

# Genetics in the Mediterranean Area

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9:30-17:00

Parco POLARIS  
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Registration 9.15

Welcome introduction by Sardegna Ricerche 9.40

Opening and welcome 9.45

*Patricia Rodriguez-Tomé, Sardegna*

Genetics of Type 1 and atypical diabetes, 10.00

*Cécile Julier, France*

Towards a Linguistics of the Mediterranean area, 10.30

*Immacolata Pinto, Sardegna*

Coffee break 11.00

Multiple Sclerosis Genetics in Sardinia, 11.15

*Eleonora Cocco, Sardegna*

Disease Gene Hunt in Turkey, 11.45

*Asli Tolun, Turkey*

Athenian civic Identity: the rhetoric of the purity of the blood, 12.15

*Elisabetta Poddighe, Sardegna*

Lunch 12.45

Molecular investigation of genetic disorders in Tunisia. current situation and perspectives, 14.15

*Sonia Abdelhak, Tunisia*

Information content of connections determines network topology: the case of 14.45

transcriptional gene regulatory networks and outlook of microRNA,

*Ayşe Erzan, Turkey*

Q&A and discussions 15.15

Scientific Café in Polaris Library 16.00

This workshop is open to all - registration is not necessary. All talks will be in English.

Sardinia is a perfect place for a multidisciplinary encounter on the genetic characteristics of the Mediterranean populations. Scientists from different research areas will talk not only about inherited diseases, genes and DNA, but also about history and linguistics, in a discussion oriented towards exchanges and future collaborations.

