**Personal Profile**

**Name:** Axel Hillmer  
**Affiliation:** Institute of Pathology, University of Cologne  
**Discipline, subject:** cancer genomics  
**Focus topics:** cancer genomics, evolution of cancer and resistance to therapy, intra-tumor heterogeneity

**Interest in issues related to sex, gender and diversity aspects in medical research:**  
loss of Y chromosome, molecular differences between sexes

**Available for doctoral supervision:** yes ☒  no ☐

**Structures offered for doctorees (e.g. regular colloquia etc.):**  
weekly seminars of AG Hillmer regarding project progress and Journal Club,  
weekly jour fixe for individual project discussions

**Maybe add one personal sentence about yourself, the passion for your workfield and/or the work with doctoral students at your institute.**  
I am fascinated by the molecular changes that allow cancer to develop and respond to therapy.  
I hope to pass on some enthusiasm about cancer genomics to students.

**Linking of own website:**  
https://pathologie.uk-koeln.de/forschung/genomische-pathologie-ag-hillmer/