

General information

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Registration

For details regarding registration please see
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Location

Center for Interdisciplinary Research (ZiF),
Methoden 1, 33615 Bielefeld
(<http://www.uni-bielefeld.de/ZiF>)

Arrival

By car, you can take the A 2 Dortmund - Hanover,
exit at "Bielefeld-Zentrum", follow the street signs

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towards the center ("Zentrum"), and from there follow the signs to "Werther". From the "Wertherstrasse", the ZiF is on the left side on the slope of the hill. The entrance is signposted.

Bielefeld can be reached from any major town by trains running on an hourly schedule (Eurocity train system: marked EC, IC, or ICE on the train schedule). From Bielefeld's main station you can either take a taxi to the ZiF (approx. EUR 10,-) or take the underground tram line 4 (destination "Universität" or "Lohmannshof"). From the tram stop "Universität" you can reach the ZiF by walking up the hill behind the main building of the university (the way is signposted).



The Genomics Revolution and its Impact on Future Biotechnology

Center for Interdisciplinary Research (ZiF)
of Bielefeld University

TOPICS: Microbial Genomics
Plant and Animal Genomics
Metagenomics
Ultrafast Sequencing Technologies
Bioinformatics
Systems and Synthetic Biology
iGEM Competition



Invitation

The Center for Biotechnology (CeBiTec) of Bielefeld University cordially invites you to attend the 8th CeBiTec Symposium entitled "The Genomics Revolution and its Impact on Future Biotechnology". The conference will be held at the Center for Interdisciplinary Research (ZiF) of Bielefeld University from October 28th to 30th, 2013. The conference will focus on pro- and eukaryotic genome research as well as metagenomics. Selected examples of each field will be presented. In particular, results will be shown obtained by employing ultrafast sequencing technologies. Novel technological developments in third-generation high-throughput sequencing will be presented and bioinformatics challenges will be discussed. The implications for genome-based Systems- and Synthetic Biology will be considered. The major topics to be addressed are:

- Microbial Genomics
- Plant and Animal Genomics
- Metagenomics
- Bioinformatics
- Ultrafast Sequencing Technologies
- Systems and Synthetic Biology
- iGEM competition

In addition to plenary lectures, poster presentations will take place throughout the meeting. The symposium will feature exhibition booths of major vendors of sequencing machines. I look forward to welcome you in Bielefeld!



A. Pühler (Chair of the Local Scientific Committee)

Programme

October 28th, 2013

- 10:00 Registration/Snacks
12:00 Welcome Address
12:15 Introduction to the CeBiTec
T. Noll, CeBiTec, Bielefeld/DE
12:30 Microbial Genomics
A. Becker, Marburg University/DE
J. Kalinowski, Bielefeld University/DE
A. Tauch, Bielefeld University/DE
14:00 Coffee break
14:30 Microbial Genomics (continued)
P. Schulze-Lefert, MPI Köln/DE
B. Siebers, Essen University/DE
J. Ernst, Düsseldorf University/DE
16:00 Coffee break
16:30 Plant and Animal Genomics
H. Himmelbauer, Barcelona/SP
R. Töpfer, Siebeldingen/DE
N. Borth, University of Vienna/AT
K. Brinkrolf, Bielefeld University/DE
18:30 Distinguished Lecture I
J. Jansson, UC Berkeley/US
19:30 Mixer/Poster Presentation/Exhibition

October 29th, 2013

- 09:00 Metagenomics
P. Simonet, University of Lyon/FR
A. Schlüter, Bielefeld University/DE
A. Lagares, La Plata University/AR
10:30 Coffee break
11:30 Metagenomics (continued)
N. Segata, University of Trento/IT
S. Jaenicke, Bielefeld University/DE
A. Sczyrba, Bielefeld University/DE
12:30 Lunch/Poster Presentation

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- 13:30 Bioinformatics
K. Reinert, FU Berlin/DE
R. Kottmann, MPI Bremen/DE
A. Goesmann/Giessen University/DE
15:00 Coffee break
15:30 Ultrafast Sequencing Technologies
R. Vogelsang, Pacific Biosciences, Menlo Park/US
O. Stephan, Ion Torrent, Essex/UK
NN. Illumina, Guilford/USA
17:00 Coffee break
17:30 Ultrafast Sequencing Technologies (continued)
M. Dröge, Roche, Mannheim/DE
18:00 Distinguished Lecture II
A. Brakhage, HKI Jena/DE
20:00 Conference Dinner

October 30th, 2013

- 09:00 Systems Biology
R. Takors, Stuttgart University/DE
K. Niehaus, Bielefeld University/DE
L. Blank, RWTH Aachen/DE
10:30 Coffee break
11:00 Synthetic Biology
Y. Benenson, ETH Basel/CH
M. Heinemann, Groningen University/NL
S. Panke, ETH Basel/CH
12:30 Lunch
13:30 iGEM competition
K. Müller, Bielefeld University/DE
W. Elings/H. de Vries, Wageningen University/NL
A. Oldebesten/R. van Raaphorst, Groningen University/NL
D. Samuylov, Paris University/FR
J. Bartels/J. Radeck, LMU München/DE
K. Jarosch/G. Kleiner, Bielefeld University/DE
15:40 Closing Remarks