



Training School 2018

Palermo, 6 - 9 February 2018



Program

This interdisciplinary school will provide theoretical and practical training on state of the art methods to explore the Molecular Interactions, Structure and Conformation Dynamics.

Advanced Spectroscopy and Microscopy Techniques will be presented together with the use of the Zebrafish Model as a tool for live imaging and molecular biology analysis.

	Day 1 - Tuesday, Febr 6th
10:30	Registration and Welcome Address
	<u>Maurizio Leone</u>
	University of Palermo, Dept. of Physics and Chemistry & ATeN Center/CHAB
11:30	Opening Vincenzo Cavalieri
11.50	University of Palermo, Dept. of Biological, Chemical and Pharmaceutical
	Sciences and Technologies & ATEN Center/CHAB
	TOPIC: Introduction to the Zebrafish model
12:30	<u>Valeria Vetri</u>
	University of Palermo, Dept. of Physics and Chemistry & ATeN Center/CHAB
	TOPIC: Fluorescence Microscopy methods to study molecular interactions in
40.00	live cells.
13:30	Lunch with teachers
15:00	Practical Session
17:00-19:00	Zebrafish Lab. Practical Sessions (Students divided in small groups will perform experiment
17.00-19.00	trials in the following labs)
	Pulsed EPR, Confocal Microscopy, NMR, Ultrafast Spectroscopy, Atomic Force
	Microscopy, Raman Microscopy, Nanotechnologies and Molecular Devices

	Day 2 - Wednesday, Febr 7th
10:30	<u>Kleitos Sokratous</u> Cyprus Institute of Neurology & Genetics Dean, The Cyprus School of Molecular Medicine.
	TOPIC: mass spectrometry based proteomics to study protein-protein interactions
11:30	<u>Alberto Boffi</u> Center for Life Nano Science, University La Sapienza, Istituto Italiano di Tecnologia, Roma TOPIC: engineered proteins for drug delivery
12:30	TOPIC: Spectroscopic methods for protein-protein interaction
13:30	Lunch with teachers
15:00	Practical Session Zebrafish Lab.
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	Day 3- Thursday, Febr 8th
10:30	<u>Claudio M. Gomes</u> Department Chemistry and Biochemistry, FCUL Faculdade Ciências Universidade de Lisboa, Biosystems & Integrative Sciences Institute
	TOPIC: Oxidation processes in amyloid formation and in neurodegenerative diseases.
11:30	<u>Claudio Canale</u> Nanoscopy, Istituto italiano di Tecnologia, Genova
	TOPIC: Cellular level nanomanipulation using atomic force microscope aided with superresolution imaging
12:30	<u>Francesco Argenton</u> Deparment of Biology, University of Padua, Italy
	TOPIC: Zebrafish and Disease
13:30	Lunch with teachers
15:00	Practical Session Zebrafish Lab.
17:00-19:00	Practical Session (Students divided in small groups will perform experiments trials in the following labs) Pulsed EPR, Confocal Microscopy, NMR, Ultrafast Spectroscopy, Atomic Force Microscopy, Raman Microscopy, Nanotechnologies and Molecular Devices

Day 4- Friday, Febr 9th

10:30	<u>Giorgio Schirò</u> Institut de Biologie Structurale, IBS, Univ. Grenoble Alpes CNRS, Grenoble France
	TOPIC: Ultrafast structural dynamics of proteins by X-FEL
11:30	Ludovico Silvestri
	European Laboratory for Non-Linear Spectroscopy (LENS), Firenze - Italy
	Advanced light sheet microscopy to investigate brain structure and function.
12:30	<u>Bruno Pignataro*</u> University of Palermo, Dept. of Physics and Chemistry & ATeN Center/CHAB
	TOPIC: Lab-on-a-chip: miniaturized systems for biotechnologies
13:00	Fabrizio Messina*
	University of Palermo, Dept. of Physics and Chemistry & ATeN Center/CHAB
	TOPIC: The interaction of photoexcited Carbon nanodots with metal ions disclosed down to the femtosecond scale
13:30	Lunch with teachers
15:00	Practical Session
13.00	Zebrafish Lab.
17:00-19:00	Practical Session (Students divided in small groups will perform experiments
	trials in the following labs)
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