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Welcome to IBEC's seventh annual symposium

This year the theme will be one of IBEC's three areas of application, 'Bioengineering for Future Medicine'. The future of medicine will mean personalized medicine, hand-held diagnostic platforms, wearable monitoring devices, and other technological advances to make healthcare more effective, cheaper and more convenient.

The symposium is our yearly opportunity to publicly present our research and showcase some of the achievements of the international experts in our main fields of interest. In addition to the main talks, attendees can enjoy the flash presentations from our young researchers and PhD students, as well as the poster sessions.

Along with the networking opportunities offered by the coffee and lunch breaks, the symposium promises an unrivaled opportunity to review the state-of-the-art in bioengineering and nanomedicine and promote multidisciplinary discussions.

Enjoy the symposium!

Josep Samitier
Director of IBEC

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Information for participants

Information Desk

The conference registration and information desk will be located in the main reception hall of the VERTEX building Auditorium. It will be staffed from 08:30 to 17:30 on Monday 29th September.

Badges

Each registered participant will receive a name badge. For security reasons, the badge must be clearly exhibited in order to access the congress area during all scientific and social events. Replacements for lost badges will be available from the registration desk.

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Speakers and those participants giving flash presentations should take their presentation(s) to the reception desk during the coffee or lunch break before their session. Those who are speaking in the first session in the morning should go to the desk at least 15 minutes before the start of the day's programme.

Poster sessions

Posters should be hung during registration between 08:30 and 09:00 on Monday 29th September. Please refer to the information board in the registration area or this book to check which board number has been allocated to you.

Posters can remain on display throughout the conference and should be removed between 17:30 and 18:00. Any posters remaining after the indicated time will be removed by the organizers, who accept no responsibility for loss or damage.

Poster sessions will take place during the coffee and lunch breaks.

Certificate of attendance

If you wish to have a Certificate of Attendance, you can request one from the Secretariat at symposium@ibecbarcelona.eu.

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Microfluidics for cancer detection & diagnosis. From bench to bedside

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Exploring the mechanical link between cells and the extracellular matrix

14:50 - 15:20 Flash poster presentations III. ICT for Health Session

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Tumor cell dynamics in metastatic disease

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Keynote Lectures

Monday, 29th September 9:30

IBEC Evolution and Scientific highlights

Josep Samitier

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Technical University of Catalonia (UPC), Barcelona, Spain

The outstanding results obtained by our researchers, as well as the efforts, enthusiasm and involvement of our support staff, made what could have been a very difficult year into a resounding success. The continuing political and economic challenges faced by the whole country barely made a mark on IBEC's spirit, as scientists and staff alike stepped up with an even greater level of involvement and dedication to achieve excellent results.

In 2013 we celebrated four Nature group papers, including a Nature Materials cover; 76 papers, 68% of the in the first quartile; 4 new patents; 11 PhD theses, another ERC grant in the shape of a Proof of Concept award for one group leader, who was already the holder of a Starting Grant.

Some of the scientific highlights of 2013 and the beginning of 2014 have included a pioneering breakthrough in the design of drugs controlled by light, when a collaboration with our neighbours the IRB resulted in the first photo-switchable molecules to control protein-protein interactions in a remote and non-invasive manner

The new strategic plan by IBEC was drawn up within the organisation on the basis of a clear overview of what our stakeholders (scientists, business, authorities and society as a whole) need and expect. It sets out to be a tool for the development and consolidation of IBEC as a top-class research centre. To achieve this goal we must focus and orient our efforts in the areas in which we believe we can improve and which will enable us to achieve sustained growth for our research centre.

I would like to end on an optimistic note, in the confidence that despite the restrictive budget environment IBEC has the capacity to take a role within some of these trends: to write many success stories on healthcare technology, nanomedicine and regenerative medicine, in the spheres of science, technology and innovation.



Prof. Josep Samitier

Prof. Josep Samitier is Director of IBEC and Full Professor in the Physics Faculty (Electronic Dep.) University of Barcelona. From March 2001 to June 2005 Prof. Samitier was Deputy Head of the Barcelona Science Park (PCB). From February 1984 to June 1985 he was visiting research fellow at the Philips Electronic Laboratory, Paris, France. Prof. Samitier is the coordinator of the Spanish Platform on Nanomedicine. He received the Barcelona city Prize for the 2003 of the Barcelona Council in the area of technology.

Monday, 29th September 11:50

Microfluidics for Cancer Detection & Diagnosis – From Bench to Bedside

Chwee Teck Lim

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The presence and number of Circulating Tumor Cells (CTCs) in bloodstream of patients with epithelial cancers is an important intermediate step in cancer metastasis and is often associated with disease stage. As compared to obtaining tissue biopsy which is often challenging and invasive, “liquid biopsy” for CTCs detection can be carried out in patients due to accessibility and ease of collection during a routine blood draw. These CTCs in peripheral blood are showing their potential uses for early detection, diagnosis, prognosis and personalized treatment. Here, we demonstrate several effective methods of isolating CTCs by utilizing the unique differences in size and deformability of cancer cells from that of blood cells. By exploiting the fluid dynamics in specially designed microfiltration and spiral inertial microfluidics chips, CTCs which are generally stiffer and larger are physically separated from the more deformable and smaller blood constituents. Using this approach, we are able to retrieve intact and viable CTCs. With blood specimens from cancer patients, we demonstrated successful detection, isolation and retrieval of viable CTCs. These CTCs will aid in detecting the malignancy as well as determining their genotypic expressions and mutations. The microfluidic biochips have been commercialized and are undergoing tests around the world.



Prof. Chwee Teck Lim

Prof. Chwee Teck Lim is Provost's Chair Professor, Department of Biomedical Engineering & Department of Mechanical Engineering, National University of Singapore.

Professor Lim is currently a Provost's Chair Professor at the National University of Singapore. He is also a Principal Investigator at the Mechanobiology Institute as well as a Faculty Fellow of the Singapore-MIT Alliance for Research & Technology. He is founding member of the Department of Biomedical Engineering and the university's Nanoscience and Nanotechnology Initiative. Prof Lim's research interests include cell and molecular biomechanics, mechanobiology of human diseases as well as development of microfluidic diagnostics.

Prof Lim has authored more than 235 peer-reviewed journal articles (including 35 invited/review articles and 15 ISI highly cited papers), 24 book chapters and delivered more than 230 invited talks. He has also won several research awards and honors including the University's Outstanding Researcher Award, the Credit Suisse Technopreneur of the Year Award 2012, Wall Street Journal Asian Innovation Award 2012 (Gold), TechVenture Most Disruptive Innovation Award 2012, Asian Entrepreneurship Award 2012 (First Prize), TechVenture Rising Star Innovator Award 2011, President's Technology Award 2011 and the IES Prestigious Engineering Achievement Award 2010. He is currently editorial board member of 12 international journals. He has co-founded 4 start-up companies that exploit inventions that he has developed in his lab. His research was cited by MIT Technology Review as one of the top ten emerging technologies of 2006 that will "have a significant impact on business, medicine or culture".

Monday, 29th September 14:15

Exploring the mechanical link between cells and the extracellular matrix

Pere Roca-Cusachs

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University of Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain

Cell proliferation and differentiation, as well as key processes in development, tumorigenesis, and wound healing, are determined by mechanical stimuli transmitted between cells and their environment. However, how those stimuli are detected and regulated by cells remains largely unknown. One of the main types of structures transmitting mechanical forces to cells is that of integrin-based cell adhesions, which connect extracellular matrix proteins to the cell cytoskeleton through the transmembrane molecules integrins and different adaptor proteins. To study this system, we combine molecular biology techniques to target specific proteins, biophysical techniques to exert and measure forces in adhesion sites, and theoretical modelling. We employ this approach to dissect the molecular mechanisms by which cells withstand, detect, and transmit forces, and respond to tissue rigidity. In this talk, I will explain our findings showing that different integrins are adapted to sensing versus resisting forces, and that the adaptor molecules talin and α -actinin respectively detect and transmit forces through different mechanisms. Further, I will explain how cells use the binding dynamics between integrins and the extracellular matrix to detect matrix rigidity, and the implications that this has in cancer. Finally, I will show recent findings explaining how mechanical signals are integrated by an often forgotten player – the plasma membrane.



Dr. Pere Roca-Cusachs

Dr. Pere Roca-Cusachs obtained his PhD in cellular biophysics in 2007 from the Medical School at the university of Barcelona. He then worked in the lab of Prof. Michael Sheetz (Department of Biological Sciences, Columbia University) as a post-doctoral researcher until 2011. In 2011, He joined the University of Barcelona as a tenure-track lecturer. In 2012, he obtained a position as junior group leader at IBEC. His research focuses on unraveling the physical and molecular mechanisms by which cells detect and respond to mechanical force.

Monday, 29th September 16:00

Instructive Biomaterials as Signal releasing Platforms

Elisabeth Engel

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The field of tissue engineering has made steady progress in translating various tissue applications. Although the classical tissue engineering strategy - which involves the use of culture-expanded cells and scaffolds to produce a tissue construct for implantation - has been validated, this approach involves extensive cell expansion steps, requiring a lot of time and laborious effort before implantation. To bypass this *ex vivo* process, a new approach has been introduced: *in situ* tissue regeneration uses the body's own regenerating capacity by mobilizing host endogenous stem cells or tissue-specific progenitor cells to the site of the injury. This approach relies on development of a target-specific biomaterial scaffolding system that can effectively control the host microenvironment and mobilize host stem/progenitor cells to target tissues. An appropriate microenvironment provided by implanted scaffolds would facilitate recruitment of host cells that can be guided to regenerating structural and functional tissues.

Nowadays there is a wide range of biomaterials and processing techniques that have allowed the fabrication of scaffolds available for numerous applications in regenerative medicine. However, in general, available synthetic materials lack of appropriate signals for stimulating cells events such as adhesion, migration and differentiation into the desired cell lineage. This limitation is currently overcome by the incorporation of various morphogens and growth factors into the scaffolds in order to activate a specific cell behavior. The addition of biological molecules, which its clinical effect is still under discussion is another factor that hampers the arrival of these treatments to the patients.

Despite considerable advances in the understanding of physical and chemical material properties, only few so-called smart biomaterials have found their way into clinical application so far.

Nanostructured biomaterials have been developed in our lab to be instructive in order to effectively combine two features that in our experience actively participate in the regeneration of the damaged tissue and respond and react to stimuli from its environment: bioactivity and biodegradability. Bioactive materials are required in order to recruit cells and to stimulate their migration, growth and differentiation towards each specific tissue. Biodegradable materials are crucial to provide the structural support and the chemical cues to activate the regeneration process, while combining their gradual biodegradation into non-toxic products with the progressive release of the signals needed to guide the tissue repair. These bioactive and biodegradable materials should end up totally replaced by the natural regenerated tissue.



Dr. Elisabeth Engel

Dr. Elisabeth Engel completed her doctorate in 2003, at the Institut Municipal d'Investigació Mèdica (IMIM) in the field of Medicine. During her postdoctoral stage in the UPC (since 2002) she set up the biology lab for tissue engineering and regenerative medicine. In 2007 she became Lecturer of the Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya (UPC), in the group of Dr. Josep A. Planell, where she worked as a senior researcher in the development and evaluation of new biomaterials to promote angiogenesis, and in 2010 she became associate professor.

On May of 2012 she became Junior Group Leader of the 'Biomaterials for regenerative therapies group' at the Institute for Bioengineering of Catalonia (IBEC). Currently, its dual linkage to UPC and IBEC (defined in the framework of a cooperation agreement) allows her to perform both research and education/training activities.

The 'Biomaterials for regenerative therapies' group is a multidisciplinary research group focussing its research activities on the development and application of new biomaterials that will stimulate cell colonization and differentiation to promote tissue repair and regeneration. The areas of application are skin, nervous tissue, bone, tendons and vascularization.

Tumor Cell Dynamics in Metastatic Disease

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Microfluidics are increasingly utilized to model in vivo processes in a variety of pathological conditions. Several applications in connection with various stages of metastatic cancer will be addressed.

Role of macrophages on tumor cell migration. We have quantitatively analyzed the effects on tumor cell migration of macrophages polarized into the various subtypes. We found that, while all activated macrophages enhance tumor cell migration, different sub-types (M1 vs. M2) influence migration in distinctly different ways, one affecting the speed and the other the directedness of migration. Current studies are examining the molecular basis for this response. Other experiments are investigating the role of interstitial flow on macrophage migration. We had found earlier that tumor cells migrate upstream against the flow, either when cell density is high, or the CCR7 receptor is blocked. Our new results demonstrate that macrophages show the same tendencies, although the effect is even more pronounced.

Extravasation experiments under flow or static conditions. In order to explore the role of integrins in the extravasation process, we developed an shRNA knock-down of the **b-1** integrin in the MDA-MB-231 breast cancer cell line. Comparing the extravasation potential of control cells to the **b-1** knock-downs, we find that 1) tumor cell adhesion to the endothelium is reduced, 2) transmigration is greatly impaired, and the tumor cells remain rounded and often become incorporated into the endothelial monolayer for extended periods, and 3) their ability to traverse the basement membrane is impaired, and 4) in the rare cases in which they escape from the vessel, they tend to remain close to the endothelium. Parallel studies are being conducted in mice (a collaboration with the Richard Hynes lab) to compare the results.

Bone and muscle organ models. Using previously developed models with a microvascular network that permeates through the 3D matrix and our system with an endothelial monolayer on the side (channel-facing surface) of an ECM analog, we have taken initial steps to model the organ-specificity of certain types of cancer to particular tissues. In these experiments, we introduced MSC-derived osteoblast-like cells into a collagen gel, and compared extravasation rates with those into a cell-free gel. We found that intravasation rates were considerably elevated, as was the permeability of the vascular wall. For comparison, we seeded the gel with C2C12 myoblasts, to see if the reduced extravasation potential could be observed. Extravasation rates into the model muscle were slightly reduced compared to the cell free gel, despite the permeability being higher. Adenosine was identified as an important factor.



Prof. Roger D Kamm

Prof. Roger Kamm is the Cecil and Ida Green Distinguished Professor of Biological and Mechanical Engineering and former Associate Head of the Department of Mechanical Engineering at MIT

A primary objective of Kamm's research group has been the application of fundamental concepts in fluid and solid mechanics to better understand essential biological and physiological phenomena. Spanning a wide range, research in the Kamm lab has addressed issues in the respiratory, ocular and cardiovascular systems. More recently, his attention has focused on two areas, the molecular mechanisms of cellular force sensation, and the development of new microfluidic technologies for vascularized engineered tissues. Kamm has a long-standing interest in biomechanics education, and has played key roles in developing both graduate and undergraduate bioengineering programs at MIT.

He is the 2010 recipient of the Lissner Award from the American Society of Mechanical Engineers and a member of the Institute of Medicine. He is the former chair of the US National Committee on Biomechanics and of the World Council on Biomechanics. Kamm currently directs a new NSF Science and Technology Center on Emergent Behaviors of Integrated Cellular Systems and is Chair of the International Academy of Medical and Biological Engineering.

Human fibroblasts to cardiac fate.

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Results:

Analysis of fibroblasts specific genes expression during the transdifferentiation.

Most of the fibroblasts related genes analyzed (A1-integrin, B1-integrin and Foxf2), our preliminary data show that for all the tested conditions, there is a decrease in the levels of their expression when compared to the fibroblasts starting cell population. In the case of Prollyl-4-Hydroxylase and CdKn2C genes we observe a down-regulation of the mRNA levels after 20 days of transdifferentiation and, surprisingly, we observe a recovery of their expression levels at day 30, probably due to the presence of non-infected fibroblasts. Interestingly, ITGA4 expression levels are restored after GATA4 transduction.

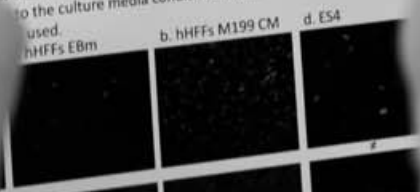
Analysis of mRNA expression levels for cardiac related genes during the transdifferentiation.

Preliminary data show that there is an increase in the levels of expression of TroponinT, CD31 and MEF2C cardiac related genes when compared to fibroblasts at different time points during transdifferentiation.



Immunofluorescence analysis for transdifferentiated cells.

Immunofluorescence analysis of differentiated cells at the end of the transdifferentiation protocol (day 30) using GATA4 and alpha-Myosin Heavy Chain (alpha-MHC). The pattern of expression in an embryonic stem cell line 4 (hES4) differentiated to beating cardiomyocytes under the culture media conditions, immunostainings also used. b. hFFFs M199 CM d. ES4



Posters and Flash presentations

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4	Luis G. Rigat	Towards Lab-on-a-Chip approaches for the functional study of the spleen in hematological disorders
5	Marc Van Der Hofstadt	New approach to image single bacterial division on gelatine coated substrates with the Atomic Force Microscope.
6	Ziqiu Tong	Lab-on-a-chip platform for neurobiological applications

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8	María Chiara Biagi	Nanoscale electrical characterization of biological samples at microwave frequencies
9	Luis Botaya Turón	AFM-SCM system based on quartz tuning fork nano-sensors equipped with glue-free solid metallic tips.

10	Anna Crespo	NrdR modulates transcriptionally the expression of ribonucleotidil reductase genes and topA gene in <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>
11	Manuela Dietrich	Evidence for moonlighting functions of the θ subunit of <i>Escherichia coli</i> DNA polymerase III
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18	Anita J. Kosmalska	Passive cell membrane regulation in response to mechanical stimuli
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29	Maria Valls	Optimization of cell seeding in 3D scaffolds and fabrication of an electrically stimulated perfusion bioreactor for cardiac patch generation
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40	Joan Martí	Glass coated PLA fiber scaffolds: a new approach for bone regeneration
41	Ágata Mata	Impairment of Reelin-mediated neuronal plasticity in rapid progressive dementia (sCJD)
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