

5th Lower Saxony International Summer Academy in Immunology

16th August – 13th September 2015



Inflammation, Regeneration and Immunity, Basic Aspects, Novel Approaches and Experimental Models







Dear Students.

Welcome to the fifth international LISA Summer Academy here in Hannover.

You have been selected to take part in cutting edge scientific lectures during the first week of your stay.



Furthermore, you will have the unique opportunity to gain insight into our labs at the Hannover Medical School, the Twincore and the ITEM during the weeks thereafter.

Since there is more to Hannover than high-ranking science, we also organized an exciting social program including a city tour, a German barbecue, a theatre night at the GOP varieté and the chance to attend the firework competitions to help you become familiar with the capital of Lower Saxony and it's surroundings.

In this newsletter you will find the program, a site map of the MHH and some additional information. If you have further questions, do not hesitate to ask us, or refer to our Facebook page for news and updates. We hope that you will have a gratifying experience, both scientifically and socially, during your stay in Hannover.

Looking forward to welcoming you here,

Tim Spulman

Program LISA Summer Academy 2015

	Sunday Aug. 16 th	Welcome Evening TWINCORE: Room 0.02
ı	12:00-17:00	Registration
ı	17:00-19:00 Welcome, Drinks and Snacks	

Monday Aug. 17 th	Regeneration, Hematopoietic Progenitors, PhD Programs (HBRS) TWINCORE: Room 0.02		
	Tim Sparwasser	Welcome Introduction	
9:00-10:15	Axel Schambach*	Topic Overview	
	Axel Schambach	Genetic modification of stem cells	
10:15-10:45	Coffee Break		
	Andreas Krueger*	MicroRNA in lymphocyte development	
	Dirk Heckl	CRISPR-Cas9	
10:45-12:15	Ulrich Martin	Induced pluripotent Stem Cells: New Tools for Disease Modelling & Drug Screening, and Application in Cellular Therapies	
12:15-14:00	Lunch with Speakers		
	Denise Hilfiker	Welcome by the Dean of Research of the MHH	
	Reinhold E. Schmidt*	HBRS PhD Programs, MolMed PhD Program	
14:00-15:30	Ulrich Martin	Reg Sciences PhD Program	
	Reinhold Förster	ZIB PhD Program	
	Christine Falk	Info: Career Advice, Stipends, Women in Science	
15:30-16:00	Coffee Break		
16:00-17:30	Orientation Tour MHH		
18:00-21:00	Twincore invites: S	Twincore invites: Snacks, Happy Hour	

Tuesday Aug. 18 th	Pattern Recognition Receptors, Dendritic Cells TWINCORE: Room 0.02	
	Tim Sparwasser*	Topic Overview
09:00-10:00	Tim Sparwasser	Role of Myeloid-Specifc TLR Signalling During Viral Infections: Lessons from Novel Genetic Models
10:00-10:30	Coffee Break	
	Elena Grabski	Plasmacytoid dendritic cells in antiviral defence
10:30-11:30	Kyeong-Hee Lee*	Novel regulatory themes in TLR4-mediated inflammation
11:30-13:30	Lunch with Speakers	
13:30-16:30	Students Poster Presentation I	
16:30-17:00	Coffee Break	
17:00-18:00 Lecture Hall G	Bernard Malissen	Toward an integrative biology of T cells and dendritic cells (KFO 250)

Wednesday Aug. 19 th	Homeostasis and Inflammation in the intestine Immunity, Inflammation and Cancer TWINCORE: Room 0.02		
	Matthias Lochner*	Topic Overview	
9:00-10:00	Matthias Lochner	RORyt expressing cells and their role in intestinal immune regulation and inflammation	
10:00-10:30	Coffee Break		
	Till Strowig	Microbiota and Intestinal Immunity	
	Christine Falk*	NK cells in Autoimmunity	
10:30-12:00	André Bleich	Colitis susceptibility in IL10-deficient mice depends on complex genetic and microbial factors	
12:00-14:00	Lunch with Speakers		
	Thomas Schulz*	Kaposi Sarcoma Herpesvirus: how infection of endothelial cells can lead to tumor formation	
	Abel Viejo- Borbolla	Learning from viruses: viral modulation of cytokine activity	
14:00-16:15	Cofee Break (15 min)		
	Thomas Pietschmann	Pathways and barriers of hepatitis C virus replication	
	Christine Goffinet*	Emerging restriction factors of viral infections	
16:15-17:00	Coffee Break		
17:00-18:00 Lecture Hall H	Nadine Cerf- Bensussan	Post natal maturation of gut adaptive immune responses: role of Segmented Filamentous Bacterium (KFO 250)	

Thursday Aug. 20 th	Lung Inflammation, Asthma, Allergy TWINCORE: Room 0.02	
9:00-10:00	Reinhold Förster*	Topic Overview
9.00-10.00	Reinhold Förster	IL-17 in allergic sensitisation Tertiary lymphoid structures in the lung
10:00-10:30	Coffee Break	
	Susanne Häußler*	Treatment Challenges of Chronic Pseudomonas aeruginosa Infections
10:30-12:00	Almut Meyer- Bahlburg	B cells in asthma
	Thomas Werfel	T-cells and antigen-presenting cells in chronic cutaneous inflammation
12:00-14:00	Lunch with Speakers	
14:00-14:30	Katherina Sewald*	Neuroimmune Interactions in allergic asthma
14:30-16:30	Students Poster Presentation II	
16:30-17:00	Coffee Break	
17.00-18.00 Lecture Hall G	Ronald N. Germain	Imaging Immunity: Developing a Spatiotemporal Understanding of Host Defense (SFB 900)

Friday, Aug. 21 st	Tregs, Th17, Gamma Delta T Cells, Autoimmunity TWINCORE: Room 0.02	
9:00-10:00	Jochen Hühn*	Topic Overview
9.00-10.00	Jochen Hühn	Epigenetic fixation of T cell fates
10:00-10:30	Coffee Break	
	Luciana Berod	Metabolic regulation of T cell function
10:30-12:00	Tim Sparwasser*	Tregs in infection and vaccinology: heroes or traitors
	Immo Prinz	IL-17 producing gamma-delta T cells
12:00-14:00	Lunch with Speakers	
14:00 15:00	Reinhold E. Schmidt*	Pathomechanisms in antibody-mediated inflammation
14:00-15:00	Torsten Witte	Identification of new autoantibodies as biomarkers of autoimmune disorders
15:00-16:00	Coffee Break	
16:00-17:00 Lecture Hall G	Hugo Luján	Mechanisms of antigen variation in pathogenic microorganisms (DAHZ/CUAA)
17:00 – Open End	Twincore invites: Barbecue, get together with HBRS students	

Saturday, Aug. 22 nd		
	City Tour Hannover	
18:00	Firework Competitions Herrenhäuser Gärten	

Sunday, Aug. 23rd FREE

Aug. 24 th -30 th		Lab Rotations
Tuesday	9:00-11:00	MHH: Demonstration HUB / IVIS / Metabolomics/Proteomics
Aug. 25th	Evening	GOP Theatre
Wednesday Aug. 26 th	17.00-18.00 Lecture Hall G	Wilfried Ellmeier - Epigenetic and Transcriptional Networks that Regulate T Cell Development and Function
Thursday Aug. 27 th	17.00-18.00 Lecture Hall G	João Santana Silva - IL-17 in the resistance protozooa mediated diseases (DAAD/CAPES)
Friday	18:00-19:00	Closing remarks, round table discussion & feedback
Aug. 28 th	19:00-21:00	Twincore Invitation: Happy Hour & Snacks

Aug. 31st – Sept. 6th	Lab Rotations
Sept. 7 th – Sept 13 th	Lab Rotations

^{*} Chairs of the respective session

Finding your way around



Poster presentation

The presentation will be held in the foyer of the TWINCORE. The poster session will be a guided tour where everyone presents their poster in a short 3 minute presentation and 2 minutes of questions afterwards.

Demonstrations during the 2nd week

You will have the possibility to visit either the Hannover Unified Biobank, the IVIS imager or the metabolomics/proteomics platform.

Please sign in to the respective groups latest by Friday, 21st August.

City tour and fireworks

We will meet at the horse statue in front of the central station at 14:45 on Saturday, 22/8/15. Afterwards we'll go together to the Herrenhäuser Gardens.

GOP Varieté theatre

We will meet in front of the GOP at 7 pm on Tuesday, 25/08/15. The GOP is at the stop "Kröpke" and right opposite of the opera house.

Things to do in Hannover

Appreciate Hannovers green spots: Eilenriede, Maschsee... Saturday morning: visit the flea market am "Hohen Ufer" and view the "Nana" sculptures.

Nightlife: Enjoy the night in one of the many bars and clubs with music styles from mainstream to underground.

And around Hannover

Berlin: Germany's capital, only a 1.5 hour train ride away Celle: Picturesque old town centre with over 400 timber-framed houses

Hamburg: The biggest port in Germany

Bremen: Statue of the "Town Musicians of Bremen" from the Grimm fairytale

Hameln: "Pied Piper of Hamelin" - one of Germany's most famous legends

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Please feel free to join us on Facebook:

https://www.facebook.com/groups/1402481040082092/

Here we also transmit information before, during and after the LISA Summer Academy.

Also like our page "LISA Hanover":

https://www.facebook.com/lisa.hanover.1

Important Information

Housing

Your housing during LISA will be the following: **Student Housing 1 "Heidjerhof"**

http://www.studentenwerk-hannover.de/heidjerhof.html

Or Student Housing 2 "Karl-Wiechert Allee"

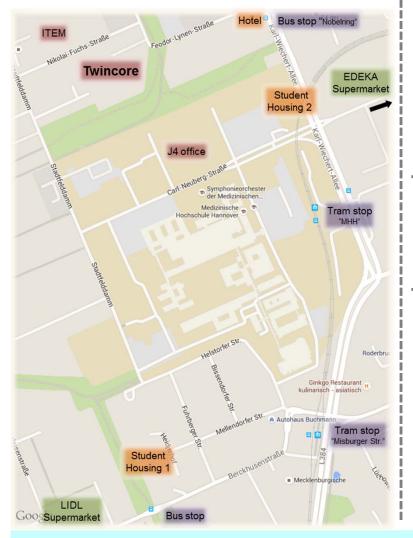
http://www.studentenwerk-hannover.de/karl-wiechert.html

The Student House Management is your contact for all formalities, questions and problems in regard to living in the student house.

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In case of a medical emergency

The emergency room ("Notaufnahme") is at the main entrance of the MHH.

If you need to see a general practitioner:

Prof. Dr. med. Nils Schneider (building K14 on the campus)

Mon: 9:30-12:30 and upon appointment

Phone: +49 511 532 3638

Internet access @ Twincore

Wifi hotspots will be available Names: dlink-01 to dlink-11, Password: ABBAABBA12

Shopping and getting around

There are supermarkets (LIDL and EDEKA) close to your dorms.

At the Hannover main train station ("Hauptbahnhof") you will find shops that are open on Sundays as well.

A tram ticket (take line 4 from MHH or Misburger Str.) to the city costs 2.60 € (1 zone, one-way), a one day ticket 5 € and a group ticket 9.60 € (TagesGruppenTicket for up to 5 persons).

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