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MAY 28 - 30, 2018

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May 28, 2018

**Session I · Protein Interactions and Dynamics**

*Chairs: Rita Casadio, M. Eugenia Schininà*

14:00 Participants Registration

15:00 Annalisa Pastore, *The Francis Crick Institute, London (UK)*
*The intricate network of interactions in iron-sulfur cluster biogenesis*

15:40 Margherita Ruoppolo, *Università degli Studi di Napoli Federico II*
*Altered intracellular pathways in inherited disorders of vitamin B12 metabolism*

16:10 Luca Federici, *Università degli Studi Gabriele D'Annunzio, Chieti-Pescara*
*Exploring nucleophosmin interactions for the treatment of acute myeloid leukemia*

16:40 **Coffee break**

17:10 Pier Luigi Martelli, *Alma Mater Studiorum Università degli Studi di Bologna*
*Predicting protein-protein interaction sites with computational approaches*

17:40 Alessandra Astegno, *Università degli Studi di Verona*
*Plant calmodulin-like proteins: calcium binding and target interactions*

18:00 2 short communications (15min each), selected from abstracts

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**Session II · Amyloids and Intrinsically-Disordered Proteins**

*Chairs: Vittorio Bellotti, Silvio Tosatto*

8:30 Registration Desk opening

9:00 Tuomas Knowles, *University of Cambridge (UK)*
*Kinetics of protein aggregation*

9:40 Stefano Gianni, *Sapienza Università di Roma*
*Understanding the mechanism of binding induced folding of intrinsically disordered proteins*

9:40 **Coffee break**

10:10 Fabrizio Chiti, *Università degli Studi di Firenze*
*The amyloidogenic and Aβ scavenger states of transthyretin studied with high resolution intrinsic fluorescence and FRET*

11:00 Alessandra Corazza, *Università degli Studi di Udine*
*An NMR approach to structure and dynamics of human transthyretin*

11:30 Damiano Piovesan, *Università degli Studi di Padova*
*Computational resources for the study of intrinsically disordered proteins*

12:00 2 short communications (15min each), selected from abstracts

12:30 **Lunch & Poster Session**
Session III · Biocatalysis: mechanisms and applications
Chairs: Marco Moracci, Loredano Pollegioni
15:00  Gideon J. Davies, University of York (UK)
Lytic Polysaccharide Monooxygenases: new players in biomass breakdown
15:40  Gianfranco Gilardi, Università degli Studi di Torino
Exploitation of monooxygenases in biocatalysis
16:10  Mario Cappiello, Università di Pisa
Intra-site differential inhibition of enzymes: the case of aldose reductase
16:40  Coffee break
17:10  Andrea Strazzulli, Università degli Studi di Napoli Federico II
Chemoenzymatic synthesis of α-N-glycoconjugates of biomedical interest
17:40  2 short communications (15min each), selected from abstracts
18:10  Andrea Pigozzo, ALFATEST, Roma
Innovative approaches to accelerate affinity and kinetics characterization in biologics development and drug discovery

May 30, 2018
Session IV · Frontiers in Structural Biology
Chairs: Martino Bolognesi, Menico Rizzi
8:30  Registration Desk opening
9:00  Alessandro Vannini, The Institute of Cancer Research, London (UK)
Unveiling (Class III) Gene Transcription through Integrated Structural Biology
9:40  Marco Nardini, Università degli Studi di Milano
NF WHY? Structural studies on transcription factors
10:10  Coffee break
10:30  Riccardo Miggiano, Università degli Studi del Piemonte Orientale, Novara
Nucleotide Excision Repair and direct DNA damage reversal in Mycobacterium tuberculosis: a structural perspective
11:00  Silvia Onesti, ELETTRA Sincrotrone Trieste
Structural insights in eukaryotic and archaeal DNA replication
11:30  Fulvia Bono, University of Exeter (UK)
Structure-function studies of mRNA localization
12:00  2 communications (15min each), selected from abstracts
12:30  End of the Conference
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