

## Upcoming Events

- ❑ **11<sup>th</sup> International Virology and Infectious Diseases Congress**  
27<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> July 2018 in Vancouver, Canada.  
details at <https://virology-infection.conferenceseries.com>  
**Manja Marz is a keynote speaker and will introduce the EVBC**
- ❑ **13<sup>th</sup> International Symposium of double stranded RNA viruses.**  
24<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> September 2018 in Houffalize, Belgium.  
**Abstract submission deadline:** July 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2018,  
details at <https://kuleuvencongres.be/dsRNA2018>
- ❑ **Breakthroughs in Viral Replication**  
7<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> February 2018 in Barcelona, Spain.  
**Abstract submission deadline:** 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2017,  
details at <http://sciforum.net/conference/Viruses-2018>

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## Recent publications by EVBC members *(you may send us your recent publications to appear here)*

- Development and preliminary evaluation of a multiplexed amplification and next generation sequencing method for viral hemorrhagic fever diagnostics. **PMID: 29155823**
- A phylogenomic analysis of Marek's disease virus reveals independent paths to virulence in Eurasia and North America. **PMID: 29151863**
- Structure and assembly of the Ebola virus nucleocapsid. **PMID: 29144446**
- Combined Proteomics/Genomics Approach Reveals Proteomic Changes of Mature Virions as a Novel Poxvirus Adaptation Mechanism. **PMID: 29125539**
- Role of influenza A virus NP acetylation on viral growth and replication. **PMID: 29097654**
- Widespread activation of antisense transcription of the host genome during herpes simplex virus 1 infection. **PMID: 29089033**
- Inhibition of apoptosis in BHV-1-infected cells depends on Us3 serine/threonine kinase and its enzymatic activity. **PMID: 29073463**
- Prediction of HIV-1 sensitivity to broadly neutralizing antibodies shows a trend towards resistance over time. **PMID: 29065122**

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## News and Announcements

- ❑ **Denise Kühnert** has a new position as group leader at the Max Planck Institute for the Science of Human History in Jena. Also, she has two PhD and two postdoc positions open to work on either “Epidemic dynamics of ancient disease outbreaks” or “The phylodynamics of language evolution”.