

Programme of the

35th Public MMPU Research Day

Thursday, 15 October 2026, 13:00 – 17:00

UKHD, INF 410, Lecture Hall

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| 13:00 | Coordinated use of life course and population-based data: Opportunities for complex health outcomes
Nicholas Timpson – Bristol Medical School, guest and scientific advisor of the MMPU |
| 13:40 | Characterizing the ECM in Glioma: From Normal Brain to Tumor
Tom Kuhn – MMPU Group ECM Brain |
| 14:05 | Collective sensing and decision-making
Isabella Graf – EMBL, guest of MMPU |
| 14:35 | Gut Microbiota-Derived Indole Metabolites Enhance the Antineoplastic Effect of Multi-Kinase Inhibitors in Colorectal Cancer
Xiaoxi Feng – MMPU Group Microbiota Drug Metabolism and Cancer Therapy (MDMC) |
| 15:00 Coffee break | |
| 15:30 | The brainless escape from heat of Hydra
Roberto Montanari – MMPU Group Chronic Pain and Homeostasis (CPH) |
| 15:55 | Applying patient derived xenograft models to uncover novel therapeutic targets in acute myeloid leukemia
Binje Vick – MMPU Group Molecular Pediatric Oncology (MPO) |
| 16:20 | Iron-driven pancreatic failure: a lysosomal story
Marlène Le Tertre – MMPU Group Iron Homeostasis (IH) |
| 16:45 | Epitranscriptomic patterns determine metastasis risk in lung adenocarcinoma
Cornelius Pauli – MMPU Group Systems Biology of Cancer Treatment Response (SBCR) |
| 17:10 | End of the 35th Public MMPU Research Day |

The event is free to attend but registration is required.

Please simply write to info@mmpu.de and send your contact details to register no later than October 8, 2026.

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