



**SMBE satellite meeting**

**'Towards an integrated concept of adaptation: uniting molecular population genetics  
and quantitative genetics'**

**February 11-14, 2019**

**Vienna Austria**

## Monday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2019

### 09:00 Registration

**09:20 Michael Lynch**, Arizona State University, USA  
Drift, mutation, and selection and the evolutionary dispersion of mean phenotypes

**10:00 Henner Simianer**, University of Goettingen, Germany  
Breeding assisted genomics

### 10:40 Coffee break

**11:20 Neda Barghi**, Institute of Population Genetics, Vetmeduni Vienna, Austria  
Genetic redundancy fuels polygenic adaptation in *Drosophila*

**12:00 Luisa Pallares**, Princeton University, USA  
The role of cryptic genetic variation in regulating the transcriptional response to new and stressful environments in flies

**12:25 Ulla Kemi**, Max Planck Institute for Plant Breeding Research, Cologne, Germany  
Genetic basis of flowering time variation within a Scandinavian population of *Arabis alpine*

### 12:50 lunch break

**13:50 Felicity Jones**, Friedrich Miescher Laboratory of the Max Planck Society, Tübingen, Germany  
Clustered cis-regulatory elements underlie adaptive divergence in sticklebacks

**14:30 Max Reuter**, University College London, UK  
Genome-wide sexually antagonistic variants reveal longstanding constraints on sexual dimorphism in the fruitfly

**14:55 Esra Durmaz**, University of Fribourg, Switzerland  
A clinal polymorphism at *foxo* contributes to life-history adaptation in *Drosophila*

### 15:20 Coffee break

**16:00 Juliane Friedrich**, University of Edinburgh, UK  
Assessing the genetic contribution to complex behavioural traits in German Shepherd dogs

**16:25** Wrap-up (1 hour)

## Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2019

### 09:00 Registration

**09:20 Kavita Jain**, Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research (JNCASR), Bangalore, India  
Rapid adaptation dynamics of a polygenic trait

**10:00 Yang Li**, University of Chicago, USA  
Trans effects on gene expression drive the omnigenic patterns of inheritance

### 10:40 Coffee break

**11:20 Robert Maier**, Broad Institute, USA  
Polygenic adaptation signals are confounded by population stratification

**12:00 Joachim Hermisson**, University of Vienna, Austria  
Polygenic adaptation of a quantitative trait: analytical criteria for 'sweeps' and 'shifts'

### 12:40 Lunch break

**13:40 Christian Huber**, Australian Centre for Ancient DNA, University of Adelaide, Australia  
Human adaptation in the last 10,000 years: new insights from ancient DNA

**14:05 Hannes Svoldal**, University of Antwerp, Belgium  
Tracing the genomic footprints of fisheries-induced adaptation in Lake Malawi cichlids

**14:30 Kevin Thornton**, University of California, Irvine, USA  
Polygenic adaptation and patterns of hitch-hiking

### 14:55 Coffee break

**15:35 Emily Josephs**, Michigan State University, USA  
Detecting adaptive differentiation in structured populations with genomic data and common gardens

**16:00** Wrap-up

**17:00** Poster session and informal discussion (1:30 hours)

## Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2019

**09:00** **Samuel Yeaman**, University of Calgary, Canada  
Architectural motifs and the genetic basis of local adaptation: reconciling quantitative and population genetic perspectives

**09:40** **Magnus Nordborg**, GMI Austria  
The genetics of epigenetics

**10:20** **Coffee break**

**11:00** **Frederic Guillaume**, University of Zürich, Switzerland  
The genetics of adaptive divergence: Models and experiments

**11:40** **Nick Barton**, IST Austria  
How best to distinguish selection on discrete loci from the infinitesimal model?

**12:20** **Lunch break**

**13:20** **Patrick Phillips**, University of Oregon, USA  
Next generation experimental evolution: expanding the evolutionary toolkit in pursuit of the molecular basis of phenotypic evolution

**13:45** **Layla Hirmatsu**, Friedrich Miescher Laboratory of the Max Planck Society, Tübingen, Germany  
Tracking signatures of response over 20 generations of selection for long leg length in mice

**14:10** **Rui Borges**, Institute of Population Genetics, Vetmeduni Vienna, Austria  
A Bayesian method to detect targets of selection in Evolve-and-Resequencing experiments

**14:35** **Coffee break**

**15:15** **Robert Kofler**, Institute of Population Genetics, Vetmeduni Vienna, Austria  
Optimizing the power to identify QTLs with Evolve and Resequencing

**15:40** **Pierre deVillemereuil**, Centre d'Ecologie Fonctionnelle et Evolutive, CNRS, Montpellier, France  
Local adaptation to spatio-temporal variation in salinity in the halotolerant micro-algae *Dunaliella salina*

**16:05** 3 discussion groups

**18:05** Summary (1 hour)

## Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2019

**09:00**     **Reinhard Bürger**, University of Vienna, Austria  
The effects of epistasis and pleiotropy on local adaptation and the detection of adaptive loci

**09:40**     **Himani Sachdeva**, IST Austria  
Modeling introgression under linked, polygenic selection

**10:05**     **Tom Ellis**, GMI Austria  
A quantitative framework for mechanisms of pleiotropic and genotype-by-environment interactions

**10:30**     **Coffee break**

**11:10**     **Luis-Miguel Chevin**, Centre d'Ecologie Fonctionnelle et Evolutive, CNRS, Montpellier, France  
Adaptation to randomly changing environments

**11:50**     **Kaileigh Ahlquist**, Brown University, USA  
Balancing selection and beyond: machine learning approaches for determining selection scenarios in a complex parameter space

**12:15**     **Lunch break**

**13:15**     **Margarita Takou**, University of Cologne, Germany  
How do *Arabidopsis lyrata* ssp. *petraea* populations at the edge of the distribution adapt, while coping with decreased genetic variation?

**13:40**     **Fabrice Roux**, Université de Toulouse, INRA, CNRS, Castanet-Tolosan, France  
Intermediate degrees of synergistic pleiotropy drive adaptive evolution in ecological time in *Arabidopsis thaliana*

**14:20**     **Coffee break**

**15:00**     3 discussion groups

**17:00**     Summary (1 hour)