

inspired **#** RIs **Structural Biology**

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The National RIs on Integrated Structural **Biology, Drug Screening Efforts &** Drug target functional characterization

ORGANIZATION: Inspired-RIs coordinator, Instruct-EL hub / NHRF & Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, jointly with University of Patras.

AIM: INSPIRED-RIs- The National Research Infrastructures on Integrated Structural Biology, Drug Screening Efforts & Drug target functional characterization (MIS 5002550) organize a conference to increase awareness of the services provided to interested key stakeholders.

TARGET GROUP: Research scientists from Greek Academic – Research – Public Organizations, National Research Infrastructures, Industries, Companies, SMEs, Clusters in Greece, and South-East Europe.

REGISTRATION: Ms Pandora Karakousi, pkarakousi@eie.gr until March 10th, 2023.

ORGANIZATION: The conference is organized by Inspired-RIs coordinator, Instruct-EL hub/NHRF and Aristotle University of Thessaloniki jointly with University of Patras.

PLENARY SPEAKERS

Prof. Sir David Stuart

FRS, FMedSci, University of Oxford, Life Science Director, Diamond Light Source, UK

Prof. Harald Schwalbe Instruct-ERIC Director

Prof. Dr Arwen Pearson University of Hamburg, CFEL

Prof. Dr Panagiotis Kastritis ERA Chair holder at NHRF & Jr Prof. Martin Luther University of Halle-Wittenberg

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PROGRAMME*

Day 1	Monday, March 13 th 2023
09:30 - 10:00	Registration
10:00 - 10:15	Welcome
	Professor Dimosthenis Sarigiannis Director & President of the NHRF Board
	Dr Alexander Pintzas Director of the Institute of Chemical Biology at NHRF
	Dr Antonios Gypakis Head of the Policy Planning Department, General Secretariat for Research & Innovation
10:15 – 10:30	The National Research Infrastructures on Integrated Structural Biology, Drug Screening Efforts & Drug target functional characterization
	Evangelia D. Chrysina Inspired-RIs coordinator, Research Director, Institute of Chemical Biology, NHRF
10:30 – 10:45	Instruct-EL hub – Centre for the Provision and Development of Integrated Structural Biology Research Services
	Evangelia D. Chrysina Instruct-EL hub coordinator, Research Director, Institute of Chemical Biology, NHRF
10:45 – 11:00	Inspired – University of Patras
	Georgios A. Spyroulias UPAT node coordinator, Professor, Department of Pharmacy, University of Patras
11:00 – 11:15	Inspired – National Centre for Scientific Research – "Demokritos"
	Georgios Nounesis NCSR-"Demokritos" node coordinator, President Emmanuel Saridakis NCSR-"Demokritos" node coordinator, Senior Researcher, Institute of NanoScience and Nanotechnology
11:15 – 11:30	Inspired –Foundation for Research and Technology – West Greece
	Maria Klapa Inspired-FORTH-West Greece, node coordinator, Senior Researcher, Institute of Chemical Engineering Sciences

11:30 - 11:40	Discussion
11:40 - 12:15	Coffee Break
12:15 – 12:30	Inspired – National and Kapodistrian University of Athens Constantinos E. Vorgias Inspired-NKUA, node coordinator, Professor, Department of Biology
12:30 - 12:45	Inspired – Hellenic Pasteur Institute
	Konstantinos Lazaridis Inspired HPI – node coordinator, Senior Researcher, Department of Immunology
12:45 - 13:00	Inspired – National Technical University of Athens (NTUA)
	Dimitris Kekos Inspired-NTUA, node coordinator, Emeritus Professor, School of Chemical Engineering Evangelos Topakas Inspired-NTUA, node coordinator, Associate Professor, School of Chemical Engineering
13:00 – 13:15	Inspired –Foundation for Research and Technology – Epirus
	Theologos Michaelidis Inspired-FORTH-BRI, node coordinator, Associate Professor, Biomedical Research Institute
13:15 – 13:30	Inspired – University of Ioannina
	Anastasia Politou Inspired-Uol, node coordinator, Associate Professor, Department of Biological Chemistry
13:30 - 13:45	Inspired – University of Crete
	Michael Kokkinidis Inspired-UoC, node coordinator, Emeritus Professor, Department of Biology Georgios Tsiotis Inspired-UoC, node coordinator, Professor, Department of Chemistry
13:45 - 13:55	Discussion
13:55 - 15:00	Lunch Break
15:00 – 15:15	Inspired-University of Thessaly
	Demetres D. Leonidas Inspired-UoTh, node coordinator, Professor, Department of Biochemistry and Biotechnology

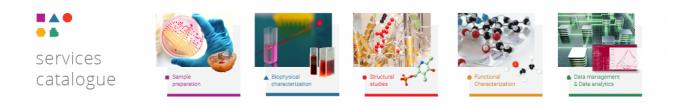
15:15 – 15:30	Inspired- Demokritus University of Thrace
	Aikaterini Katsani, Inspired-DUTh, node coordinator, Assistant Professor, Department of Molecular Biology & Genetics
15:30 – 15:45	Inspired- e-hub "Athena" Research and Innovation Centre
	Yannis Ioannidis Inspired-e-hub-Athena-RC, node coordinator, Professor, Information Management Systems Institute Theodore Dalamagas Inspired-e-hub-Athena-RC, node coordinator, Research Director, Information Management Systems Institute
15:45 – 16:00	Inspired – Centre for Structural Analysis, Agricultural University of Athens
	Elias Eliopoulos Inspired-AUA, node coordinator, Professor, Department of Biotechnology Kostas Bethanis Inspired-AUA, node coordinator, Associate Professor, Department of Biotechnology
16:00 - 16:30	Coffee Break
16:30 – 18:00	Poster session

Day 2	Tuesday, March 14 th 2023
	Plenary lectures and selected examples from nodes /users
10:00 - 10:30	Exploring cellular organization in native cell extracts with cryo-electron microscopy
	Panagiotis Kastritis ERA Chair holder at NHRF and Jr Professor at The Martin Luther University of Halle- Wittenberg, Germany
10:30 – 11:00	The global perspective of collaborative research in Instruct (Integrated Structural Biology) - Case Study: SARS-CoV-2
	Harald Schwalbe Professor, Dr., Instruct-ERIC Director
11:00 – 11:30	Time-resolved structural biology - status and future
	Arwen Pearson Professor, Dr. University of Hamburg, CFEL
11:30 - 12:00	Coffee Break

12:00 - 12:30	Integrating structural methods to understand and combat viruses
	David Stuart Professor, Sir, FRS, FMEdSci, MRC Professor of Structural Biology, Nuffield Department of Medicine, University of Oxford Life Science Director, Diamond Light Source
12:30 – 12:50	Structural studies of carboxypeptidases
	Petros Giastas Assistant Professor, Biotechnology Dept., Agricultural University of Athens
12:50 – 13:10	Application of biophysical methods for the investigation of protein-based nanostructures
	Aristeidis Papagiannopoulos Senior Researcher, Theoretical and Physical Chemistry Institute, NHRF
13:10 – 13:30	OBP-based Reverse Chemical Ecology: Utilizing Inspired Facilities
	Eleni Anna Christodoulou PhD student, Institute of Chemical Biology, NHRF
13:30 – 14:00	Morphological analysis of embryonic structures and structural proteins using transmission and scanning electron microscopy
	Elpida-Niki Emmanouil-Nikoloussi Emeritus Professor, School of Medicine, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki
14:00 - 14:20	Analysis of structure-function relationship of apolipoproteins for the understanding of molecular mechanisms of human diseases
	Angeliki Chroni Research Director, Institute of Biosciences and Applications, NCSR-"Demokritos"
14:20 - 15:15	Lunch Break
15:15 – 16:40	Meeting: Assembly of Inspired-RIs partners
16:40 - 17:00	Coffee Break
17:00 - 18:00	Meeting: Assembly of Inspired-RIs partners (continue)

Day 3	Wednesday, March 15 th 2023
	Selected examples from nodes / users and invited lectures
09:30 – 09:40	Expression in insect cells Konstantinos Meliopoulos MSc Department of Molecular Biology and Genetics, DUTH

09:40 - 09:50	Evaluation of the binding affinity and selectivity between aptamers and small molecule ligands
	George Tsekenis Head of Applied Biophysics and Surface Science Laboratory, Biomedical Research Foundation of the Academy of Athens
09:50 – 10:00	How the metabolic profile of plant leaves may be used as key marker for plant health and improve understanding of structure-function relationships with applications in ecophysiology
	Georgia Tooulakou / Maria Klapa Dr / Head of Metabolic Engineering and Systems Biology Laboratory, FORTH-ICEHT
10:00 – 10:10	NMR Structural biology of SARS-CoV-2 nsP3 proteins
	Nikolaos Fourkiotis PhD student, Department of Pharmacy, University of Patras
10:10 – 10:20	Development of innovative drugs in amyloidosis"
	Georgia Nasi / Vassiliki Iconomidou Dr/Associate Professor, Section of Cell Biology and Biophysics, Department of Biology, NKUA
10:20 - 10:45	Closing remarks
10:45 - 11:00	Coffee
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