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### Registration

For details regarding registration please see http://www.cebitec.uni-bielefeld.de/

#### Location

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## Acknowledgement

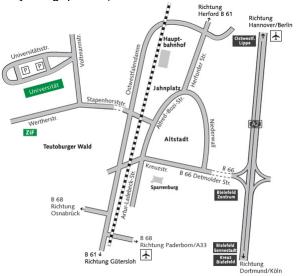
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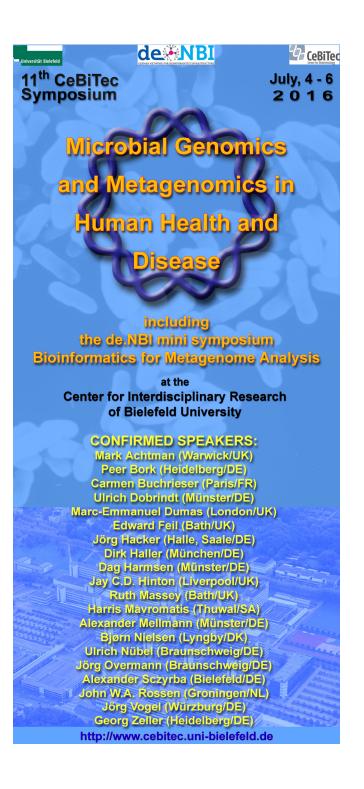
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#### Arrival

By car, you can take the A 2 Dortmund - Hanover, exit at "Bielefeld-Zentrum", follow the street signs towards the center ("Zentrum"), and from there follow the signs to "Werther". From the "Wertherstrasse", the ZiF is on the left side on the slope of the hill. The entrance is signposted.

Bielefeld can be reached from any major town by trains running on an hourly schedule (Eurocity train system: marked EC, IC, or ICE on the train schedule). From Bielefeld's main station you can either take a taxi to the ZiF (approx. EUR 12,-) or take the underground tram line 4 (destination "Universität" or "Lohmannshof"). From the tram stop "Universität" you can reach the ZiF by walking up the hill behind the main building of the university (the way is signposted).





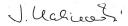
# Invitation

The Center for Biotechnology (CeBiTec) of Bielefeld University cordially invites you to attend the 11<sup>th</sup> CeBiTec Symposium entitled "Microbial Genomics and Metagenomics in Human Health and Disease". The conference will be held at the Center for Interdisciplinary Research (ZiF) of Bielefeld University from July 4<sup>th</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup>, 2016. The conference highlights the impact of the genomics revolution on medical microbiology. Major topics addressed are

- i) the genomics of major bacterial pathogens.
- ii) microbial population genetics and genomic nomenclature.
- iii) host-pathogen interactions as assessed by transcriptomics approaches,
- iv) the epidemiology and surveillance of pathogenic microorganisms,
- v) novel sequencing techniques as a tool in human medicine.
- vi) bioinformatics tools for analyzing metagenome sequences as well as,
- vii) human microbiomes in health and disease

The last day of the symposium is devoted to research topics performed in the framework of the de.NBI initiative (German Network for Bioinformatics Infrastructure). The mini symposium entitled "Bioinformatics for Metagenome Analysis" focusses on human microbiomes.

The conference program consists of plenary lectures, short oral presentations, poster presentations and two Distinguished Lectures. Furthermore, a Special Issue of the Journal of Biotechnology will be organized, which is open to all contributions presented at the 11<sup>th</sup> CeBiTec Symposium. I look forward very much to welcome you in Bielefeld!



Jörn Kalinowski (Chair of the Organizing Committee)

# **Programme**

## July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2016

11:00	Registration & Snacks
12.45	Welcome Address by <i>O. Kruse</i> and <i>J. Kalinowski</i>
13.00	Genomics of Major Bacterial Pathogens (Chairs: <i>Dobrindt, U./Harmsen, D.</i> )
14.30	Coffee break
15.00	Microbial Population Genetics and Genomic Nomenclature (Chairs: <i>Harmsen, D./Dobrindt, U.)</i>
16.30	Coffee break
17:00	Host-Pathogen Interactions Assessed by Transcriptomics Approaches (Chair: Vogel, J.)
18.30	Coffee break
19.00	Welcome Address by M. Egelhaaf, Vice-Rector of Bielefeld University
19.15	Distinguished Lecture I "Antibiotics and Antibiotics Resistances: Scientific and Social Implications" Hacker, J., Leopoldina Halle (Saale)/DE
20:15	Mixer/Poster Presentations

## July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2016

09:00	Epidemiology and Surveillance of Pathogenic Microorganisms I (Chairs: <i>Tiemann, C./ Mellmann,A.</i> )

10.30 Coffee break

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11:00	Epidemiology and Surveillance of Pathogenic Microorganisms II (Chair: <i>Mellmann, A./ Tiemann, C.</i> )
12.30	Lunch
13:30	Novel Sequencing Techniques as a Tool in Human Medicine (Chair: <i>Kalinowski, J.</i> ) Illumina – Roche – Oxford Nanopore
15.00	Coffee break
15:30	Short Contributions of Young Scientists
17.00	Coffee break
17:30	Distinguished Lecture II "My Gut Microbes and Me: A Long-Term yet Fragile Relationship" Bork, P. EMBL Heidelberg/DE
19:00	Conference Dinner

## July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2016

de.NBI mini-symposium: Bioinformatics for Metagenome Analysis

09:00	Bioinformatics Tools for Analyzing Metagenome Sequences (Chairs: <i>Sczyrba, A./Bork, P.</i> )
10.30	Coffee break
11:00	Human Microbiomes in Health and Disease (Chairs: Bork, P./Sczyrba, A.)

12.45 End of Conference

**Closing Remarks** 

12.30