



# 2011 Meetings and Courses

International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology

21-24 February	<b>Theoretical Course "Mouse Genetics; Models for Human Diseases"</b> Trieste, Italy	Organiser: <b>Glauco Tocchini-Valentini</b> (Institute of Cell Biology/CNR, Rome, Italy)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>ICGEB - Conferences and Meetings</b>	<b>ICGEB</b> Padriciano 99 I-34149 Trieste, Italy Tel.: +39-040-3757333 Fax: +39-040-226555 E-mail: <a href="mailto:courses@icgeb.org">courses@icgeb.org</a>  <i>Deadline for receipt of applications at ICGEB Trieste: 30 September 2010</i>
6-9 March	<b>"Joint International Conference of the African and Southern African Societies of Human Genetics"</b> Cape Town, South Africa	Organiser: <b>Rajkumar Ramesar</b> (University of Cape Town, South Africa)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>Rajkumar Ramesar</b>	<b>University of Cape Town</b> Division of Human Genetics Institute for Infectious Diseases and Molecular Medicine Faculty of Health Sciences Anzio Road, Observatory 7925 Cape Town, South Africa Tel.: +27-21-4066297 Fax: +27-21-4066286 E-mail: <a href="mailto:Raj.Ramesar@uct.ac.za">Raj.Ramesar@uct.ac.za</a>
7-11 March	<b>South Africa - Argentina Joint Regional Biosafety Workshop and Seminar "Biosafety of GM Crops: Emerging Issues and Challenges Affecting Regulatory Decision Making"</b> Pretoria, South Africa	Organisers: <b>Chantal Arendse</b> (Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries - DAFF, Pretoria, South Africa) <b>Moisés Burachik</b> (Directorate of Biotechnology, Secretariat of Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries - SAGyP, Buenos Aires, Argentina)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>Chantal Arendse</b>	<b>Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (DAFF) Biosafety</b> Private Bag X973 Pretoria, 0001, South Africa Tel.: +27-12-3196199 Fax: +27-12-3196329 E-mail: <a href="mailto:DB@daff.gov.za">DB@daff.gov.za</a>
20-25 March	<b>NEW DATES Theoretical and Practical Course "Genetic Applications in Human and Animal Health"</b> Basra City, Iraq	Organisers: <b>Nadia Al-Zahery</b> (Pavia University, Italy) <b>Talib Ahmed Jaayid and Salih E. Najim</b> (Basra University, Iraq)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>Nadia Al-Zahery</b>	<b>Pavia University</b> Department of Genetics and Microbiology Via Ferrata 1 27100 Pavia, Italy Tel.: +39-0382-985544, +39-3886174699 Fax: +39-0382-528496 E-mail: <a href="mailto:nadia.alzahery@unipv.it">nadia.alzahery@unipv.it</a>
21 March 1 April	<b>Theoretical and Practical Course and Symposium "Redox Chemistry and Biology of Thiols"</b> Montevideo, Uruguay	Organisers: <b>Beatriz Alvarez, Gustavo Salinas, Madia Trujillo</b> (Universidad de la República, Montevideo, Uruguay) <b>Marcelo Comini</b> (Institut Pasteur de Montevideo, Uruguay) <b>Luis Eduardo Soares Netto</b> (Universidade de São Paulo, Brazil)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>Beatriz Alvarez, Marcelo Comini, Gustavo Salinas and Madia Trujillo</b>	<b>Centro de Investigaciones Biomédicas</b> <a href="http://www.ceinbio.udelar.edu.uy">www.ceinbio.udelar.edu.uy</a> Avenida General Flores 2125 11800 Montevideo, Uruguay Tel.: +598-2-9249562 Fax: +598-2-9249563 E-mail: <a href="mailto:thiols.montevideo.2011@gmail.com">thiols.montevideo.2011@gmail.com</a>
4-14 April	<b>Practical and Theoretical Course "Biopesticidal Proteins: From Isolation to Molecular Characterization and Applications"</b> Damascus, Syria	Organiser: <b>Atomic Energy Commission of Syria (AECS), Damascus, Syria</b>  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>I. Othman</b>	<b>Atomic Energy Commission of Syria (AECS)</b> PO. Box 6091 Damascus, Syria Tel.: +963-11-6111926, 2132580 Fax: +963-11-6112289 E-mail: <a href="mailto:atomic@aec.org.sy">atomic@aec.org.sy</a> , <a href="mailto:nsttc@aec.org.sy">nsttc@aec.org.sy</a>  <i>Deadline for receipt of applications at AECS Damascus: 31 December 2010</i>
18-21 April	<b>Theoretical Course "RNA Structure and Function"</b> Trieste, Italy	Organiser: <b>Glauco Tocchini-Valentini</b> (Institute of Cell Biology/CNR, Rome, Italy)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>ICGEB - Conferences and Meetings</b>	<b>ICGEB</b> Padriciano 99 I-34149 Trieste, Italy Tel.: +39-040-3757333 Fax: +39-040-226555 E-mail: <a href="mailto:courses@icgeb.org">courses@icgeb.org</a>  <i>Deadline for receipt of applications at ICGEB Trieste: 4 November 2010</i>
23-26 May	<b>Theoretical and Practical Course "Quorum Sensing in Plant Associated Bacteria"</b> Trieste, Italy	Organiser: <b>Vittorio Venturi</b> (ICGEB, Trieste, Italy)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>ICGEB - Conferences and Meetings</b>	<b>ICGEB</b> Padriciano 99 I-34149 Trieste, Italy Tel.: +39-040-3757333 Fax: +39-040-226555 E-mail: <a href="mailto:courses@icgeb.org">courses@icgeb.org</a>  <i>Deadline for receipt of applications at ICGEB Trieste: 16 December 2010</i>
20-25 June	<b>Practical Course "Bioinformatics: Computer Methods in Molecular Biology"</b> Trieste, Italy	Organiser: <b>Sándor Pongor</b> (ICGEB, Trieste, Italy)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>ICGEB - Conferences and Meetings</b>	<b>ICGEB</b> Padriciano 99 I-34149 Trieste, Italy Tel.: +39-040-3757333 Fax: +39-040-226555 E-mail: <a href="mailto:courses@icgeb.org">courses@icgeb.org</a>  <i>Deadline for receipt of applications at ICGEB Trieste: 27 January 2011</i>
11-14 July	<b>Workshop "Cancer Stem Cells and Tissue Engineering"</b> Qiqihar, Heilongjiang Province, China	Organisers: <b>Jicheng Liu, Dongping Li and Weilan Xu</b> (Qiqihar Medical University, Heilongjiang Province, China) <b>Iqbal Parker</b> (ICGEB, Cape Town, South Africa)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>Jicheng Liu</b>	<b>Qiqihar Medical University</b> 333, North Bukui Street Jianhua District, Qiqihar Heilongjiang Province, 161006, China Tel.: +86-157-14521686 Fax: +86-452-2663715 E-mail: <a href="mailto:lxdoctor@163.com">lxdoctor@163.com</a>
19-24 July	<b>"ICGEB DNA Tumour Virus Meeting"</b> Trieste, Italy	Organiser: <b>Lawrence Banks</b> (ICGEB, Trieste, Italy)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>Elisabetta Lippolis</b>	<b>ICGEB Conferences and Meetings</b> Padriciano 99 I-34149 Trieste, Italy Tel.: +39-040-3757332 Fax: +39-040-226555 E-mail: <a href="mailto:lippolis@icgeb.org">lippolis@icgeb.org</a>
4-10 September	<b>Theoretical Course "Global Infectious Disease Research: A Multidisciplinary Approach"</b> Cape Town, South Africa	Organisers: <b>J. R. Dorfman and F. Brombacher</b> (ICGEB, Cape Town, South Africa) <b>W. A. Hanekom</b> (University of Cape Town, South Africa)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>Jeffrey R. Dorfman</b>	<b>ICGEB - Cape Town Component</b> Wernher and Beit Building (South) Anzio Road, Observatory 7925 Cape Town, South Africa Tel.: +27-21-4066335 Fax: +27-21-4066060 E-mail: <a href="mailto:Jeffrey.Dorfman@uct.ac.za">Jeffrey.Dorfman@uct.ac.za</a>  <i>Deadline for receipt of applications at ICGEB Cape Town: 28 April 2011</i>
5-9 September	<b>"First International Workshop on the Food and Environmental Safety Assessment of Genetically Modified Animals"</b> Buenos Aires, Argentina	Organisers: <b>Moisés Burachik and Martin Lema</b> (Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries, Buenos Aires, Argentina) <b>Giuliano Degrassi</b> (Biosafety Unit, ICGEB, Trieste, Italy) <b>Juan Carlos López Musi</b> (ILSI Argentina, Buenos Aires, Argentina) <b>José Luis Ramírez</b> (Red Regional de Bioseguridad, Instituto de Estudios Avanzados – IDEA, Baruta, Venezuela)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>Moisés Burachik</b>	<b>Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries</b> Biotechnology Directorate Av. Paseo Colón 922, piso 2, of.247 C1063ACW Buenos Aires, Argentina Tel.: +54-11-43492074 Fax: +54-11-43492178 E-mail: <a href="mailto:mburac@minagri.gob.ar">mburac@minagri.gob.ar</a>
19-23 September	<b>"Problem Formulation: A Strategic Approach to Risk Assessment of GMOs"</b> Trieste, Italy	Organisers: <b>Wendy Craig and Giuliano Degrassi</b> (Biosafety Unit, ICGEB, Trieste, Italy)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>ICGEB - Conferences and Meetings</b>	<b>ICGEB</b> Padriciano 99 I-34149 Trieste, Italy Tel.: +39-040-3757333 Fax: +39-040-226555 E-mail: <a href="mailto:courses@icgeb.org">courses@icgeb.org</a>  <i>Deadline for receipt of applications at ICGEB Trieste: 14 April 2011</i>
27 September 1 October	<b>Symposium "Gene Expression and RNA Processing"</b> Iguazú Falls, Province of Misiones, Argentina	Organisers: <b>Alberto R. Kornblihtt and Anabella Srebrow</b> (IFIBYNE-CONICET, Facultad de Ciencias Exactas y Naturales - Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina) <b>Javier Cáceres</b> (MRC Human Genetics Unit, Western General Hospital, Edinburgh, UK) <b>Tom Misteli</b> (National Cancer Institute, NIH, Bethesda, USA) <b>Francisco E. Baralle</b> (ICGEB, Trieste, Italy)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>Silvia Ceriani</b>	E-mail: <a href="mailto:iguazu2011@fbmc.fcen.uba.ar">iguazu2011@fbmc.fcen.uba.ar</a>
3-7 October	<b>Theoretical and Practical Course "Advanced Bioinformatics: Computational Systems Biology"</b> Trieste, Italy	Organiser: <b>Sándor Pongor</b> (ICGEB, Trieste, Italy)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>ICGEB - Conferences and Meetings</b>	<b>ICGEB</b> Padriciano 99 I-34149 Trieste, Italy Tel.: +39-040-3757333 Fax: +39-040-226555 E-mail: <a href="mailto:courses@icgeb.org">courses@icgeb.org</a>  <i>Deadline for receipt of applications at ICGEB Trieste: 28 April 2011</i>
5-7 October	<b>Workshop "Bottlenecks in the Establishment of Biotech Based Companies"</b> Buenos Aires, Argentina	Organisers: <b>Águeda Menivelle</b> (MINCYT, Buenos Aires, Argentina) <b>Fernando Golbaum</b> (Leloir Institute, Buenos Aires, Argentina)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>BiotechSur</b>	<b>Ministerio de Ciencia, Tecnología e Innovación Productiva (MINCYT)</b> Cordoba 934 1, Buenos Aires, Argentina Tel.: +54-11-43933822 E-mail: <a href="mailto:biotecnur@biotecnur.org">biotecnur@biotecnur.org</a> Website: <a href="http://www.biotecnur.org">www.biotecnur.org</a>
10-21 October	<b>Theoretical and Practical Course "Proteomics: High Throughput Analysis of Proteins and Proteome by Mass Spectrometry"</b> New Delhi, India	Organiser: <b>V. S. Reddy</b> (ICGEB, New Delhi, India)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>H. S. Narayanan</b>	<b>ICGEB - New Delhi Component</b> Aruna Asaf Ali Marg New Delhi - 110067, India Tel.: +91-11-26742356 Fax: +91-11-26742316 E-mail: <a href="mailto:shubha@icgeb.res.in">shubha@icgeb.res.in</a>  <i>Deadline for receipt of applications at ICGEB New Delhi: 30 June 2011</i>
24-28 October	<b>NEW DATES Theoretical and Practical Course "The Sixth Workshop on Comparative Microbial Genomics &amp; Taxonomy (CMGT2011)"</b> Petrópolis, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil	Organisers: <b>Fabiano Lopes Thompson</b> (Federal University of Rio de Janeiro - UFRJ, Brazil) <b>Ana Carolina Vicente</b> (FIOCRUZ, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil) <b>Ana Tereza Vasconcelos</b> (National Laboratory of Scientific Computing, Petropolis, RJ, Brazil)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>Fabiano Lopes Thompson</b>	<b>Federal University of Rio de Janeiro (UFRJ)</b> Department of Genetics, Institute of Biology Center of Health Sciences Ilha do Fundão Caixa Postal 68011 CEP 21944-970, RJ, Brazil Tel.: +55-21-25626567, 81041035 Fax: +55-21-25626567 E-mail: <a href="mailto:Fabiano.Thompson@biologia.ufrj.br">Fabiano.Thompson@biologia.ufrj.br</a>
24-28 October	<b>Theoretical and Practical Course "Genetics of Diseases and Human Populations"</b> Santiago, Chile	Organisers: <b>Soledad Berrios del Solar, Jorge E. Allende, Claudio Hetz, Mauricio Moraga and Luisa Herrera</b> (University of Chile, Santiago, Chile)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>Soledad Berrios del Solar</b>	<b>Human Genetics Program</b> ICBM-Faculty of Medicine University of Chile Independencia 1027 Santiago, Chile Tel.: +56-2-9786462 Fax: +56-2-7373158 E-mail: <a href="mailto:sberrios@med.uchile.cl">sberrios@med.uchile.cl</a>
31 October 11 November	<b>Workshop "Methodologies for the Study of Host-Pathogen Interactions"</b> New Delhi, India	Organisers: <b>Kanury Rao, Gobardhan Das, V. Manivel, Dhiraj Kumar and Amit Singh</b> (ICGEB, New Delhi, India)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>H. S. Narayanan</b>	<b>ICGEB - New Delhi Component</b> Aruna Asaf Ali Marg New Delhi - 110067, India Tel.: +91-11-26742356 Fax: +91-11-26742316 E-mail: <a href="mailto:shubha@icgeb.res.in">shubha@icgeb.res.in</a>  <i>Deadline for receipt of applications at ICGEB New Delhi: 30 May 2011</i>
20-22 November	<b>"First International Workshop on Bioethics and Ethical Aspects of Biosafety"</b> Tehran, Iran	Organiser: <b>Abbas S. Lotfi</b> (National Institute of Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology - NIGEB, Tehran, Iran)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>Nasrin Esmailzadeh</b>	<b>National Institute of Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology (NIGEB)</b> Shahrak-e Pajuhesh 17th Km Tehran-Karaj Highway Tehran, Iran Tel.: +98-21-44580331, 44580396 Fax: +98-21-44580399 E-mail: <a href="mailto:nasrin@nigeb.ac.ir">nasrin@nigeb.ac.ir</a>
21 November 2 December	<b>Theoretical and Practical Course "Plant Adaptation Responses towards Abiotic Stress"</b> New Delhi, India	Organisers: <b>Sneh L. Singla-Pareek and S.K. Sopory</b> (ICGEB, New Delhi, India)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>H. S. Narayanan</b>	<b>ICGEB - New Delhi Component</b> Aruna Asaf Ali Marg New Delhi - 110067, India Tel.: +91-11-26742356 Fax: +91-11-26742316 E-mail: <a href="mailto:shubha@icgeb.res.in">shubha@icgeb.res.in</a>  <i>Deadline for receipt of applications at ICGEB New Delhi: 30 June 2011</i>
5-7 December	<b>Regional Workshop "Field Trials and Post-Release Monitoring of GMOs"</b> Zagreb, Croatia	Organiser: <b>Kornelija Pintaric</b> (Ministry of Culture, Zagreb, Croatia)  Requests for information and applications directly to: <b>Kornelija Pintaric</b>	<b>Ministry of Culture</b> Nature Protection Directorate Runjaninova 2 10000 Zagreb, Croatia Tel.: +385-1-4866101 Fax: +385-1-4866100 E-mail: <a href="mailto:kornelija.pintaric@min-kulture.hr">kornelija.pintaric@min-kulture.hr</a>

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