

PhD Programme in Genetics, Molecular and Cellular Biology, University of Pavia

Molecular Phylogenetics: from genes to communities to kingdoms - 26-30 April 2021

Organizers: Ludvik Gomulski and Lino Ometto

Monday 26 April

Lluis Quintana Murci (Human genomics and evolution, Institut Pasteur, Parigi)

14:00-15:00 Population genetics: from Africa to the Pacific Ocean.

15:00-16:00 An evolutionary genetics view of immunity to infection.

Tuesday 27 April

Robert Waterhouse (Evolutionary and functional genomics, Università di Lausanne)

09:30-10:30 Fundamentals of comparative genomics - homology and orthology.

11:00-12:00 Building and analysing species trees (phylogenomics) and genes trees (phylogenetics).

13:30-14:30 Phylogenomic/genetic applications in insect genomics and evolutionary biology.

15:00-16:00 Practical session: from orthologues to alignments to trees.

Wednesday 28 April

Alessandro Minelli (Evo-Devo, Università di Padova)

09:30-11:00 Evo-Devo perspectives behind the use of morphology in the reconstruction of metazoan phylogeny

Daniel Bopp (Evolutionary biology and development, Università di Zurigo)

14:30-16:30 The genetics and evolution of sex determination in insects.

Thursday 29 April

Omar Rota Stabelli (Phylogenetics and molecular clocks, Fondazione Edmund Mach)

14:30-16:30 Clock and dating

16:30-18:30 Practical

Friday 30 April

Nicola Segata (Microbiome metagenomics, Università di Trento)

09:30-11:30 Metagenomics and phylogenetics of the human microbiome