

## ABSTRACT BOOK

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# Program 9<sup>th</sup> Swiss Virology Meeting January 31 & February 1, 2023 Bern

## Tuesday, January 31, 2023

09:00 – 10:25 Arrival and Welcome Coffee

10:25 – 10:30 Welcome Address Jérôme Gouttenoire

10:30 – 12:00 **PLENARY TALK SWISS VIROLOGISTS ABROAD**

*Introduction:* Jérôme Gouttenoire - Matthias Schweizer

10:30 – 11:15

**Yorgo Modis** – *University of Cambridge, UK (2023024)*

Endogenous viruses: new biological activities and evolutionary insights from our genomic dark matter

11:15 – 12:00

**Christine Tait Burkhart** – *The Roslin Institute, University of Edinburgh, UK (2023114)*

Genome editing in livestock to exploit host-pathogen interactions for disease resistance

12:00 – 14:00 Sandwich Lunch & Poster Viewing

Round-table discussion of PhD students & postdocs with plenary speakers

14:00 – 14:30

**STUDENT SESSION (CUSO): Session from and by the students**

*Chairs:* Committee of PhD students

14:00 – 14:15

**Grégory Mathez** – (2023046)

Novel Attachment Inhibitors of Human Parainfluenza 3

14:15 – 14:30

**Alfonso Gomez Gonzalez** – (2023071)

Bio-orthogonal live cell viral DNA visualization through alkyne-tetrazine ligation

14:30 – 16:30

**SESSION I: VIRUS-HOST INTERACTIONS: THE VIRUS SIDE**

*Chairs:* Mirco Schmolke - Stefan Wieland

14:30 – 15:00

**Yohei Yamauchi** – *ETH Zurich (2023112)*

Ultrastructure of influenza virus assembly at the cell membrane

15:00 – 15:30

**Jérôme Gouttenoire** – *Lausanne University Hospital (2023048)*

A journey into unknown territory: the hepatitis E virus life cycle

15:30 – 15:45

**Silvio Steiner** – (2023104)

Deciphering the function of NSP1 ribosome binding during SARS-COV-2 infection

15:45 – 16:00

**Guillaume Billeau** – (2023025)

Innate immune evasion by pestiviral E<sup>rn</sup>s in bovine airway epithelial cell cultures

16:00 – 16:15

**Catherine Eichwald** – (2023056)

Recruitment of TRiC chaperonin in rotavirus viroplasm directly associates with virus replication

16:15 – 16:30

**Jan Bieri** – (2023096)

Parvovirus entry involves vesicle budding from endosomes and retrograde transport to the Golgi

16:30 – 17:00 Coffee Break

17:00 – 19:00

**POSTER SESSION**

19:00 – 21:00

Dinner and Poster Viewing

**Wednesday, February 1, 2023****7:30 - 8:45** Breakfast (at hotel)**9:00 – 11:00** **SESSION II: VIRUS AND HOST INTERACTIONS: THE HOST SIDE***Chairs:* Caroline Tapparel - Carlos Ros

9:00 – 9:30

**Alexandra Trkola** – *University of Zurich* (2023095)

Broadly neutralizing HIV-1 antibodies: Lone superstars or team players

9:30 – 10:00

**Mirco Schmolke** – *University of Geneva* (2023003)

Using cell surface proximity ligation to identify novel host factors for influenza A virus entry

10:00 – 10:15

**Ludivine Brandt** – (2023076)

Cellular determinants of permissiveness to HIV: A 6-day correlation analysis of cell stimulation and infection

10:15 – 10:30

**Nina Mair** – (2023057)

Characterizing type I interferon auto-antibodies in the Swiss HIV Cohort Study

10:30 – 10:45

**Vaiva Gradauskaite** – (2023068)

LRP6 is a functional receptor for attenuated canine distemper virus

10:45 – 11:00

**Maija Pietilä** – (2023022)

Cellular state landscape predicts virus infection progression

**11:00 – 11:30** Coffee Break**11:30 – 12:30** **POSTER SESSION****12:30 – 14:00** Lunch and Poster Viewing**14:00 – 16:00** **SESSION III: CLINICAL VIROLOGY: VACCINES AND ANTIVIRALS***Chairs:* Karin Metzner - Cornel Fraefel

14:00 – 14:30

**Volker Thiel** – *University of Bern* (2023116)

Lost in translation - SARS-CoV-2 attenuation by large scale genome recoding

14:30 – 15:00

**Arnaud Didierlaurent** – *University of Geneva* (2023118)

Response to SARS-CoV2 mRNA vaccines in immunocompromised patients

15:00 – 15:15

**Olha Puhach** – (2023117)

SARS-CoV-2 mucosal antibody responses to vaccination and infection

15:15 – 15:30

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Targeted shock-and-kill HIV-1 gene therapy approach combining CRISPR activation, suicide gene tBid and retargeted adenovirus delivery

15:30 – 15:45

**Caroline Tapparel** – (20230778)

Heparan sulfate binding mediates Enterovirus A71 virulence in immunosuppressed mice

15:45 – 16:00

**Valeria Cagno** – (2023018)

Targeting viral RNA as a new antiviral strategy

**16:00 – 16:15** Farewell Address

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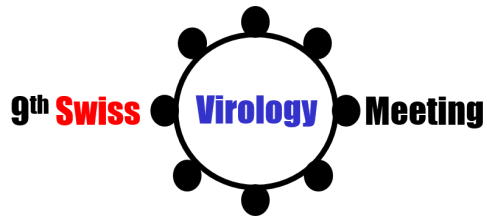
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