



PRE-ANNOUNCEMENT

Q-EBRA WORKSHOP ON ROBUST EVIDENCE IN TRANSLATIONAL BIOMEDICINE

DATES

In order to be able to address the needs of participants at different stages of their careers in a better way, we can only offer a limited number of places for participants.

Therefore, we offer two different dates for the workshop.

The content and structure of both events will be similar, but adapted to the needs of the respective target group:

October 28th – 29th, 2021

For early career researchers (ECRs): PostDocs (with or without an own project)

November 11th – 12th, 2021

For experienced researchers: PostDocs or principal investigators (PIs) with own projects

VENUE

**Currently planned as presence event at the
BIH QUEST Center – Charité University Hospital in Berlin, Germany**
(<https://www.bihealth.org/en/translation/innovation-enabler/quest-center/>)

*Depending on the health regulations due to the pandemic, it could be held as virtual event.
This will be confirmed in due course.*

REGISTRATION

If you are interested in participating, please register [here](#)

QUESTIONS?

*If you are interested and / or have questions, please contact Dr. Hella Lichtenberg, 0049 228
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PRELIMINARY AGENDA

(Scheduled times are approximately times. Break times are not shown.)

Wednesday, October 27th, 2021; Wednesday, November 10th, 2021

- 16:00 – 17:00 Arrival and Registration
17:00 – 19:00 Welcome and Introductory talk
Introduction of participants
19:00 – 21:00 Get together dinner

Thursday, October 28th, 2021; Thursday, November 11th, 2021

- 8:30 – 9:00 Registration
9:00 – 13:00 **Plenary session:** Welcome – Rationale of workshop: why robust evidence?
- *Talks on aspects contributing to robust evidence in translational biomedicine
- Presentation of projects (each project approx. 5 minutes; further details and master slides will be provided).
13:00 – 14:00 Lunch
14:00 – 18:00 **Plenary session:** *Talks on aspects contributing to robust evidence in translational biomedicine
****Discussion in small working groups**, regarding topics in relation to your projects
Plenary session: Summary of discussion in small working groups
18:00 – 20:00 Dinner

Friday, October 29th, 2021; Friday, November 12th, 2021

- 9:00 – 13:00 **Plenary session**
- Presentation of PREMOS cluster (tbc)
- *Talks on aspects contributing to robust evidence in translational biomedicine
****Discussion in small working groups**, regarding topics exposed during the talks, interactive consultancy
Plenary session: Summary of discussion in small working groups
13:00 – 14:00 Lunch
14:00 – 16:30 **Plenary session:** *Talks on aspects contributing to robust evidence in translational biomedicine
****Discussion in small working groups**, regarding topics exposed during the talks
Plenary session: Summary of discussion in small working groups
Summary of workshop and Farewell

Explanatory notes

***Talks on aspects contributing to robust evidence** will include i.e. internal, external, and translational validity; reliability; study design; avoidance of bias; sample size calculation; statistical analysis; pre-registration; etc. Exact content of talks will be confirmed later.

****Discussion in small working groups:** With approx. 4 projects per group. Discussion and opportunity for counselling regarding topics exposed during the talks, in general and related to each project.