

FROM STRUCTURE TO FUNCTION: UNVEILING THE ROLE OF PROTEINS IN HEALTH AND DISEASE

THE 1st MASBIC - D<mark>ISVA</mark> ANNUAL SYMPOSI<mark>UM</mark>

#### WHEN?

16-17 September 2021

### WHERE?

Polytechnic University of Marche, Department of Life and Environmental Science (DISVA)

Aula azzurra "Mario Giordano" Via Brecce Bianche, 60131 Ancona, Italy

## ORGANIZER

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# ABOUT THE SYMPOSIUM

In the last decade the study of the relationship between proteins structure and function has acquired a strong importance to understand the molecular causes of several pathologies. The possibility to analyse at high-resolution molecular structures has become a standard approach and, together with the advances in experimental and theoretical approaches, it allows to obtain unprecedented insight into the dynamics and mechanism of action of proteins and macromolecular complexes.

The 1st MaSBiC – DiSVA Annual Symposium brings together experimental biologists, computational chemists, biochemists, biophysicists and structural and molecular biologists who study different features of proteins such as structure, dynamics, folding, evolution and much more.

Several invited speakers will emphasise a wide range of approaches for tackling important and challenging issues in the study of proteins structure and functions.

## SPEAKERS

**Prof. Silvia De Rubeis** – Cellular and Molecular Neuroscience Seaver Autism Center for Research and Treatment at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, New York, USA.

**Prof. Vittorio Limongelli** – Computational Biophysics and Medicinal Chemistry

Università della Svizzera italiana (USI), Faculty of Biomedical Sciences – Euler Institute, Lugano, Switzerland.

**Prof. Eric Ennifar** – Biochemical and Structural Properties of Proteins Targets for Drugs Against Retroviruses Architecture et Réactivité de l'ARN – CNRS UPR 9002, Université de Strasbourg, Strasbourg, France.

**Prof. Beatrice Vallone** – Structural Biology Institute of Molecular Biology and Pathology, Department of Biochemical Sciences "Alessandro fanelli", University of Rome "La Sapienza", Rome, Italy.

**Prof. Martin Weik** – Structural Protein Dynamics Universitè Grenoble Alpes, CEA, CNRS, Institut de Biologie Structurale, Grenoble, France

**Prof. Monica Di Luca** – Pharmacology of Neurodegeneration Department of Pharmacological and Biomolecular Sciences, Università degli Studi di Milano, Milan, Italy.

## **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, the two-days symposium will be held **both in presence** at Università Politecnica delle Marche and **virtually**.

(i.e., a dedicated Zoom channel will be created).

Deadline for the Short Talk and Posters: 15/08/2021 Deadline for the registration of the audience: 10/09/2021

# FOR REGISTRATION, ABSTRACT SUBMISSION AND FUTHER INFORMATION

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