




Sunday, 21 Sep 2008


- 15:30 Poster mounting (**Operon Foyer**)
- 16:15 Welcome and introduction (**Small Operon**)
- 16:45 – 17:45 Keynote lecture – Michael Hengartner (Zürich University)
-  17:45 – 18:00 **Coffee break**

Poster session (1 – 12) (Operon Foyer)


- 18:00 – 18:30 Reviewing a scientific paper: the do's and don'ts - Karim Labib (**Small Operon**)
-  18:30 – 19:45 **Dinner**
-  19:45 – 21:00 Poster session 1 - 12 (wine, beer and soft drinks)

Monday, 22 Sep 2008


Writing / talking science (Room 202) – Chair: Gerlind Wallon

- 09:00 – 09:45 How to give a presentation (Martin Reddington, HFSP)
- 09:45 – 10:30 The editorial process (Thomas Lemberger, MSB Editor)
-  10:30 – 10:45 **Coffee break**


Student paper review I (6 groups)

- 10:45 – 13:15 Discussion and background work for review
-  13:15 – 14:30 **Lunch**

I. Imaging – Chair: Karim Labib

- 14:30 – 16:00 Imaging Techniques (Facundo Batista)
-  16:00 – 16:15 **Coffee break**
- 16:15 – 17:15 Electron Tomography (Achilleas Frangakis)

Tutorial 1

- 17:15 – 18:45 Practical at EMBL
-  18:45 – 19:45 **Dinner**

Student paper review II (6 groups)

- 19:45 – 21:45 Review writing (3 rooms reserved: EMBO Confr, 202 and Gene Expression)
- Hand review in at 21:45 to Gerlind Wallon**



Tuesday, 23 Sep 2008


Student paper review III (6 groups)

09:00 – 10:45 Discussions with YIPs and Editors (Petr Svoboda, Facundo Batista and Karim Labib)

 10:45 – 11:00 **Coffee break (202)**

Tutorial 2


11:00 – 12:30 Protein-protein interactions (Karim Labib)

 12:30 – 13:30 **Lunch**

II. Developmental Biology - Chair: John Rouse (Room 202)

13:30 – 14:30 Mammalian development (Petr Svoboda)


14:30 – 15:30 Plant development (Jiri Friml)

 15:30 – 16:00 **Coffee break**

III. Cell Biology – Chair: Petr Svoboda

16:00 – 17:00 Trafficking (Christian Ungermann):

17:00 – 18:00 Cell Cycle (John Rouse)

 18:00 – 19:00 **Dinner**

Student research presentations (9 talks)


19:00 – 20:30 Student research talks 1 – 9 (3 parallel sessions)
(John Rouse, Jiri Friml and Petr Svoboda)

20:30 – 21:30 Poster session II (wine, beer and soft drinks)

Wednesday, 24 Sep 2008


Student research presentations (9 talks)

09:00 – 10:30 Student research talks 10 – 18 (3 parallel sessions)
(Karim Labib, John Rouse, Petr Svoboda)

 10:30 – 10:45 **Coffee break (202)**

Tutorial 3

10:45 – 11:45	Protein structure	Protein architecture
	Prediction (Krzysztof Ginalski)	(Aidan Budd)

 11:45 – 12:30 **Lunch**


12:30 – 14:00	Protein structure	Protein architecture
	Prediction continued	continued

IV. Immunology – Chair: Annette Oxenius

14:00 – 15:00 Cancer Immunology (Bruno Silva-Santos)

15:00 – 16:00 Innate Immunology (Annette Oxenius)

Afternoon Off – tour of Weinheim with Dinner


 20:00 Dinner in Weinheim



Thursday, 25 Sep 2008


Student research presentations (19 – 27)

09:00 – 10:30 Student research talks 19 – 27 (3 parallel sessions)
(Annette Oxenius, Axel Behrens and Bruno Silva-Santos)

 10:30 – 11:00 **Coffee break**

Tutorial 4

11:00 – 12:15 Recombineering (Axel Behrens)


 12:15 – 13:15 **Lunch**

13:15 – 13:30 Introduction to grant proposal writing (Annette Oxenius)
13:30 – 15:15 Proposal groups with supervisors (A Oxenius, M Boutros
A Behrens, V Sourjik, P Svoboda, B Silva-Santos)

 15:15 – 15:45 **Coffee break (202)**

15:45 – 17:15 Discussion session: "Make Science Make Sense:
How to explain your research to a lay person? (Sam
Caddick, Suzanne Beveridge and Andrew Moore)

17:15 – 18:30 Student proposal group work

 18:30 – 19:30 **Dinner**

19:30 – 21:30 Student proposal group work


Friday, 26 Sep 2008

Student research presentations (28 – 36)

09:00 – 10:30 Student research talks 28 – 36 (3 parallel sessions)
(Annette Oxenius, Michael Boutros, Victor Sourjik)

 10:30 – 11:00 **Coffee break (202)**

11:00 – 12:30 Student proposal group work

 12:30 – 13:30 **Lunch**

V. Gene Regulation – Chair: Michael Boutros

13:30 – 14:30 Genome integrity (Philippe Pasero)

14:30 – 15:30 Modelling transcription regulation (Eran Segal)


 15:30 – 16:00 **Coffee break (202)**

Panel discussion

16:00 – 16:45 **Panel discussion on techniques** * (Annette Oxenius, Victor
Sourjik, Michael Boutros, Eran Segal, Philippe Pasero and
Axel Behrens)

16:45 – 17:45 Poster session III

17:45 – 18:45 Student proposal group work

 18:45 – 19:45 **Dinner**

Grant proposal writing

19:45 – 21:45 Student proposal group work

* Discussion on techniques, please think about possible questions for the following topics:

Annette Oxenius	:	- flow cytometry, mouse models
Victor Sourjik	:	- anything related to fluorescence microscopy
Michael Boutros	:	- genomics, screening and RNAi
Eran Segal	:	- computational biology
Philippe Pasero	:	- DNA combing
Axel Behrens	:	- generation of mouse models/mutants, tissue histology, transcriptional analysis (ChIP etc)



Saturday, 27 Sep 2008

Tutorial 6


09:00 – 10:15 RNAi: Michael Boutros

 10:15 – 10:30 **Coffee break (Room 202)**

VI. Neurobiology – Chair: Axel Behrens

10:30 – 11:30 Behavioural neuroscience (Thomas Hummel)

11:30 – 12:30 Neurobiology (Tibor Harkany)

 12:30 – 13:30 **Lunch**

Grant proposal presentations (6 groups)

13:30 – 15:00 Proposals 1 & 2

 15:00 – 15:15 **Coffee break (Room 202)**

15:15 – 16:45 Proposals 3 & 4

16:45 – 18:15 Proposals 5 & 6

18:30 – 19:00 Feedback session

 19:00 **BBQ & party**  (EMBL Canteen)

Sunday, 28 Sep 2008

  **Departure**