

CCB Lecture Series 2026/27



12 OCTOBER 2026

Sascha Martens - Max Perutz Labs, Vienna
Mechanisms of Selective Autophagy
Host: David Teis

19 OCTOBER 2026

Alexander Stark - Research Institute of
Molecular Pathology, Vienna
Decoding transcriptional regulation
Host: Andreas Mayer

16 NOVEMBER 2026

Christian Mayer - Max Planck Institute for
Biological Intelligence, DE
*Epigenetic Control of Forebrain Inhibitory
Neuron Development and Its Disruption in
Psychiatric Disorders*
Host: Sabine Liebscher

10 DECEMBER 2026

Eugenia Piddini - University of Bristol, UK
*How winner and loser mutations shape
competitive fitness and tissue colonisation*
Host: Joel Riley

18 JANUARY 2027

Bethan Psaila - Oxford, UK
*Megakaryocytes, whole genome doubling and p53 stealth...
from riches to rags of DNA*
Host: Valentina Sladky

15 MARCH 2027

Monica Bettencourt-Dias - CRG Barcelona, ESP
*The Centrosome-Cilium Complex Across Development,
Evolution and Disease*
Host: Andreas Villunger

12 APRIL 2027

Erdinc Sezgin - Karolinska Institute, Stockholm, SE
Physical properties of cells as indicator of cellular fitness
Hosts: Michael Ebner & Katrin Watschinger

10 MAY 2027

Guillaume van Niel - CRCI²NA – Nantes–Angers Cancer and
Immunology Research Center, FR
*Fundamental role of CD63 and its harnessing in the study of
extracellular vesicles*
Host: Francesco Baschieri

14 JUNE 2027

Jean-Yves Roignant - University of Lausanne, CH
*Deciphering the tRNA epitranscriptome: How alterations in
tRNA modifying enzymes drive diseases*
Host: Alexandra Lusser

All guests are welcome
Seminars held at 5:00 PM in the CCB Seminar
Room M 01.490
Hesso Farhan & Alexandra Lusser



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