



CBA SEMINARS I and II 2013/ 2014

The executive committee is organizing two CBA Seminars, I (1^o semester) and II (2nd semester) that take place during 2013/ 2014. These seminars are thought mainly for students enrolling in their first PhD year of the Doctoral programmes in Biology (FCUL) or Biodiversity, Genetics and Evolution, corresponding to 6 ECTS in each semester. They can thus be a part of the 1st year curriculum of their PhD programmes.

The seminars are also of high interest to other post-graduate students (e.g doing master studies in a Biology area, or at a more advanced year in the PhD programme, or BTI and BI researchers). The seminars are free.

Seminar I has been cancelled.

To inscribe in CBA Seminar II please send an email to Margarida Matos, mmatos@fc.ul.pt, with a short motivation letter and cv until January 31, 2014.

PROGRAMME

CBA Seminar II is composed of a weekly session of 1h30 during 15 weeks. The students also have to attend the Scientia meetings and CBA conferences.

The sessions are in general organized in several slots of 3, each slot promoted by one CBA group, with the following format:

1st session: discussion of a classic or review paper

2nd session: discussion of a recent paper with co-authorship not involving CBA members

3rd session: discussion of a paper written by members of CBA of the group responsible for the corresponding slot of sessions, that may be presented by one of the students doing the seminar

With such a programme, the students that attend the seminars will have the opportunity to better know the research that is being developed in CBA, brainstorm around a diversity of topics and gain acquaintance with CBA members and other students.

CBA Seminar II involves two coordinators, Margarida Matos and Sara Magalhães.

Schedule: Wednesdays, 10h00-11h30 (room 2.2.22, C2 Building, FCUL)

Calendar: Seminar II: February 12 2014– May 28 2014 (15 sessions)

The specific programme, ie the calendar of the sessions relative to the corresponding CBA teams will be presented on the first day of the Seminar.

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