

**Session 1. Transcription**

**10:00–10:30**      **Jose Bessa, Vertebrate Development and Regeneration, IBMC**  
Exploring transcriptional regulation and gene function during pancreas development

**10:30–11:00**      **Andrea Cruz, Gene Regulation, IBMC, Glial Cell Biology, IBMC**  
Transcription Regulation during Myelination

**11:00–11:30**      **Cristina Ferrás, Chromosome Instability and Dynamics, IBMC, Gene Regulation, IBMC**  
Strengthening spindle assembly checkpoint response through regulation of transcription during mitosis

**11:30–12:00**      **Coffee Break**

**Session 2. Structural Biology**

**12:00–12:30**      **Ana Figueiredo, Chromosome Instability and Dynamics, IBMC, Protein Crystallography, IBMC**  
Purification and characterisation of CLASP2 protein

**12:30–13:00**      **Artur Rodrigues, Structural Biochemistry, IBMC**  
EAG K<sup>+</sup> channel binding to the Ca<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup> / calmodulin-dependent protein kinase II:  
Structural and biochemical characterisation

**13:00–14:30**      **Lunch**

**Session 3. Cell Division**

**14:30–15:00**      **Elsa Logarinho, Aging and Aneuploidy, IBMC**  
The hazards of an extra 13: karyotype-specific effects of aneuploidy

**15:00–15:30**      **Reto Gassmann, Cell Division Mechanisms, IBMC**  
Protein farnesylation contributes to mitotic kinetochore function

**15:30–16:00**      **Coffee Break**

**Session 4. Organism Biology**

**16:00–16:30**      **Daniel Osório, Cytoskeletal Dynamics, IBMC**  
Finding closure: in vivo functional dissection of the role of non-muscle myosin II in cytokinesis

**16:30–17:00**      **Carlos Conde, Molecular Genetics, IBMC**  
All together now: Polo joins the kinase network controlling the spindle assembly  
checkpoint in *Drosophila*

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