UNIVERSITY OF GOTHENBURG centre for marine evolutionary biology

CeMEB Autumn Assembly 2024 – Programme 22–24th October at Tjärnö

With reservation for changes...

Hybrid version available via Zoom: Passcode:

Tuesday 22th October

10.00 Fika (Coffee & tea)

10.30 – 12.00 Big lecture hall – Presentations

• Welcome and introduction by the CeMEB Steering committee (Pierre De Wit)

Chair: Andreas Wallberg

• Invited speaker: Carl Nettelblad – Unleashing the Power of Machine Learning in Life Sciences

12.00 Lunch

13.30 – 15.00 Big lecture hall – Presentations

Chair: Simon Henriksson

- Claudia Lacroix Are Atlantic cod mating vocalisations a barrier to gene flow within a coastal hybrid zone?
- Jake Goodall Atlantic herring Evolution of novel biodiversity in the young Baltic Sea

Chair: Leyi Su

- Cynthia Riginos Introgression shapes adaptive diversity in Acropora cryptic corals on the Great Barrier Reef
- Andreas Wallberg Hues of blues: Using Comparative Genomics and Machine Learning to Uncover the Evolutionary Ecology of Color Vision in Krill
- 15.00 Fika
- 15.30 18.00 Big lecture hall Presentations

Chair: Per Unneberg

• Invited speaker: Sara Mathieson – Interpreting deep learning methods for population genetic inference

Chair: Pierre De Wit

- **Per Unneberg** Enhancing Population Genomics with New and Scalable Methods: Insights from NBIS
- Invited speaker: Matteo Fumagalli Generative models for demographic inferences from population genetic data

18.00 Dinner & Pub

Pub in white dormitory



Wednesday 23rd October

8:00 – 09.00 Breakfast

09.00 - 10.00 Big lecture hall - Presentations

Chair: Jake Goodall

- **Pierre De Wit** Mapping the invasion potential of the Pacific oyster in the Baltic Sea through quantitative genetics, adaptation genomics and dispersal modeling
- Cheng Ma Copy Number Variation in Hatching Enzyme Genes: A Mechanism for Salinity Adaptation in Herring
- Matthew W Gray Exaptation and Resilience of Brooding Oysters to Ocean Acidification: Implications for Restoration in a Changing Climate

10.00 Fika

This fika Includes Steering Committee-tea with PhD students

10.30 - 12.30 Big lecture hall - Discussions

Introduction to group discussions

Group discussions according to topic of interest

Summary of discussions in big lecture hall

- 12.30 Lunch
- 14.00 15.00 Walk & Talk
- 15.00 Fika
- 15.30 16.10 Big lecture hall Keynote discussion panel

Discussion panel with invited keynote speakers

16.10 – 16.50 Big lecture hall – Presentations

Chair: Matthew W Gray

- Leyi Su Codon Usage Bias and Selection Patterns in Atlantic Herring
- Nauras Daraghmeh Chromosomal inversions in the seaweed fly Coelopa frigida Scheduled break

17.15 – 18.15 Big lecture hall – Presentations

Chair: Andreas Wallberg

- Invited speaker: Chris C Smith Deep learning applications in spatial population genetics
- 18.15 19.00 Poster session with snacks, outside the Big lecture hall
- 19.00 Conference dinner & Pub



Thursday 24th October

8:00 – 09.00 Breakfast

09.00 - 10.00 Big lecture hall - Presentations

Chair: Ola Svensson

- Kerstin Johannesson The past, the present and the future of a Baltic Sea foundation seaweed
- Ryan Daniels Batch effects in NGS/Array data
- David Poling Automated Monitoring of Coastal Cod in Raet National Park
- 10.00 Fika

10.30 – 12.30 Big lecture hall – Discussions

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12.30 Lunch

13.30 – 14.00 Future topics, future CeMEB

Summary and closing the meeting

14.00 Fika

14.28 – Departure from Tjärnölabbet with bus 891. Connection to Gothenburg from Strömstad with bus 871/841 at 15.20 (exchange at Torp Terminalen).

