From PhD to Junior Faculty

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ECSS 2022 - Early Career Researchers Workshop



Disclaimer



expectations

habits



rules

culture



Repeat with me:"I am not superhuman"

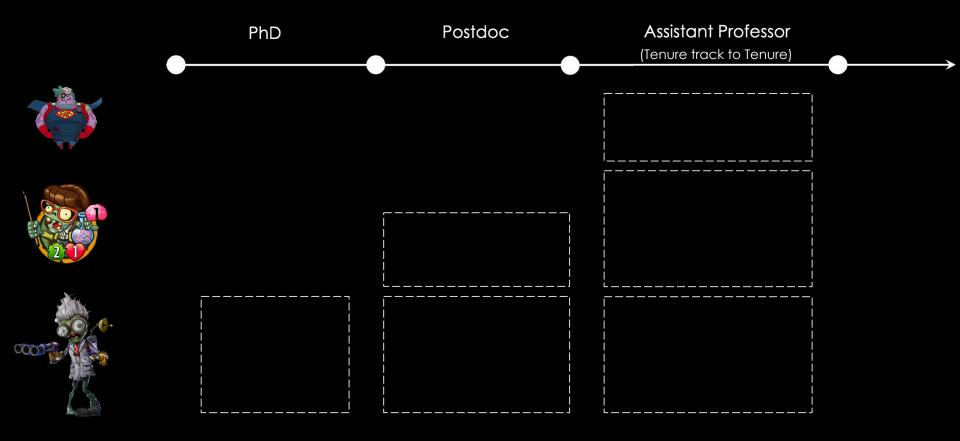


Images: @ Plants Vs. Zombies Garden Warfare

Is it really true
that teaching and
research are
equally important?

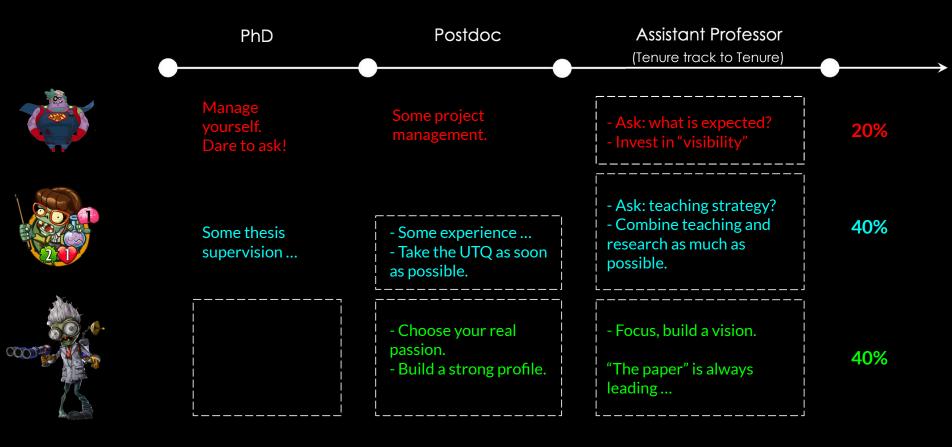


Scope and target expectations



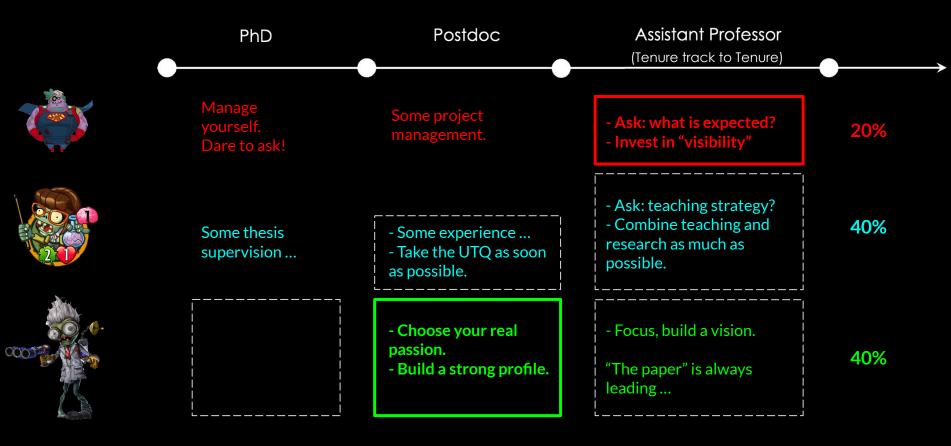
Good practices





Good practices





What is the best research advice you have ever received?

- Quality research needs perseverance
- Do not be afraid to throw away a work, and restart

What is the best research advice you have ever given?

- (ask my students 😌)
- Be modest, be curious, and follow

your passion



What is your "research process"?

 Challenge the idea (useful?), design your research (quality?), discuss your results (feedback?)

What are some ideas for better interacting with industry?

- Listen, I mean, REALLY listen...
- Build trust
- React fast, keep the pace

2018 @ Patricia Lago

Time allocation: men vs. women

Women dedicate 4% more to **teaching**

Men dedicate 4% more to **research**

$\stackrel{\circ}{\sim}$ EUGAIN

Best Practices from PhD to Professor



https://eugain.eu/results/deliverables/

Source: Monitor Women Professors 2018, LNVH. Download at: https://www.lnvh.nl/a-2966/monitor2018

A final word



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