



Hour	Speaker	Master	Theme			
09:00				<b>Arrival of Participants</b>		
09:10				<b>Opening Session</b>		
09:30	Inês Faria Alexandre	MQBO	Development of orthogonal synthetic methodologies to obtain cellulose derivatives with differentiated structure and properties			1.1
09:40	Rodrigo Henrique Fernandes Martins	MGBM	The role of peroxisomal function in CO modulation of neuroinflammation			1.2
09:50	Ana Rita Vieira Lourenço Henriques Rodrigues	MBQpS	The Role of Lysosome Exocytosis in Breast Cancer Progression			1.3
10:00	Raquel Ines Oliveira Lourenço da Fonseca	MBQ	Tooth-based forensics and archeological proteomics			1.4 Isa Silva
10:10	André Benegas Pinho Amador	MBT	Converting the problematic CO <sub>2</sub> into valuable products			1.5 (MBQpS); Sara Ganço
10:20			<b>Break (5')</b>			
10:25	Tatiana Pereira Fernandes	MGBM	Neuroprotective role of carboxyhemoglobin against stroke			1.6 (MBQpS)
10:35	Ana Francisca Carvalho de Menezes Duro	MBQpS	Functional characterization of adenosinergic system in the progression of human adipose tissue dysfunction in obesity			1.7
10:45	Madalena de Castro Marques	MBT	Antiviral proteins targeting Influenza A hemagglutinin: design, production and characterization			1.8
10:55	Jéssica Maria Dias Rodrigues	MBCBi	Computational Modeling of Biopharmaceuticals Purification Systems			1.9
11:05			<b>Coffee Break (30')</b>			**
11:35	Vânia Maria Moreira da Rocha <i>(Online)</i>	MBNM	Engineering antifungal peptide-functionalized nanoparticles for managing candidiasis			1.10
11:45	Ana Raquel da Silva Caroço	MGBM	Circadian Molecular Clock in Myeloid Malignancies – a novel therapeutic window?			1.11
11:55	Maria Benedita Ferreira Moço Rodrigues Pereira	MBT	Computational design of next-generation antiviral biologics targeting Zika virus			1.12 Alina
12:05	Tomás Luís Guerra Alves Vieira	MBQ	Exploring the biomedical potential of phenazines against bacterial infections			1.13 Molchanov (MBT);
12:15			<b>Break (5')</b>			
12:20	Eduarda Moraes Rodrigues	MBNM	Bioneedles for tailored pain-free drug delivery			1.14 Ana Rita
12:30	Pedro Filipe Albino Duarte	MBCBi	Disclosing trans-omics signatures of gliomas based on network inference methods			1.15 Silva
12:40	Carla Micaela Veiga Semedo	MGBM	Understanding the importance of two death receptors in the therapeutic resistance of Myeloproliferative Neoplasms			1.16 (MBT)
12:50	Ana Catarina da Silva Santos Mendes Dias	MBQpS	Identification and characterization of novel regulators of mitotic fidelity			1.17
13:00			<b>Lunch Break (1h)</b>			
14:00	Beatriz Carvalho Nobre <i>(Online)</i>	MBNM	Modulation of the oviduct epithelium on DLP printed substrates			1.18
14:10	Carolina Guerra Necá	MBT	Virus like particles as vehicle for the delivery of anticancer therapeutic deep eutectic system			1.19
14:20	Diogo Alexandre Magalhães Rodrigues	MBCBi	Understanding the genetic consequences of spatial processes and life-history traits through spatial simulations			1.20 Carolina
14:30	Bruna Martins Pires	MGBM	How new fat disturbs new neurons			1.21 Videira
14:40	Juliana Esteves Martins	MQBO	Novel Antibody Conjugates for Targeted and Controlled Delivery of Cytotoxic Metal Drugs for Cancer Therapy			1.22 (MGBM); Daniela
14:50			<b>Break (5')</b>			
14:55	Joana Rita Carrulo Inácio	MBQpS	X Chromosome Inactivation in Systemic Lupus Erythematosus			1.23 Tomás
15:05	Alexandre Santos Aires Almeida	MBQ	Uncovering the secrets of Geobacter uranireducens: a study of key players in uranium bioremediation pathway			1.24 (MGBM)
15:15	Pedro Cardoso da Silva	MQBO	NearInfrared dyes as fluorescent sensors for ions			1.25
15:25	Giovanna Due Mesquita Petriccione	MBT	Development of Fluorescent Receptors to Detect and Bind Bacterial Peptidoglycan			1.26
15:35	Andreia Filipa Espanhol Silva	MGBM	Criopreservação de monocamadas de células de queratinócitos em sistemas eutéticos profundos naturais para regeneração da pele			1.27
15:45			<b>Coffee Break (30')</b>			**
16:15	Diogo Batista Inácio	MBNM	Soft Materials based on FucoPol for bioelectronic application			1.28 Ana Rita
16:25	Mariana Rocha Simões Correia da Costa	MBQpS	Tears biofluid screening of potential biomarkers for health clinical diagnosis			1.29 Silva (MBT);
16:35	Mafalda Valente Fernandes	MBQ	Biochemical characterization of proteins involved in extracellular electron transfer in Geobacter sulfurreducens			1.30 Mafalda
16:45	José Pedro Barcelos Melo	MGBM	The Role of Peptidoglycan Hydrolases in The Concealment of Streptococcus Pneumoniae from Host Receptors			1.31 Ventura
16:55	Inês Areias Anjos	MBT	Development of 3D-printed cancer tissues using computer assisted designs (CAD)			1.32 (MBT)
17:05			<b>End of the presentations</b>			

\*\* Manhã: Rayane Albuquerque (MQBO); Carolina Videira (MGBM); Daniela Tomás (MGBM). Tarde: Raquel Pinto (MQBO); Alina Molchanov (MBT)



February 20

Hour	Speaker	Master	Theme	Chair Ref	Alunos 1º ar
<b>09:00</b>					
09:30	Daniela Alexandra Rodrigues Pinto	MGMB	Exploring the crosstalk between STn expression and immune suppressive environment		2.1
09:40	Carolina Pintor Luciano	MBQpS	Mitigation of greenhouse N2O		2.2 Alina
09:50	Joana Silva Cerqueira	MBCBi	Studying the use of Neurofeedback to support Adaptive VR-Serious Games based on Cognitive Load		2.3 Molchanov
10:00	Miguel Pinto Coelho	MBT	Targeted actinomycete isolation from the River Tagus Bay and Sesimbra sediments, taxonomic characterization, and evaluation of antimicrobial potential		2.4 (MBT);
10:10	Pedro Miguel Cruz Vieira	MQBO	Synthesis of DPP Hybrid Dyeredox Mediator System for Energy Conversion		2.5 Mafalda
10:20	<b>Break (5')</b>				Sofia Pauleta
10:25	Isabel Maria Carvalho Torres Pereira	MBQ	Antifouling and antibiofilm actinomycete extracts as additives for marine paints		2.6 (MBT)
10:35	Ana Carolina Frade Soares	MGMB	Exploring the crosstalk between cancer associated O-glycans and immune suppressive environment		2.7
10:45	Rute Alexandra Abrantes Vieira	MBQpS	Detection of Potential Human Health Biomarkers in Saliva		2.8
10:55	Tiago André Duarte Correia	MBT	Targeted actinomycete isolation from the Azores Archipelago sediments, taxonomic characterization, and evaluation of antimicrobial potential		2.9
11:05	<b>Coffee Break (30')</b>				**
11:35	Maria Inês Peixoto Alves Pimenta ( <i>Online</i> )	MGMB	Investigation into the role of PAM in the Hypoxic environment of Rheumatoid Arthritis		2.10
11:45	Maria Gonçalves Vaz	MQBO	Oxidation reactions of chemical compounds derived from biomass through sustainable processes		2.11 Rayane
11:55	Ana Priscila Cachochas Ramos	MBNM	Engineering 3D scaffolds based on thermoresponsive hydrogels and magnetic nanoparticles for localized cancer treatment		2.12 Albuquerque
12:05	Maria Miguel Madeira Cardoso	MBT	Toxicological profile of cellulose nanomaterials in human gastrointestinal cells		2.13 (MQBO); Ana Rita
12:15	<b>Break (5')</b>				Jorge Carvalho Silva
12:20	André Filipe Bruno de Oliveira Tomás dos Santos	MBCBi	Application and development of viral identification tools for metavirome analysis of wastewaters		2.14 Silva
12:30	Jennifer Ramos Duarte	MGMB	A universal platform to assess potency of tumor-reactive CAR cells		2.15 (MBT)
12:40	Catarina Borges Baptista	MBQpS	Development of specialized multicellular 3D-organotypic models to evaluate pathogenic mechanisms in Non-Alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease (NAFLD)		2.16
12:50	Carolina Simões Balbino	MBQ	Investigation of multidrug-resistant enteric bacteria in pigs produced for human consumption – Is there a risk for Public Health?		2.17
13:00	<b>Lunch Break (1h)</b>				
14:00	Alexandre Descalço Gil ( <i>Online</i> )	MBNM	Blood brain barrier permeability studies of novel lipid nanoparticles for the delivery of promising drugs in Alzheimer disease		2.18
14:10	Beatriz Nunes Boloto da Palma Guerreiro	MBT	Hazard characterisation of Alternaria toxins to improve risk assessment for human health		2.19
14:20	Marina Alexandra Carriço Curto	MBQ	Upgrading Adeno-Associated Virus vectors delivery: improving efficiency and vector genome cargo delivery		2.20 Alina
14:30	Ângelo Rafael Rodrigues Correia Braga	MBCBi	Comparative genomics to probe virulence mechanisms and evolution in the coffee pathogen Hemileia vastatrix		2.21 Molchanov
14:40	Inês Ferreira Domingos	MGMB	Phenotypic characterization of the induced senescence cells in a spinal cord injury context		2.22 (MBT); Ana Rita
14:50	<b>Break (5')</b>				Pedro Costa
14:55	Eduardo Elízario de Almeida	MBT	Improving lentiviral vector purification through new structured adsorbents		2.23 Silva
15:05	Lara dos Santos Gonçalves	MBNM	Tackling cancer via combined nanomedicines		2.24 (MBT)
15:15	Ana Sofia Silva Duarte	MBQpS	The Renin-Angiotensin System: a therapeutic target in diabetic retinopathy?		2.25
15:25	Eugenio Grosu	MGMB	Importance of microtubule cytoskeleton structure in oocyte competence		2.26
15:35	<b>Coffee Break (30')</b>				**
16:05	Leonor Miguéns Rijo Macedo Alves ( <i>Online</i> )	MBNM	Development of thermoresponsive scaffolds for controlled and localized drug release		2.27 Carolina
16:15	Maria Alexandra Gomes Lúcio	MQBO	Development of Metal-organic Frameworks as Versatile Materials for Applications in Crystal Structure Determination and Photocatalysis		2.28 Videira
16:25	Bruna Gonçalves de Brito	MBQpS	The role of metabolism in neural stem cells proliferation in development and disease		2.29 (MGMB);
16:35	Tito Miguens Lopes Bouças	MBNM	Thermoresponsive hydrogels as 3D scaffolds to create vascularized tissues for tissue regeneration		2.30 Daniela
16:45	Bruna Maria Carolino Lopes Santos	MBT	Potential of microalgae in waste-to-resource systems		2.31 Tomás
16:55	<b>End of the presentations</b>				(MGMB)

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February 21

Hour	Speaker	Master	Theme	Chair Ref	Alunos 1º ar
<b>09:00 Arrival of Participants</b>					
09:30	André Rafael Ferreira Salgueiro	MBCBi	Artificial Intelligence-Based Design of Antibody-like Engineered Protein Scaffolds		3.1
09:40	Andreia dos Reis Bispo	MGMB	Characterization of virulence proteins of Chlamydia trachomatis		3.2 Isa
09:50	Simão Manuel Oliveira Caracho	MBT	BioNanoSensor for GFAP-antigen: towards point-of-care Traumatic Brain Injury diagnostics		3.3 Silva
10:00	Leonardo Alexandre Pirvu	MQBO	Synthesis of pharmaceutically relevant and undiscovered heterocycles: a bimetallic approach		3.4 (MBQpS);
10:10	Verónica Raissa dos Santos Maciel	MBQpS	Synthetic Approaches and Computational Modeling of Naturally Occurring Phenolic Carbohydrate Esters as Lead Pharmaceuticals		3.5 Sara
10:20	<b>Break (5')</b>				
10:25	Lydia Kerfah	MBNM	Development of Conductive Bioinks for 3D Bioprinting of Cardiac Tissues		3.6 Ganço (MBQpS)
10:35	Cristina Mediavilla Tris Freitas	MGMB	Revolutionizing Stroke Diagnostics with Surface-Enhanced Raman Spectroscopy (SERS) analysis		3.7
10:45	David Jeremy Lohmann	MBCBi	Multi-omics approach to unravel phenotypic responses of tropical fish from the Eastern Tropical Pacific to ocean warming and acidification scenarios		3.8
10:55	Maria Teresa Falcão Barbosa Pereira Rosa	MBT	Nanostructured Bioactive Scaffolds for Musculoskeletal Tissue Engineering		3.9
11:05	<b>Coffee Break (30')</b>				
11:35	Catarina Rosado Correia	MBNM	Using a 3D Cardiac Model Derived from hPSCs to Study Heart Developmental Toxicity		** 3.10
11:45	Nuno Maria Reis Ferreira	MBT	Plasmonic Nanostars for Sensitive SERS-based Traumatic Brain Injury Immunodetection		3.11 Raquel
11:55	Joana de Matos Costa Bryton Marques	MBQ	Bacteriocins as a tool to prevent pneumococcal colonization		3.12 Pinto
12:05	Marta Patrício Reis	MBQpS	Study of oxalate metabolism in chronic intermittent hypoxia conditions		3.13 (MQBO); Rayane
12:15	<b>Break (5')</b>				
12:20	João Duarte Piedade Lopes	MBCBi	Multilayer molecular networks shaping goby fish physiological responses to marine heatwaves in intertidal habitats		3.14 Albuquerque
12:30	Mariana Duarte Pimenta Resende	MBT	Encapsulation of bioactive compounds from Beta vulgaris peels and their application in active films for food packaging		3.15 (MQBO)
12:40	Ana Sofia Martins do Rio	MBQpS	Understanding Streptococcus pneumoniae adaptation to the host for the discovery of novel therapeutic agents		3.16
12:50	Maria Soutilha Gonçalves da Conceição	MGMB	Epigenetic determinants of replication stress regulation		3.17
13:00	<b>Lunch Break (1h)</b>				
14:00	Rui Pedro Santos Silva ( <i>Online</i> )	MBNM	Assessing the Effects of Scaffold Porosity and Geometry on Cell Alignment and Contractile Capacity		3.18
14:10	André Filipe da Silva Sousa	MBT	Halophile microbiota as a source of new biotreatments and strategies: extreme adaptations as biotechnological alternative		3.19 Carolina
14:20	João de Matos Reis Aleixo Montes	MBQ	Pathway-guided monitoring of the disease course in bladder cancer with longitudinal exosome urine proteomics		3.20 Videira
14:30	Carlos Miguel Nunes Vital	MBQpS	Cardiac signaling via EVs derived from CCBE1 human cardioids in response to cardiac injury		3.21 (MGMB);
14:40	Rita Sofia Lourenço Pires	MGMB	Establishing the impact of transition metals on gut microbiota pathogen colonization resistance		3.22 Daniela Tomás
14:50	<b>Break (5')</b>				
14:55	Pedro Miguel Brito de Jesus	MBT	Engineering galactose oxidases for enlarged biotechnological applications		3.23 (MGMB)
15:05	Diogo Miguel Serranito Tibério	MBQpS	DNA methylation profiling of breast cancer cell lines through nanopore		3.24
15:15	Margarida Maria de Raimond Caetano	MBQ	Personalized precision medicine for patients undergoing renal carcinoma based on prescriptomics		3.25
15:25	Samuel Ramos Pereira	MGMB	Variation of venom composition and toxicity in weever fishes (Trachinidae). Implications for biomedicine and biotechnology.		3.26
15:35	<b>Coffee Break (30')</b>				
16:05	Luis Tomás Rodrigues Domingues	MQBO	Exploring the use of deep eutectic solvent as alternative active solvents for the synthesis of pharmaceuticals		** 3.27 Raquel
16:15	Raquel Cristina Teixeira Maricato	MBCBi	Evolution of the minimal stress proteome in marine fauna: potential for adaptation to climate change		3.28 Pinto
16:25	Carolina Ramos Pinta	MBNM	Tissue Engineering of Cardiac Arrhythmic Models for Drug Development		3.29 (MQBO);
16:35	Felipe Martins Azevedo	MBQpS	Development of an injectable hydrogel-DES solution for ocular drug delivery		3.30 Mafalda
16:45	Mariana Mixão Borges	MGMB	O frango como fonte de bactérias zoonóticas multirresistentes para o Homem		3.31 Ventura
16:55	<b>End of the presentations</b>				
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