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Thursdays
at noon*

*Exceptions are marked accordingly

CeMESS Lecture Series

summer 2023 edition



Thursday, 23rd of March 2023

Time: 12 pm (noon)

hybrid: on-site (HS 2 UBB) & Zoom

Shaul Pollak, Junior Research
Group Leader, CeMESS, University
of Vienna, Austria

Combining machine-learning, ecological theory,
and experiments to study bacterial interactions
across scales



Thursday, 11th of May 2023

Time: **4:30 pm**

online via Zoom

Kim Parker

Assistant Professor, Washington
University in St. Louis, USA

Abiotic RNA Hydrolysis in the Environment: Implications
for the Environmental Fate of Emerging RNA
Interference Biopesticides



Thursday, 13th of April 2023

Time: 12 pm (noon)

hybrid: on-site (HS 2 UBB) & Zoom

Matthias Fischer

Research Group Leader, MPI for Me-
dical Research, Heidelberg, Germany

Diversity and ecological interactions of giant viruses



Thursday, 15th of June 2023

Time: 12 pm (noon)

hybrid: on-site (HS 2 UBB) & Zoom

Dan Distel, Director of the Ocean
Genome Legacy Center, Professor
at Northeastern University, USA

Marine symbioses fueled by wood



Thursday, 4th of May 2023

Time: 12 pm (noon)

hybrid: on-site (HS 2 UBB) & Zoom

Ashish Malik

Lecturer in Biogeochemistry,
University of Aberdeen, UK

Microbial trait-based scaling from single populations
to communities with consequences for ecosystem
processes



Thursday, 29th of June 2023

Time: **3 pm**

hybrid: on-site (HS 2 UBB) & Zoom

Karoline Faust

Associate Professor, Microbial Sys-
tems Biology, KU Leuven, Belgium

Top down and bottom up exploration of human gut
microbial communities



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