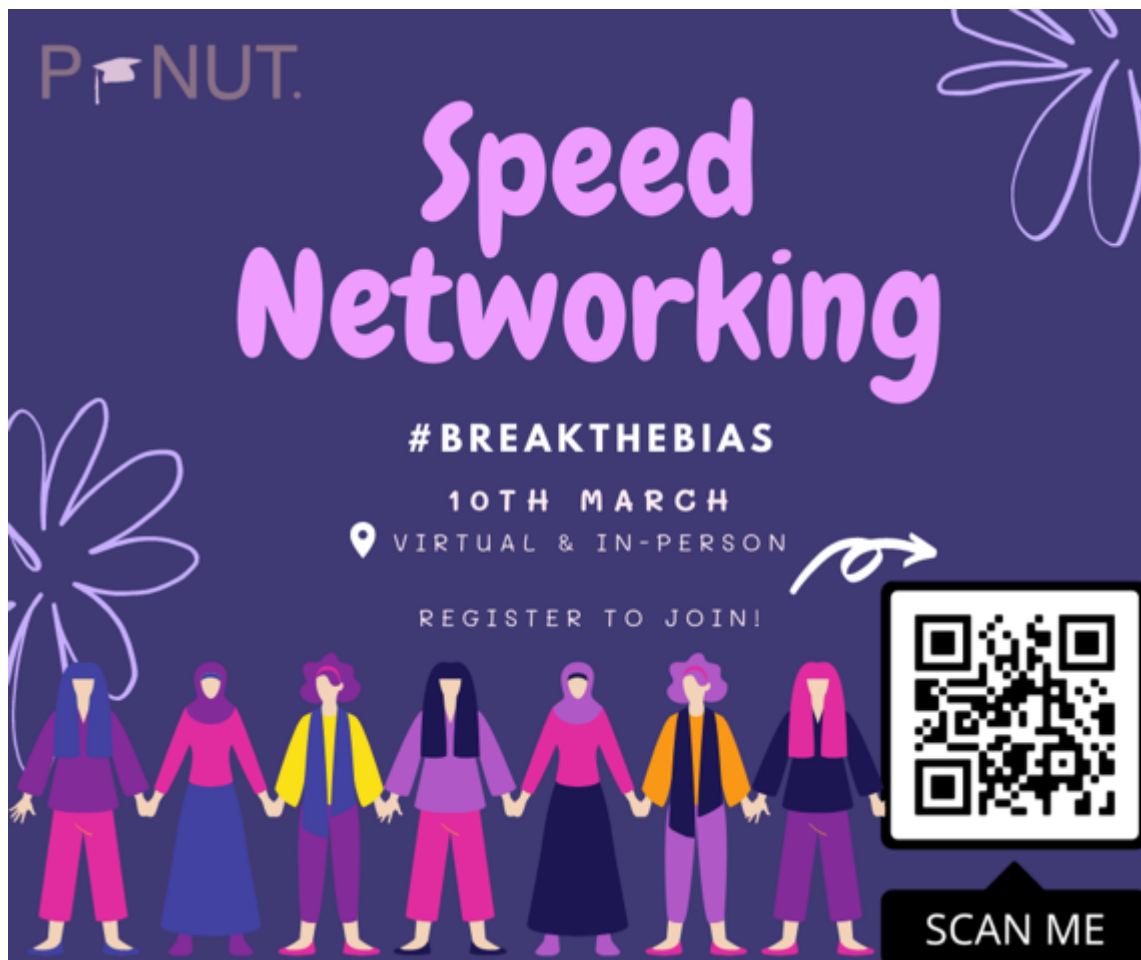
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#BreakTheBias in the International Women's Day 2022.

Join us for a networking event where you can connect with other doctoral candidates, professors, students, everyone is invited!

This event will be held in a hybrid format. We will meet on campus (location TBD) and online (via glimpse). Register below to get the link!



When: March 10th, 2022

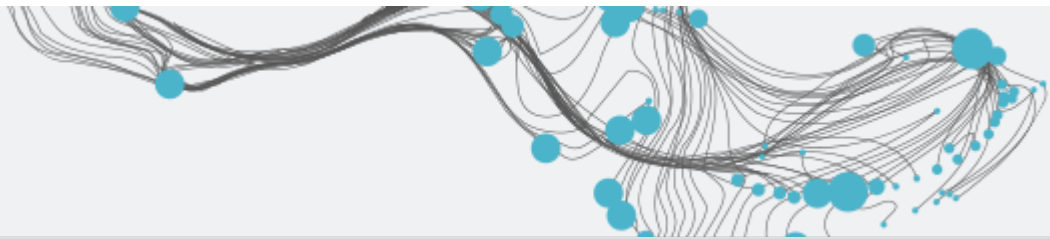
Time: 12:00 - 13:00 hrs

Costs: Free, but registration is required

Location: Hybrid (link and location will be provided via email)

Registration/cancellation deadline: March 8th. 2022

[Please click here for more information and registration.](#)



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[Click here for more info and registration.](#)



P-NUT PUBQUIZ

Think you are smarter than your colleagues? Come and beat them at the **P-NUT Pubquiz**. Gather some of your best colleagues and register now!

There is a fantastic **prize** for the **winning team**, so gather your fellow doctoral candidates and sign up! Notice that externals are also welcome.



Registration is required at
p-nut.us/pubquiz

Pub Quiz Night

Thursday, March 24th
From 18:00
Twentsche Foodhall

What's happening

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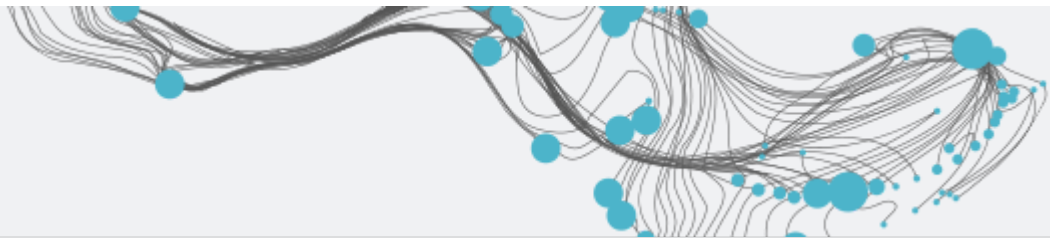
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Come by the Career Fair at the Grolsch Veste at **2 and 3 March**! More than 140 companies, from all over the Netherlands, will be present during two days, and would like to get in contact with you! You can also come by for a CV-check or professional LinkedIn profile picture.

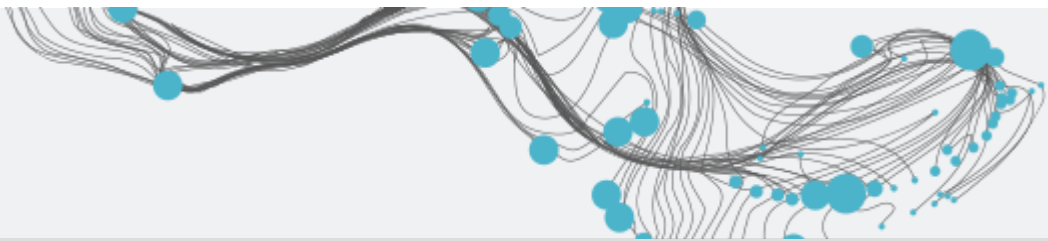
Would you like to further develop yourself and learn new skills, you can take part in one of the ten workshops during the Workshop Weeks from **7 till 18 March**. For example, you can participate in the soft skills, amazing application or strategic negotiating workshop.

Do you want to know more about a specific company? During the Ambition Weeks you can get to know companies better during all sorts of activities in the weeks of **21 March till 8 April**. You can take part in training sessions, one-on-one conversations, lunches and dinners, as well as several informal recruitment activities such as a craft beer tasting and escape room.

Take a look on our [website](#) for a detailed overview of all the participating companies and activities that will be part of the Business Days Twente this year. You can also enrol for all the activities there!

We hope to welcome you at the Business Days Twente.

“Unlock your ambition!”



P-NUT UNIVERSITY COUNCIL ELECTION

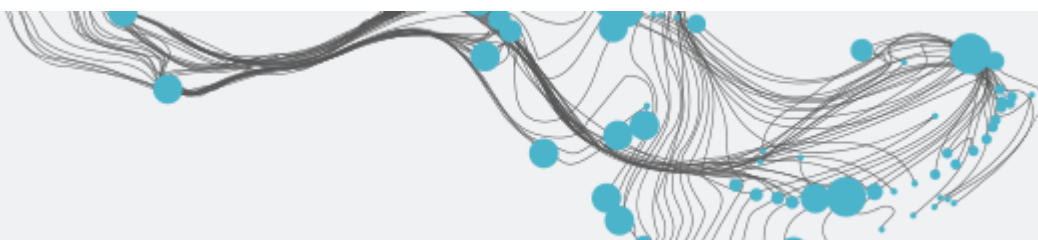
University Council Election



Do you want to have an impact besides your research? Do you want to help make the voice of the community of doctoral candidates heard?

As the elections for the University Council are coming up fast, this is your time to shine! Last year, Anton Atanasov, former chairman of P-NUT, became the first doctoral candidate to be on the University Council in years. He is now our inside man, providing P-NUT with essential information and unique possibilities to influence policy that affects doctoral candidates. If any of this appeals to you, consider running for the University Council Elections! Nomination Day is on April 20th, so make up your mind before then! The complete schedule can be found [here](#).

If you would like any further information, feel free to contact us!



TEDXTWENTEU

TEDx TwenteU

x = independently organized TED event

Get Ready for TEDxTwenteU 2022

TEDxTwenteU is looking for speakers and would like to invite you to apply for speakers.

We believe it's a great way to show the talents and ideas which we have at UT. Previous talks at TEDxTwenteU received up to 1.5 million views!

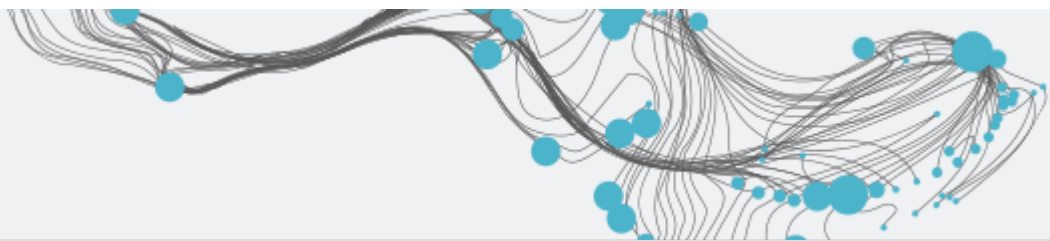
The event will be on the **14th of May in Enschede**.

The application deadline is the 25th of February.

For the application only a pdf description and a 3 minutes video are needed.

Past speeches can be found on our [website](#).

[Please click here for more information and registration.](#)



TOWARDS OPEN SCIENCE



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What's on? The next three months:

FEBRUARY| 4TU.ResearchData: A repository service and community for FAIR data |

DATE: 24th February, 2022 at 16:00

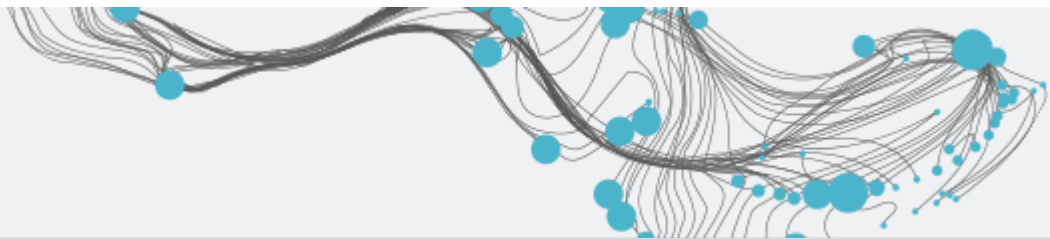
4TU.ResearchData will present an overview of their repository services and community for FAIR data. Part one of the presentation provides more detailed information about the technical infrastructure to support FAIR data. Part two provides information about the community (human infrastructure) around the data repository.

MARCH | Open Science Week 2022 | DATE: TBC

Together, we plan to host a joint hybrid Open Science week with speakers, a poster session, and networking over coffee (if Corona allows).

Event programme coming soon!

[Click here for more information](#)



FOODHALL GENERAL PROMOTION

P-NUT started a unique collaboration with the Twentsche Foodhall.

A promotional poster for a collaboration between P-NUT and Twentsche Foodhall. The background is a photograph of the Twentsche Foodhall's outdoor seating area at night, with warm lighting and people dining. Overlaid on the image is a large, semi-transparent white oval containing text. At the bottom left is the P-NUT logo, and at the bottom right is the Twentsche Foodhall logo.

ORGANIZE YOUR PHD PARTY

- ☐ UNIQUE COLLABORATION
- ☐ 10% DISCOUNT ON DRINKS
- ☐ 100% DISCOUNT NO THE USE OF AUDIO AND VISUAL AIDS
- ☐ NO RENT FOR SPACE

☐ 8 WORLD CUISINES ☐ AFFORDABLE AUTHENTIC DISHES ☐ DIETARY NEEDS CAN BE MET

☐ WIDE SELECTION OF DIFFERENT (NON-)ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

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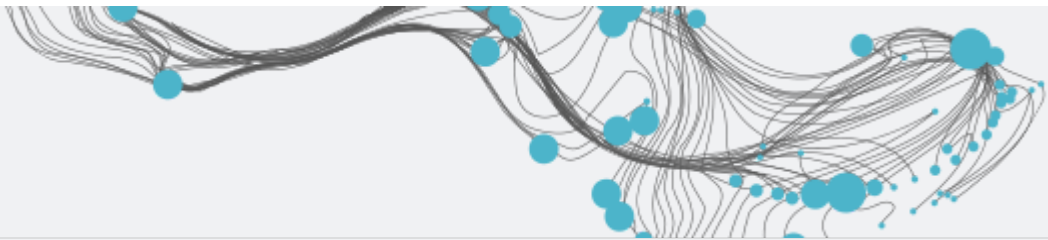
The Twentsche Foodhal is the place in Enschede where you can organize your PhD party in an urban atmosphere. The 8 world cuisines offer great and affordable authentic dishes. All dietary needs can be met, from vegetarian to vegan, from gluten-free to halal. In addition, there are always 16 types of beer on tap and a wide choice of (non-) alcoholic beverages. Please contact their event manager (reserveringen@twentschefoodhal.nl) to explore the possibilities. "Your wish is our central concern".

As a member of P-NUT the Twentsche Foodhal offers P-NUT members the following:

- 10% discount on drinks
- 100% discount on use of our audio and visual equipment
- because your guests and you yourself enjoy our food and drinks, we do not ask rent for the space
- we like to work customer-oriented, the wishes of the doctoral candidate are central (average prices for dishes vary from €5 to €11 per dish)

Have a glance at this in-house video shot by a drone:

[Watch Youtube Video](#)



JOIN P-NUTS FUTSAL TEAM

What: Futsal
When: once a week
Where: Sporthal UT
Cost: Free



Are you into playing soccer/football? Are you interested playing in a team? Join the P-NUTS Futsal (indoor soccer) team now!

Several research groups/organisations have their own team and **play 5 against 5 once a week**. Both ladies and gents can participate in the competition. Joining the competition is fun and free. Join the new P-NUTS Futsal team and enjoy the new season!

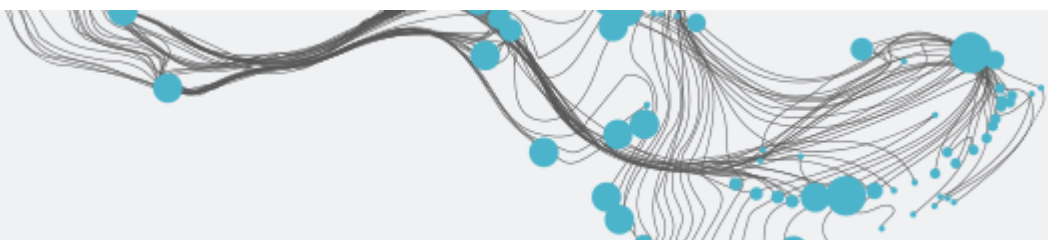
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When: every Tuesday / Wednesday / Thursday (only at one of these days)

Where: Sporthal UT

Participation cost: Free

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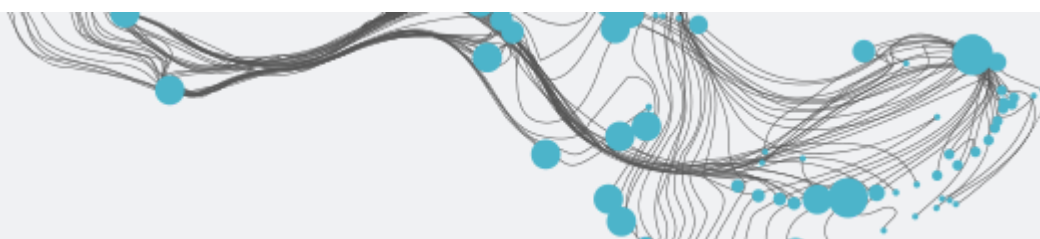
BENEFITS OF JOINING THE GROUP

- Ask for help with regulations, or any other related assistance;
- Let your peers know if you're self-isolating so someone can make sure you're okay;
- Get informed about new events sooner than via the P-NUT newsletter;
- Initiate events by yourself (e.g., walking on Campus or having a daytrip to a recreation park);
- Share (important) updates from official P-NUT sources (e.g., about events, surveys, etc.).

SOME DRAWBACKS OF JOINING THE GROUP

- We want to caution against the sharing of misinformation or speculation in the group, but we hope it can serve as a useful resource for building an effective support network;
- We suggest to mute notifications from this group, as it can be SPAM-intensive.

[Click here to register.](#)



About P-NUT

P-NUT passes the borders of faculties, departments and even universities by bringing PhDs and PDEngs with different backgrounds together to share their experiences and help each other to grow and become more efficient in their work. Our main objectives are to bring people who share similar interests together in both a professional and informal way, to inform them on the important aspects that might affect or benefit their careers, and share and defend the rights of the PhDs and PDEngs at the UT. These objectives define the three main goals of PNUT: **connect**, **inform** and **represent** the PhD candidates of the University of Twente.

Interested in representing and supporting your fellow PhD and PDEng candidates? Join the P-NUT board! As part of the board you become the voice of a community but also find constant opportunities to develop personally and professionally. Simply write us an e-mail.

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