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Practical:

Refereeing a manuscript

The practical is intended as indispensable hands-on experience, related to the

lecture about possible careers in scientific publishing. The participants will dive into

the peer review process, which is the cornerstone of high-quality content selection

and informational noise reduction. Simple guiding principles will be provided, so that

actual suitable sample papers could be examined and assessed within the envisaged

time frame.

Warming-up:

Pierre Meystre, Editorial: Amplifying the Signal

https://journals.aps.org/prl/pdf/10.1103/PhysRevLett.114.170001

Melinda Baldwin, In referees we trust?

http://physicstoday.scitation.org/doi/pdf/10.1063/PT.3.3463

Daniel Kennefick, Einstein Versus The Physical Review, Physics Today, pp. 43-48,

September 2005

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