

## Core Group skype meeting 12.6.2018

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**Participants:** Katja (WG1), Stefanie (WG2), Ales (WG3), Stefan (WG4), David (STSM), Aline & Geraint (WG5), Christophe (Chair)

**Excused:** Laszlo, Célia and Sara

**Budget issue:** The budget is provided in 3 parts: 50% (beginning of Grant period), 35% (after validation of mid-term financial report) and 15% (after validation of financial report of the Grant period).

**Important:** 50% of the budget needs to be spent by end of November 2018.

### **Work Budget plan allocated for the meetings:**

Largest budget: 65 900€ (main meeting, WG1 (Florence), WG4?, Main meeting in Prague, Dissemination meetings e.g. ICAR)

**Main meeting:** Pyramida Hotel in Prague (next to the city center), 24-27th of February, 2019 (60-70 people), Maybe too restricted? Should we have a place with more people? MC:- 25/26 countries (Austria missing; Ortrun can send another lab member).

- Core group vote the possibility to restrict the number of **MC members or substitute to 1 / country**. This will then leave the possibility to have ~26 MC members + 40 invited guest selected on abstract or as invited speakers: please vote at <https://goo.gl/forms/YVbvfB7MyYzjaSn1>
- Action WG leader: propose invited speakers at [https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1jPSRfW665wpvdXz\\_aj0AbDEYF8pp9Xi9lCFyaAKbwjY/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1jPSRfW665wpvdXz_aj0AbDEYF8pp9Xi9lCFyaAKbwjY/edit?usp=sharing)

**Plant Symposium in Madrid:** meeting will be in Madrid (Monday December 9<sup>th</sup>- Wednesday December 11<sup>th</sup> 2019), funded by SEB (**next grant period!**)

Local organizer: Monica Pradillo

9 000 Euros to hire the Medical School for 3 days

- Organize Abstract book printing & financing, registration...to be discussed
- Geraint has listed the proposed speakers in a early draft program [https://docs.google.com/document/d/1bnlCYZrzTc3kyBmiqWo\\_nQsFXo\\_PYs2\\_8hUVBtQOBj5k/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1bnlCYZrzTc3kyBmiqWo_nQsFXo_PYs2_8hUVBtQOBj5k/edit?usp=sharing)
- Each WG leaders propose 1 invited speaker for main meeting in Prague and SEB meeting in Madrid [https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1jPSRfW665wpvdXz\\_aj0AbDEYF8pp9Xi9lCFyaAKbwjY/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1jPSRfW665wpvdXz_aj0AbDEYF8pp9Xi9lCFyaAKbwjY/edit?usp=sharing)

**Dissemination meeting at ICAR:** Geraint & Stefanie

All expenses covered for Stefanie. No fees for Geraint

Many people interested in the workshop, Geraint (WG1 and WG4), Stefanie (WG2, 3), + PhD students from Daniel Schubert Lab.

- Geraint will provide an INDEPTH poster: To be printed by Christophe also for the SEB meeting.

#### **WG1 workshop in Florence:**

- **Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July** morning before the start of the special interest group “Functional organization of the Nuclear Periphery” organize by Katja at the SEB meeting

#### **WG4 workshop:**

Proposal from Bjoern, Hi-C through Galaxy; end of November is too late regarding the mid-term financial report. Christophe has proposed to Postpone it to the next grant period

- Organize a “Galaxy” training school between May and October 2019

Two other alternatives discussed, one retained:

- **First option (not selected):** Christophe proposes to invite people from OMERO, Icy or other providers of solutions for integrative analysis (EBI group) to discuss the current developments...
- **Second option (selected):** Stefan Grob proposes to do a Hi-C workshop in Zurich (using Galaxy tools for the analysis) for people with some knowledge in bioinformatics analysis, before the end of October. Call should be launch as soon as possible (Célia, Christophe and Claire can help). Budget ~6000€.

**ITC Conference grants** (~2 700 Euros), 2 ITC grants, to be announced only to the ITC country members, need to have a list of ITC countries,

- David will take care of this.

**Training school in Clermont-Ferrand**, October 15th-19th - 5 days in Clermont-Ferrand. Budget is ~15 000 Euros

Trainers: Hank Bass, Stefanie Rosa, Paul Fransz and Sophie Desset  
+ Celia, Monica as speakers,

Dedicated to FISH (root tips, whole mount, acrylamide embedded protocol).

Expectation 12 trainees;

Select labs affiliated to the action in priority, respect gender balance,

- Christophe prepares the announcement + registration website
- Geraint put on the Website.

#### **Publications:**

Budget is ~5 640 Euros:

3 publications expected (WG1, WG2 and WG3);

**JCS:** (Action from previous Grant period) meeting report accepted, just received proofs! Thanks Geraint for all the writing and editing!

**WG1 (Katja):** not much progress at the moment, but 3 people volunteered, skype should be put together in the next couple of weeks; small opinion / review paper:

Susan Duncan (automated image analysis), Christophe (NucleusJ) - could be published also in *Nucleus* (but they do not want any payment) - if not yet published in Nucleus (print only in 2019). To be involved: Tao Dumur, Celia, Dimiter  
Deliverable in the MoU: **November 2018**

**WG2 (Stefanie):** Nuclear domains could be put before,  
Deliverable in the MoU: **May 2019**

**WG3 (Ales):** challenge: very heterogenous model organisms; contrasting Arabidopsis with other organisms, e.g. differences in meiosis, pollen development, seed (gametogenesis), how do we analyze/modify genome (method of choice), relevant papers already collected  
Maybe also option Nucleus? Title and author list for Nucleus? Alternatives: New Phytologist (IF > 7); Plant Journal...etc  
Deliverable in the MoU: **May 2019**  
STSM maybe possibility to do one more

### **STSM application:**

Budget ~15000€

7 STSM applications received. All OK except for Zeeshan

No new call yet, but check with people who already contacted Laszlo and David

- David will send the negative answer to Zeeshan,
- Claire should send the acceptance letter.
- Claire will get in contact with the different people.

### **New NNC/ITC workgroup**

Possibility to have a WG for the ITC/NNC lead by Ahmet Tek (Turkey)

COST rules changed for the future COST: for new COST: there must be 50% ITC countries in the application. It would be good to have such a group within INDEPTH.

### **Management tool software**

Celia will make a point of Asana later on.