

Thursday November 7th		Friday November 8th		
		09:30	KEYNOTE lecture 2- Filipe Pinto Teixeira Biased cell adhesion organizes the Drosophila visual motion integration circuit	
		10:00		
				Imaan Tamimi Regulation of Drosophila Neuroblast Asymmetric Division by the May Long Non-Coding RNA
		10:30	Anabel Rodriguez A glia-derived cytokine regulating proliferation	
			Alessio Vagnoni Fly Coimbra Lab (FlyCab): a newcomer into the Portuguese Drosophila landscape	
			Miguel Pavão Delgado Creating true and false memories from forgotten information	
		11:00		
			COFFEE BREAK	
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			Ana Rita Colaço Establishing Drosophila as a novel genetic model for motor recovery after limb loss	
			Mafalda Gualdino Sex-specific control of locomotor behavior by Drosophila Arhgef10	
		12:00		
			Nuno Machado Modulation of egg laying by a Sparse Neuronal Population in the Drosophila’s abdomen	
			Rory Beresford Predictive cravings: Connectome guided dissection of post-mating appetite control	
13:00	LUNCH			
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14:00	REGISTRATION	14:00	POSTER SESSION 2	
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15:00	WELCOME ADDRESS	15:00		
	KEYNOTE lecture 1- João Raimundo How the genome encodes time: 3D genome regulation of transcription dynamics during development			
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	Nelson Leça Long distance relationships: how kinetochores and centrosomes talk to each other to promote faithful cell division	16:00		Silvia Henriques How diet-microbiome-host interactions remodel the fly metabolic landscape and physiology
	Laura Castro Developmental regulation of the pioneer activity of Grainy Head			Raquel Nóbrega Catering Fertility, Fueling Appetite
16:30	André Barros-Carvalho Identification of conserved mechanisms that regulate cortex remodelling during epithelial cell division	16:30		Saheli Roy Survival of self vs species: a fly's perspective
	Margarida Gonçalves The Dystrophin-Dystroglycan complex ensures cytokinesis efficiency in Drosophila epithelia			Zita Carvalho-Santos Understanding the Interplay of Nutrition, Metabolism, and Aging in Ovarian Function
	Rui Martinho Preventing Supernumerary Oocyte Formation by Restricting Synaptonemal Complex Maintenance			COFFEE BREAK
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	Miguel Pinto Uncovering novel mechanical cell competition regulators: The role of the cell adhesion proteins Roughest and Hibris in		Awards and farewell	
	Catarina Brás-Pereira Cellular Evasion: How Pre-Malignant Mutations Manipulate the Tumor Microenvironment	18:00		
18:00	Paola Gaetani Dynamics of transcription silencing during mitosis in the early Drosophila embryo			
	Teresa Maia Genetic bases of the variation of Wolbachia titres and antiviral protection in Drosophila			
	Ana Pimenta-Marques Tailoring the Structure and Activity of Diverse Microtubule Organizing Centers			
19:00	POSTER SESSION 1			
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	Álvaro Tavares Identification of a new tumour-suppressor gene	1	Ana Catarina Dias Identification and Characterization of Novel Regulators of Mitotic Fidelity	
	Ana Ferreira Silva Identifying new players in Human and Drosophila oocyte spindles	2	Ana Ojalvo-Sanz Deciphering Pro-Regenerative Pathways in Brain Injury: from Drosophila to Conserved Mice Systems	
	Ana Raquel Machado Exploring the world of genetics in the Fly Facility at Nova Medical School	3	Andres Diaz Genome-Scale Metabolic Modeling to Understand the Drosophila-Wolbachia Interaction	
	Beatriz Matos Finding the mechanisms underlying cell intrinsic resistance to oncogenesis	4	Carolina Rodrigues Dietary Modulation of Cell Competition: Implications for Alzheimer’s Disease	
	Carolina Santos Alves Calcium-ROS-mediated Injury Sensing Promotes Proliferation in the Adult Brain of Drosophila	5	Catarina Costa A whole-genome RNAi screen to identify genes required in Flower-mediated cell competition	
	Catarina Peneda Identification of new players in mitotic transcription inactivation	6	Charlie Rosher What’s a startle response? Novel approaches for classifying diverse reactions to looming stimuli in Drosophila melanogaster	
	Cristian Marchant Uncovering the inter-tissue mechanical interactions that drive epithelial rotation	7	Cristiana Santos Fbxo42 promotes the degradation of Ataxin-2 granules to trigger terminal Xbp1 signaling	
	Fatima Cairrão Impact of the Pumilio/Ire1-Xbp1 pathway in Drosophila glioblastoma progression	8	Inês Lobato-Dionísio Regulation of Drosophila melanogaster gut colonization by Leuconostoc pseudomesenteroides	
	Inês Pinto Molecular mechanisms underlying robust MPS1/TTK activation	9	Isabel Real Fecal Microbiota Transplant to Assess the Effect of Dysbiotic Microbiota	
	Jessica Cabrita Mechanisms for the regulation of Non-Centrosomal Microtubule Organizing Centres in the Drosophila germline	10	João Barbosa Functional characterization of a novel PP1:SPINDLY holoenzyme	
	Julia Loreto Sex-Specific Effects of High-Sugar Diets on Sleep and Locomotion	11	Lara Lage Environmentally-sensitive neuroregulation of wing expansion behavior by eclosion hormone	
	Mafalda Lontrão Describing the natural motor features in Drosophila melanogaster	12	Liliana Costa Fly Platform Services at Champalimaud Foundation	
	Margarida Caio Dissecting lineage, fate and function of reactive neurogenesis in the adult fly brain	13	Margarida Brotas Dissecting the circuits and mechanisms underlying mechanosensory-triggered locomotion	
	Nuno Pimpão Sub-cellular Metabolic Compartmentalization during Oocyte Development	14	Miguel Trigo Analysis of the interaction between Xport-A and Rhodopsin 1	
	Patrícia Francisco The Reproductive Clock: Metabolic Shifts in Ovarian Aging	15	Nuno Valente-Leal A sweet path to fertility: transforming sugars into viable oocytes	
	Priscilla Akyaw Disease tolerance to infection-induced tissue damage in D. melanogaster	16	Patrícia Grácio Novel regulators of neural stem cell quiescence in Drosophila melanogaster.	
	Rita Cardoso-Figueiredo Mapping metabolic programs in a whole-animal at single-cell resolution	17	Rebeca Zanini Crosstalk between the relaxin and insulin signaling pathways during neurodevelopment in Drosophila	
	Sara Santos Possible role of abdominal ganglion's 13 neurons set in egg-laying	18	Tânia Paulo Characterizing the role of a scavenger receptor in immune response against Vibrio cholerae	
	Vítor Yang Need for speed: Genetic Screen of RhoGTPase regulators unveils RhoGAP15b to be crucial for invasive cell migration	19	Vanessa Vieira Topoisomerase II inhibition prevents sister chromatids separation upon cohesin ring cleavage	
	Zuzanna Tomkielska Unlocking the Potential of Drosophila melanogaster as a platform for drug discovery from natural products	20		