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**MARDI 7 JUILLET MATIN  
TUESDAY JULY 7, MORNING**

**8h30** *Welcome*

**9h** *Welcome addresses*

Jean-François BACH, Secrétaire perpétuel of the French Academy of Sciences  
Ruth ARNON, President of the Israel Academy of Sciences and Humanities  
Yosef SHILOH, Israeli Co-President of the meeting  
Moshe OREN, Israeli Co-President of the meeting  
Geneviève ALMOUZNI, French Co-President of the meeting  
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**SESSION I: CHROMATIN IN DEVELOPMENT AND STEM CELLS.**

**CHAIR: MARGARET BUCKINGHAM, PASTEUR INSTITUTE, PARIS**

**9h30** **Howard Cedar**, *the Hebrew University Medical School, Jerusalem*  
*DNA Methylation in Pre and Post Natal Development*

**10h** **Edith Heard**, *Curie Institute, Paris*  
*Chromosome and Chromatin Dynamics during X-Chromosome Inactivation*

**10h30:** coffee break

**11h** **Yehudit Bergman**, *the Hebrew University Medical School, Jerusalem*  
*Epigenetic Programming of Cell Fate Decisions*

**11h30** **Saadi Khochbin**, *Albert Bonniot Institute, Grenoble*  
*Molecular Basis of Haploid Male Genome Programming*

**12h** **Eran Meshorer**, *the Hebrew University, Jerusalem*  
*Novel Chromatin Regulators of Pluripotent Stem Cells*

**12h30** pause déjeuner



**MARDI 7 JUILLET, APRES-MIDI  
TUESDAY JULY 7, AFTERNOON**

**SESSION II : EPIGENETICS AND TRANSCRIPTION.**

**CHAIR: GENEVIÈVE ALMOUZNI, CURIE INSTITUTE, PARIS**

**14h Maria Elena Torres-Padilla, Institute of Genetics, Molecular and Cellular Biology (IGBMC), Illkirch**

*Epigenetic Mechanisms in Early Mammalian Development*

**14h30 Giacomo Cavalli, Institute of Human Genetics, Montpellier**

*Polycomb Proteins and Epigenetic Inheritance of Chromatin States*

**15h Anne Dejean, Pasteur Institute, Paris**

*Chromatin Functions for SUMO*

**15h30: coffee break**

**16h Gil Ast, Tel Aviv University**

*How Chromatin Organization and Epigenetics Talk with Alternative Splicing?*

**16h30 Yaron Shav-Tal, Bar-Ilan University, Ramat-Gan**

*Dynamics of Gene Expression in Real-Time Measured on Single Genes  
in Single Living Cells*

**17h Conclusion of the day**



MERCREDI 8 JUILLET, MATIN  
WEDNESDAY JULY 8, MORNING

**8h30** Welcome

**SESSION III: DNA REPLICATION AND REPAIR.**  
**CHAIR: MOSHE YANIV, PASTEUR INSTITUTE, PARIS**

**9h** **Marcel Méchali, Institute of Human Genetics, Montpellier**  
*Genetic Features and Chromatin Environment Shape Mammalian Replication Origins*

**9h30** **Naama Barkai, the Weizmann Institute of Science, Rehovot**  
*Chromatin Dynamics During DNA Replication*

**10h** **Marta Radman-Livaja, Institute of Molecular Genetics, Montpellier**  
*A Timeline of Nucleosome Re-Positioning Dynamics after DNA Replication*

**10h30 coffee break**

**11h** **Geneviève Almouzni, Curie Institute, Paris**  
*Histone Chaperones, Architects Involved in Organizing Chromatin*

**11h30** **Yosef Shiloh, Tel Aviv University**  
*The ATM-Mediated DNA Damage Response: Overcoming the Chromatin Barrier*

**12h** **Jean-Marc Egly, Institute of Genetics, Molecular and Cellular Biology (IGBMC), Illkirch**  
*Transcription Factors Recruitment and Chromatin Remodeling*

**12h30:** pause déjeuner



**MERCREDI 8 JUILLET, APRÈS-MIDI  
WEDNESDAY JULY 8, AFTERNOON**

**SESSION IV: CHROMATIN AND CANCER.**

**CHAIR: DANIEL LOUVARD, CURIE INSTITUTE, PARIS**

**14h Pascale Cossart, Pasteur Institute, Paris**

*Chromatin Remodeling and Bacterial Infections : Insights from Listeria*

**14h30 Batsheva Kerem, the Hebrew University, Jerusalem**

*The Different Layers Determining DNA Instability in Cancer*

**15h Nabieh Ayoub, Technion – Israel Institute of Technology, Haifa**

*From Chromatin to Cancer: Studying the Biology of Histone Demethylation*

**15h30 Moshe Oren, the Weizmann Institute of Science, Rehovot**

*RNF20 and H2Bub1: Linking Chromatin Modifications with Inflammation and Cancer*

**16h – 16h30 concluding remarks**

**Closing cocktail**