



# Peer Review: The Nuts & Bolts

*A free Sense About Science Workshop*

**Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May, 2pm – 5pm, followed by a drinks reception**

This event will take place in **central London** and is open to **early career researchers** (PhD students, post-doctoral fellows or equivalent in first job) in all sciences. The panel discussion will also be lived streamed.

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**Find out about peer review**

**Debate challenges to the system**

**Discuss the role of peer review for scientists and the public**

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*Should peer review detect plagiarism, bias or fraud? What does peer review do for science and what does the scientific community want it to do for them? Should reviewers remain anonymous? Does it illuminate good ideas or shut them down?*

Speakers to be confirmed.

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**The workshop will be followed by a drinks reception from 5pm.** These workshops are very popular and there are limited places available.

**To apply** Send a CV and cover letter, explaining your reasons for applying and stating any affiliations you hold, to Joanne Thomas, [jthomas@senseaboutscience.org](mailto:jthomas@senseaboutscience.org).

**The closing date for applications is Friday 22nd May.**

For those unable to attend, from 3pm – 4:30pm BST (10am – 11:30am EDT), the panel discussion will be streamed via Google Hangouts.

For further information visit [www.senseaboutscience.org/pages/peer-review-workshops.html](http://www.senseaboutscience.org/pages/peer-review-workshops.html) or call 020 7490 9590.

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