Preliminary Program

30. Conference Molecular Biology of Plants

Tuesday, 21. February 2017

Opening Lecture

45 min	Danny Ducat	Michigan	tba
		(US)	

Session 1: Signal Transduction

Chair: Ute Höcker

15 min	Aurélien Boisson-Dernier	Köln	CrRLK1Ls: at the tip of growth and cell wall integrity
15 min	Xuna Wu	Hohenheim	SUCROSE-INDUCED RECEPTOR KINASE 1 interacts with a truncated receptor kinase SAK1 to regulate root growth and cellular calcium
15 min	Michaela Dümmer	Marburg	Two calcium dependent proteins involved in trans-Golgi traffic affect gravitropism antagonistically in Arabidopsis thaliana
15 min	Marco Trujillo	Halle	Exocyst subunit Exo70B2 function in distinct cellular pathways is controlled by phosphorylation
15 min	Armin Töller	Göttingen	Analysis of the negative effect of salicylic acid on the activation of the jasmonic acid/ethylene defense pathway in Arabidopsis thaliana

Session 2: Biochemistry

Chair: Ralf Mendel

30 min	Oliver Ebenhöh	Düsseldorf	Mathematical models of photosynthetic carbon fixation
15 min	Lennart Wirthmüller	Berlin	PARP and pseudo-PARP function in plant stress signaling
15 min	Nico Dissmeyer	Halle	The N-end rule pathway - from phenotypes to applications
10 min	Sascha Gille	Bayer	Grants4Targets - A new and innovative way to receive industrial funding
			for research projects with a focus on crop protection

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Session 3: Organelles & Membrane Biology

Chair: Peter Jahns

20 min	Stefanie Müller	Bonn	Orchestrating the glutathione-linked redox-potential in plastids
20 min	Serena Schwenkert	München	Protein phosphorylation in organellar protein import and biogenesis
20 min	Christopher Grefen	Tübingen	Genetic Analysis of GET Pathway Components in Arabidopis thaliana
15 min	Petra Dietrich	Erlangen	Multiple cyclic nucleotide gated channels regulate root hair growth
15 min	Christina Kühn	Berlin	The membrane steroid binding protein MSBP1 affects brassinosteroid
			signaling and mycorrhization efficiency in tobacco plants

Session 4: Molecular Physiology

Chair: Dietmar Funck

15 min	Andreas Hiltbrunner	Freiburg	PCH1 and PCHL control temperature and light signaling through regulation of phytochrome B dark reversion
15 min	Shanshan Wang	Heidelberg	The redox regulation of glutathione and cysteine biosynthesis in Arabidopsis thaliana
15 min	Lisa Ohler	Kaiserslauter	n Dual function nucleoside kinases drive pyrimidine salvage in Arabidopsis
15 min	Mathias Brands	Bonn	The acyl-ACP thioesterase FatC of Lotus japonicus is required for arbuscular mycorrhizal symbiosis
15 min	Ulrich Hammes	Regensburg	Amino acid cycling and phloem unloading are required for meristem maintenance and pathogen success
15 min	Mariana Mondragon Palomino	Regensburg	Similarities between reproductive and immune processes in the pistil of Arabidopsis species

Poster Session I

Session 5: Hormones & Development

Chair: Margret Sauter

15 min	Daniela Pezzetta	Berlin	The cytokinin status influences phytochrome-dependent seed germination in Arabidopsis thaliana
15 min	Marcel Quint	Halle	The underrated role of brassinosteroids in thermomorphogenesis signaling
15 min	Konrad Dreizler	Hohenheim	Maturation of the wound hormone systemin and identification of prosystemin processing enzymes
15 min	Ralf Müller-Xing	Harbin (China)	Enhanced serration of Polycomb deficient leaves, correlating with CUC2 mis-expression and loss of H3K27me3 at the CUC2 locus, depends on CUC2 function in Arabidopsis thaliana
15 min 15 min	Rebecca Drisch Laura Ragni	Düsseldorf Tübingen	Transcription factor complexes regulate root stem cell fate in Arabidopsis Periderm development: a tale of growth and programmed cell death

Session 6: RNA Biology & Gene Expression Chair: Christian Schmitz-Linneweber

30 min	Sascha Laubinger	Oldenburg	The functions of introns and splicing in plant stress responses
15 min	Katja Meyer	Bielefeld	Genome-wide analysis of in vivo RNA-protein interactions
15 min	Simon Klesen	Tübingen	miRNA mobility
7 min	Carolin Delker	Halle-	German Controlled environment User Group (gCEUG) - an initiative to
		Wittenberg	share experience, knowledge and resources on plant growth in controlled
			environments
7 min	Carsten Richter	Conviron	Importance of growth chamber conditions for uniform plant growth

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Session 7: Cell Biology & Evolution Chair: Karin Schumacher

15 min	Jana Christin Askani	Heidelberg	The role of membrane tethering complexes in vacuole development in Arabidopsis thaliana
15 min	Simone Früholz	Tübingen	Nanobody triggered lockdown of recycled vacuolar sorting receptors identifies the cis-Golgi as target of the recycling route
15 min	Sabine Müller	Tübingen	Molecular Mechanisms contributing to division plane selection and maintenance in Arabidopsis
15 min	Henrik Buschmann	Osnabrück	The evolution of cell division: from Streptophyte algae to land plants
15 min	Stefan Rensing	Marburg	Extraordinary moss genome structure and evolution uncovered by the Physcomitrella chromosome-scale assembly
15 min	Ralf Reski	Freiburg	Cuticule, sporophyte, stomata: three plant innovations that shaped our planet

Session 8: Abiotic Stress

Chair: Jörg Kudla

15 min	Alexandra Wormit	Aachen	Trehalose-6-phosphate metabolism is affected by cellulose biosynthesis inhibition
15 min	Lars Voll	Erlangen	Metabolite profiling of barley flag leaves in drought stress reveals metabolic QTLs for metabolites associated with antioxidant defense and identifies alleles of the corresponding pathway genes
15 min	Anton Schäffner	München	Transcriptome-metabolome co-analysis reveals temperature- and air humidity-related components in drought-heat scenarios and putative novel players in abiotic stress responses
15 min	Leonie Steinhorst	Münster	A Ca ²⁺ sensor switch for tolerance to elevated salt stress in Arabidopsis
15 min	Marcus Heisters	Halle	LPR1 - A ferroxidase involved in the signal transduction during the local phosphate starvation response in A. thaliana
15 min	Susanne Berger	Würzburg	Lipoxygenase1 is responsible for enzymatic lipid oxidation during seed ageing in Arabidopsis

Poster Session II

Session 9: Biotic Interactions

Chair: Bettina Hause

15 min	Suayib Üstün	Uppsala (Sweden)	How plant pathogenic bacteria co-opt proteolytic degradation pathways
15 min	Irina Jansen	Aachen	Phosphoproteomics discloses novel immune priming components in Arabidopsis
15 min	Norman Adlung	Halle	Non-host resistance induced by the Xanthomonas effector XopQ is widespread within the genus Nicotiana and functionally depends on EDS1
15 min	Debabrata Laha	Tübingen	Membrane-derived signaling molecules: the role of inositol pyrophosphates in hormone perception

Reinhold-von-Sengbusch Lecture

60 min Manajit Hayer-Hartl München Chaperone machineries in RuBisCO biogenesis and metabolic repair

Friday, 24. February 2017

Session 10: Technical Advances & Biotechnology

Chair: Andrea Bräutigam

15 min	Jana Ordon	Halle	Generation of chromosomal deletions using Cas9-based nucleases
15 min	Mary-Ann Blätke	Gatersleben	Flux balance analysis of plant metabolism
15 min	Marc Nowaczyk	Bochum	Localization of auxiliary proteins on Photosystem II by Surface Plasmon
			Resonance Spectroscopy and chemical cross-linking in combination with
			mass spectrometry
15 min	Eva Decker	Freiburg	Moss-produced, glyco-optimized human factor H for therapeutic
			applications in complement disorders

Reinhold-von-Sengbusch Poster and Talk Awards

Farewell Lecture

45 min Jutta Ludwig-Müller Dresden Hiding in its host - how the clubroot pathogen Plasmodiophora brassicae alters host hormone homeostasis and defense