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Upcoming Events

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✨ International Virus Bioinformatics Meeting (ViBioM 2027)

9-11 March 2027 | Jena, Germany

SAVE THE DATE for our annual EVBC meeting and celebrate with us the 10th anniversary of the EVBC! Further information will follow soon on our website!

✨ Theo Murphy meeting „Endogenous viral elements“

8-9 February 2027 | Birmingham, UK

This meeting will discuss current endogenous viral element (EVE) research, especially endogenous retroviral, RNA viral and DNA viral elements, including their diversity, roles in host biology and impacts on human and veterinary disease (organised by Katy Brown, Emma Harding and Rachael Tarlinton).

Requests for an invitation can be made [here](#).

FEMS MICRO 2027

5-8 July 2027 | Ljubljana, Slovenia

Europe's premier Congress and Exhibition for microbial research and collaboration under the theme 'Growing microbial futures'.

Session proposal submission deadline: **30 September 2026**

Abstract & grant submission deadline: **15 December 2026**

19th Congress of the International Union of Microbiological Societies (IUMS)

4-6 November 2026 | Lisbon, Portugal

Key topics include microbial genetics, biotechnology, clinical and medical sciences, with special attention on how AI can affect any aspect of microbiology. There will be a session on Computational Microbiology. Registration deadline: **15 October 2026**

✨ Viral EcoGenomics and Applications (VEGA) 2026 Symposium

18-19 November 2026 | Berkeley, CA, USA

A space for the viral ecogenomics community working in a broad range of environmental and host-associated ecosystems, along with molecular and computational techniques. 3 Sessions: "Functional characterization of novel viral diversity", "Molecular mechanisms of virus-host interactions", "Utilizing phages to manipulate microbiomes".

Talk abstract submission deadline: **16 October 2026**

Poster abstract submission deadline: **30 October 2026**

Annual Conference 2027 of the Association for General and Applied Microbiology (VAAM)

14-17 March 2027 | Marburg, Germany

Forum for scientists at all stages of their careers to exchange ideas, discuss recent advances, strengthening existing contacts and establish new collaborations to drive Microbiology forward.

Abstract submission deadline: **6 November 2026**

Early bird registration deadline: **10 January 2027**

Job Vacancies

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Virology researcher specialising in bacteriophages

CIRAD is recruiting a virology researcher specialising in the study of bacteriophages and their use as biocontrol agents against plant-pathogenic bacteria, based at the Agrocampus laboratories of the Plant Protection Unit in Saint-Pierre, Réunion, and at the University of Reunion (following an induction period at their Montpellier site).

Application deadline: **27 September 2026**

ECR Viromics Webinar Series

 [Register](#)

This [lecture series](#) features early career researchers studying viruses in complex communities. It is organized together with the [Center of Microbiome Science](#) at Ohio State University and the [NSF EMERGE Biology Integration Institute](#). You can register [here](#) for the ECR Viromics mailing list and receive the access details for every webinar. You can unsubscribe at any time.

Upcoming talks:

Vladimir Gajdov, Scientific Veterinary Institute "Novi Sad", Novi Sad, Serbia

14 October 2026 | 4 pm CEST **online**

A Mysterious Outbreak in Doberman dogs: Metagenomic Detection of Raccoon Dog and Fox Amdoparvovirus

Emma Harding, University of Oxford, UK

9 December 2026 | 4 pm CET **online**
Topic TBA

Viruses in silico lecture series

 [Register](#)

This lecture is designed to keep you up to date with the latest developments in virus bioinformatics, especially new tools that might help you in your research. You can register [here](#) for the viruses in silico mailing list and receive the access details for every lecture. You can unsubscribe at any time.

Upcoming talk:

Alexandros Stamatakis, Institute of Computer Science at the Foundation for Research and Technology Hellas, Heraklion/Crete, Greece

28 January 2027 | 4 pm CET **online**
Predicting & Propagating Uncertainty in the Bioinformatics Pipeline

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