

3R Centre Finland

Zoom Meeting 01st April, 2022

Present: Dario Greco, Hanna-Marja Voipio, Tuula Heinonen, Mikko Airavaara, Tarja Toimela

Agenda:

finalizing the things discussed 11.3.2022

-advisors for 2022

-selection of new directors and advisors

-launch-up meeting

Advisor selection

Dario's advisors:

- **Prof. Paolo Netti.** Professor of bioengineering, director of the Italian institute of technology (IIT).
- **Dr. Tommaso Serchi.** Tommaso is principal investigator at the Luxemburg Institute of Science and Technology (LIST).
- Third candidate is open at the moment

Tuula's advisors for replacement:

- **Tiina Palomäki**, Ph.D., Senior Researcher, FIMEA.
- **Andreas Scherer**, Ph.D., Project coordinator, FIMM; Finnish Reproducibility Network (FIRN), co-founder, Founder/CEO of « Spheromics.
- **Minna Kellomäki**, professor, Ph.D. (tech), Head of Body-on-Chip Center of Excellence.

Hanna-Marja's advisors for refinement:

- **Vootele Voikar**, Docent in Neuroscience, MD, PhD (Physiology), University of Helsinki.
- **Laura Hänninen**, Docent, DVM (PhD), Clinical instructor, Dip ECAWBM-WSEL, Faculty of veterinary medicine, University of Helsinki.
- **Johanna Holappa**, M.Sc. in Biochemistry, Ph.D., Orionpharma

Mikko's advisors for reduction:

- **Satu Kuure.** Development biologist, the head of GM unit at UH.
- **Laura Elo.** Turku, expert in biostatics
- **Reetta Hinttala.** Expert in gene modified animals, and CRISPR, University of Oulu

Choosing of new directors

- open call for all at latest 31.8., final draft 15.6.
- the board chooses new directors
- 3-year terms, max 2x

- applicants are asked to supply CV, letter of motivation, pragmatic plan (with visions and ideas), academic excellence is valued
- director could propose their advisors at the same time when they apply
- advisors can apply to be directors
- director can continue one term as advisor to help the new director after directorship has ended
- director call after the August replacement seminar, selection process in September-November, final decisions in December
- directors preferably should be professionally active in Finland
- role of TOKES- chairperson of advisory board comes from TOKES -coordination-dissemination
- advertising: TOKES, Ella, Finlas, Pharmacological and Toxicological Societies etc

Launch event

- will be held on 3rd June at 10 -12
- virtual event

Program:

- Introduction of FIN 3R: 15-20 min
- From each Rs one presentation about where their R is going (eg. advisory member can keep) 20 min + 10 min discussion

Activities of the Rs

Replacement:

- seminar after 15th August
- topics for webinars will be chosen there

Refinement:

- 3 webinars with international speakers- earliest in August
- workshop with lab animal people

Reduction:

- reduction symposium together with doctoral programs in fall
- 3-day event
- general topics -advanced methods- specific subjects-power analysis workshop

New personnel

Anna Vallius (anna.vallius@tuni.fi).

- Helps with seminar organisation and reservations

Matias Partanen (matias.partanentuni.fi).

- Matias started 01.04.
- maintains Twitter and LinkedIn accounts- everybody is responsible for content
- helps in organization of webinars and information sharing

Mixed things

- next year 10% of Dario's salary comes from FIN3R (TUNI dean accepted)
- TOKES has not chosen their chair for FIN3R, it will be discussed in the next TOKES meeting 19.4. at 12:30
- Please start collecting list of active projects in 3R topics to be included on web page (the template has been sent by Tarja)- early career students- technicians: advanced techniques
- Nordic webinar (Adrian Smith) doodle poll: ok times for at least one board person: 26.-27.10; 02.-03.11; 21.-24.11; 07-08.12

1st board meeting will be 20th May 2022 at 13:30-15:30