

Ernst & Young Better Government Programme offers a Methodology Excellence Workshop for researchers in the social sciences

Successful Research Proposals and Projects

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The expectation is the participants will leave the seminar not only with a better understanding of what constitutes a good proposal, but also with advice on a specific proposal that a given participant has in development.

The Methodology Excellence Workshop is prepared with the **Hertie School of Governance**, the Professional School for Public Policy in Berlin. The school provides access to all materials in electronic format to all participants two weeks before the workshop. The language of the workshop is English. All materials will be in English.

Limited number of places available - the decision will be based on the quality of the application.

Applications - a cover letter and CV in English - should be sent to: bettergovernment@pl.ey.com. Priority is given to the potential Ernst & Young Better Government research grants' applicants. The deadline for applications is **15 February 2009**.

There is no fee for participants.

Participants are expected to cover the cost of travel to and from the workshop.

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