

GDC Symposium

Tuesday, 10 September 2024

ETH Zürich Zentrum, LEE Building E 101

10.00-10.05 **Bruce McDonald (ETH Zürich)**

Welcome

10.05-10.25 **Cécile Lorrain (ETH Zürich)**

Exploring the genomic landscape of rapid adaptation in a major wheat pathogen

10.25-10.45 **Daniel Ariza Suarez (ETH Zürich)**

Increasing genetic gain through simulation-based optimization of plant breeding schemes

10.45-11.05 **David Schnettler Fernández (ETH Zürich)**

How does temperature adaptation influence the evolvability of proteins?

11.05-11.25 **Kristy Deiner (ETH Zürich)**

From research to commercialisation, the journey of environmental DNA at the GDC

Lunch Break

13.00-13.20 **Manuela Bizzozzero (University of Zurich)**

Combining remotely sensed data with environmental DNA to elucidate the behavioural ecology of Indo-pacific bottlenose dolphins (*Tursiops aduncus*)

13.20-13.40 **Kilian Perrelet (Eawag)**

Aquatic and terrestrial environmental DNA signals reveal decoupling of blue-green linkages in urban ecosystems

13.40-14.00 **Markus Schlegel (WSL)**

Experiences and challenges with airborne monitoring of fungi

14.00-14.20 **Ellika Faust (Eawag)**

Population genomics for the conservation of biodiversity

Coffee Break

15.00-15.20 **Lucia Piro (ETH Zürich)**

The role of carbohydrates in the stomatal immunity

15.20-15.40 **Benjamin Daniel (ETH Zürich)**

Development of the WISH-tags, a universal genomic barcode for qPCR and Amplicon sequencing

15.40-16.00 **Roman Li (Eawag)**

Using the Fluidigm to screen for biomarkers of reproductive toxicity in fish

16.00-16.20 **Jana Mittelstrass (WSL)**

Potential and challenges of Nanopore sequencing as tool for molecular diagnostics in forest pathology

16.20-16.30 **Bruce McDonald (ETH Zürich)**

Closing remarks

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