

EMBL Alumni Iberic Chapter Reunion
October 7 2005, CRG Auditorium, Barcelona

Program

10:25 Welcome by CRG Director Miguel Beato

10:30 Research Seminar by Angus I. Lamond
Chair of the EMBL Alumni Association
Wellcome Trust Biocentre, University of Dundee
"Nuclear Dynamics: a quantitative view of the protein flux through subnuclear organelles"

12:00 Research Seminar by Peter B. Becker
EMBL alumnus
Adolf-Butenandt-Institut-Molekularbiologie, Ludwig-Maximilians-University, Munich
"Dosage compensation in Drosophila: Mechanism, Models, Mystery"

13:30 Sandwiches and drinks at CRG Foyer

14:30 Meeting of EMBL Alumni

Why the EMBL Alumni Association?	Angus Lamond
Iberic Alumni statistics, local chapters activities	Sarah Sherwood
Iberic chapter organization	Juan Valcárcel

Open discussion, suggested topics:

- what would you like the alumni association to do for you ?
- what can you contribute to the alumni association ?
- what issues affect the most to alumni returning to Spain ?
- web page
- networking
- lobbying
- interactions with EMBL
- etc.

16:30 Coffee break

17:00 Meeting of EMBL Alumni (continued)
Getting organized

19:00 Lecture by Prof. Andreu Mas-Colell
Former *Conseller* for Universities, Research and Information Society of the
Catalonian government
Professor of Economics at the Universitat Pompeu Fabra
"Is basic science an economically profitable activity?"

21:00 Dinner at a restaurant nearby CRG