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Welcome

Codex4SMES Double Session Information and Networking Event



**Galway
Ireland**



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Wednesday 18th September 2019

Hotel Meyrick, Galway, Ireland

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0900: Welcome and introductions

0905: Introduction and overview of Interreg Codex4SMEs project and the supports for SMEs - **Dr Margot Jehle, Lead partner, Codex4SMEs**

0920: Pathway to regulation and market for IVD Companies and start-ups: **Diarmuid Cahalane, Metabolomic Diagnostics**

0940: How to convince the investor to invest in your SME: **Ultan Faherty, Halo Business Angel Network.**

1000: The transfer of diagnostics tests from "bench to bedside" **John O'Loughlin, Rotunda Hospital**

1030: Tea break and parallel networking **Part 1**

1100: Evaluation of how different IVD's perform from clinical prospective **Dr Fergus Mc Carthy, Obstetrician, Cork University Maternity Hospital**

1130: Engagement with Pharmaceutical Companies **Len Marshall, Access and Innovation Manager, Roche Diagnostics**

1200: Questions and discussion.

1230: Lunch

1300: Networking **Part 2**

1400: Overview of funding access and sustainability of projects within European environment **Jeanette Mueller, Acceloment**

1430: Networking **Part 3**

1500: Finish



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BioBank Graz
is embedded in the
campus of the
**Medical University of
Graz**
and the
**University Hospital of
Graz** and provides
samples and data

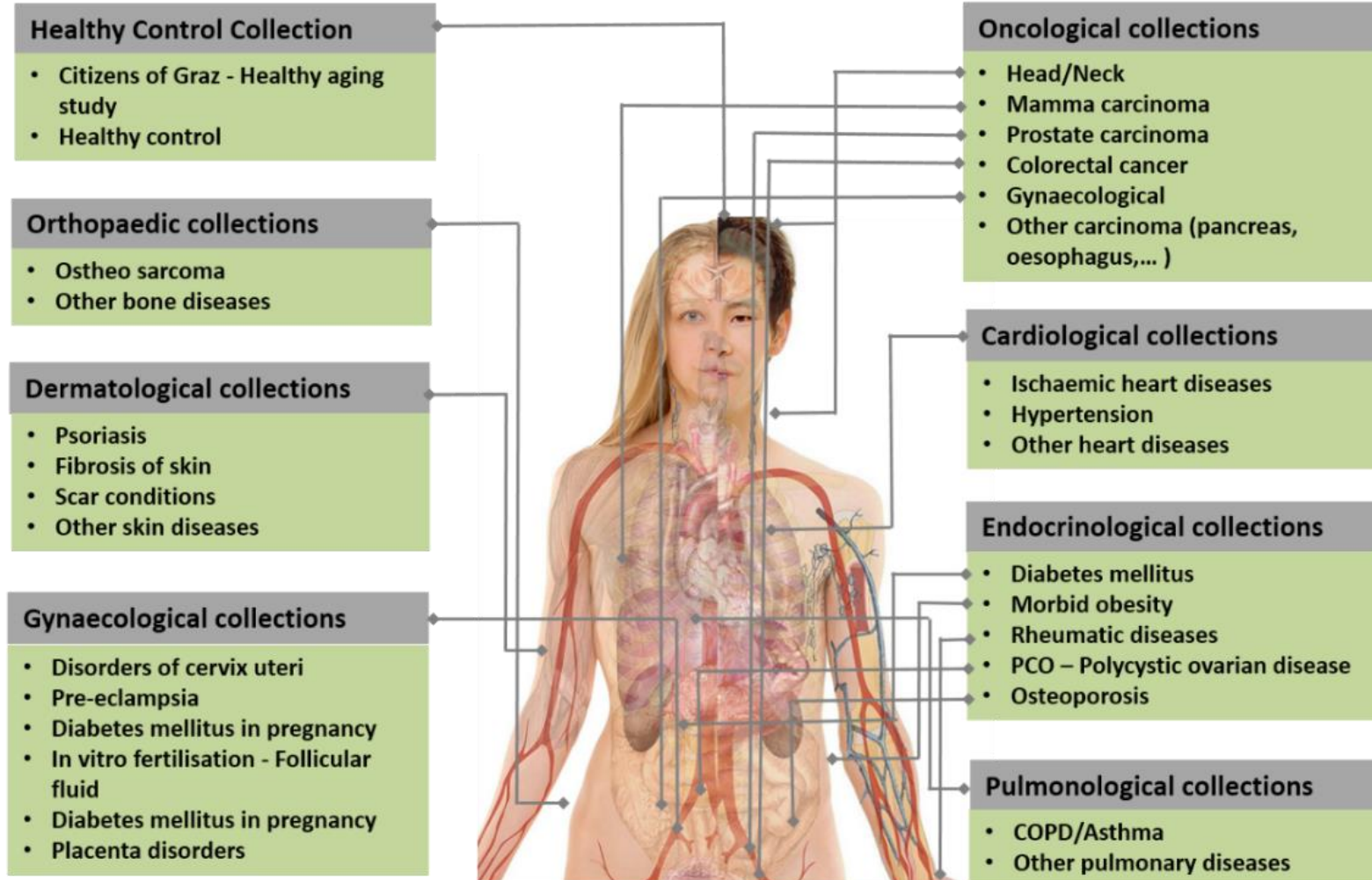


- One of Europe's largest **hospital-based biobanks**
- Central service facility of Medical University of Graz
- Collection work processes are embedded into the **clinical routine system** of University Hospital Graz
- ~ **20 million biospecimens** from more than **1 million donors**
 - FFPE blocks and slides at RT
 - **Body fluids** at -80°C
 - **Cryo tissue** samples in vapor phase of liquid N2 (-150°C)
- > 30 years of collection time
- Biobank Graz operates a **quality management system** according to ISO 9001:2015



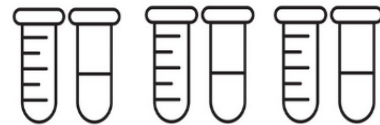
Statistics of the samples from Biobank Graz: <http://catalog.bbmri.at/biobank.html?cachebust=2.6.2&bbid=MUG>

Selected Sample Collections of Biobank Graz



As part of the **Interreg-NWE Codex4SMEs** project, in which we work as a partner for the support schemes “sample access” and “knowledge transfer”, it is possible for small and medium-sized companies to obtain a limited number of clinical samples from Biobank Graz.

Sample Access



Knowledge Transfer



Access to both support schemes is limited!

Important: first come first serve!

Sample Access

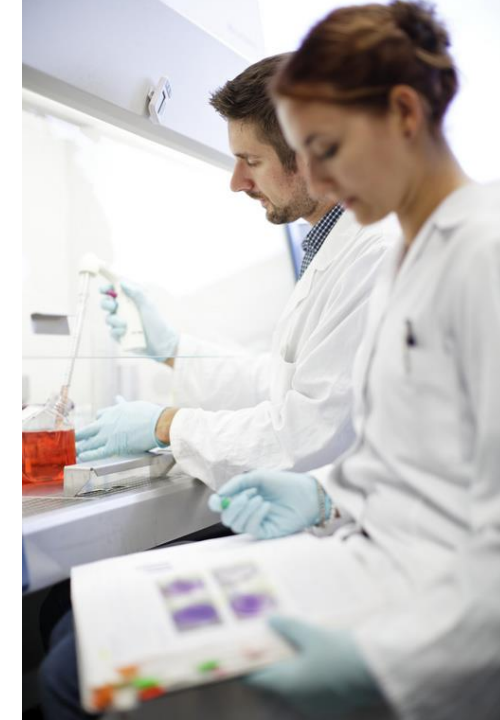
Types of projects:

1. Pilot-project

- To test or establish a new method
- Samples from a maximum number of **5 patients**
- **No ethics vote** required
- Results must not be published!

2. Research-project

- Sample access for research projects/biomarker research
- Samples from a maximum number of **20 patients**
- **Valid ethics vote mandatory!**



Required forms and documents

Always:

- ✓ Project Application Form for Sample Access + De Minimis declaration
- ✓ Material Transfer Agreement (MTA)

Additional documents for research project:

- ✓ Study protocol
- ✓ Valid ethics vote

Project Application Form Sample Access

Application for the usage of samples and services of Biobank Graz

green fields will be filled in by Biobank Graz

1. Project data

<input type="checkbox"/> New project	<input type="checkbox"/> Extension of project number
Date:	
Project number:	
Project title:	
Project leader:	
Project applicant: <small>(Complete only if not identical with project leader)</small>	
Department / Institution:	
Contact details: <small>(Adress, phone number, e-mail)</small>	

2. Type of application

Pilot Study / Establishment of a method (For a pilot study / establishment of a method only samples from up to 5 patients may be used without publishing the results.)

Research project (Required documents: Codex4SME Biobank Graz project application and other documents *)

Remarks:

* Ethics committee vote and ethics application form, study protocol as well as all other documents that were submitted to the ethics committee (e.g. study specific informed consent)

3. Project description

<p>Short summary description of the project in five sentences.</p> <p>Please enclose study protocol and specify inclusion / exclusion criteria for choice of samples.</p>	
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4. Proposal and vote of ethics committee (if already present – not needed for pilot studies)

Number of the ethics vote: <small>(please enclose a copy of the ethics proposal and the ethics vote)</small>	Date / End of validity of the ethics vote: <small>(mandatory)</small>
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Knowledge Transfer Service

- Development of projects with educational contents and biobanking trainings
- Consulting and coaching
- Contact to and networking with other biobanks
- General Webinars on biobanking OR specialized Webinars on request
- Guided tour through the Biobank Graz
- Biobanking courses
- Master of Science in Biobanking





Knowledge Transfer Service: Codex4SMEs Webinar on

THE INFLUX OF DATA

Managing and Processing of Biobank Sample Data



<p>DATE 25 SEPTEMBER 2019</p>	<p>OUR EXPERT SPEAKER</p>
<p>TIME 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm (UTC+01:00) Amsterdam, Berlin, Bern, Rome, Stockholm, Vienna</p>	<p>AMILA KUGIC is an IT specialist at the Biobank Graz. Currently, she is finalizing her MSc in Bioinformatics and Molecular Bioengineering at Graz University of Technology.</p>
<p>LINK https://jaces.webex.com/jaces/jn/j.php?MTID=220f3986ee962576674742d18250956</p>	<p>WHAT'S IN IT FOR ME?</p>
<p>MEETING NUMBER 703 839 293 PASSWORD Hjyga2E</p> <p>AGENDA</p> <p>During this webinar, we would like to give you an in-depth look of the existing data pathways of the Medical University of Graz and give you an overview of the processes and actions needing to happen, so that sample data actually reaches the Biobank Graz.</p>	<p>As participant of this virtual tour, you will find answers to the following questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Which data pathways exist at the Medical University of Graz and how does data reach the Biobank Graz? ▪ Which processing steps are taken to integrate the sample data into the existing systems? ▪ What kind of system is used to uphold the high standards for sample data?

Save the Date!

Date: 25.09.2019

Time: 2 – 3 pm



Questions?

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Codex4SMEs Homepage:

<http://www.nweurope.eu/projects/project-search/codex4smes-companion-diagnostics-expedited-for-smes/>

Application forms and guidelines:

- Sample Access Application Form

http://www.nweurope.eu/media/4071/codex4smes_sample-access_sc_application_bbg.pdf

- Sample Access Guideline

http://www.nweurope.eu/media/4068/codex4smes_sample-access_sc_guidelines_bbg.pdf

- Knowledge Transfer Service Application Form

http://www.nweurope.eu/media/4076/codex4smes_knowledge_transfer-sc_application_bbg.pdf

- Knowledge Transfer Service Guideline

http://www.nweurope.eu/media/4077/codex4smes_knowledge_transfer-sc_guidelines_bbg.pdf

- Material Transfer Agreement of Biobank Graz

<http://www.nweurope.eu/media/4069/biobank-graz-material-transfer-agreement.pdf>

Biobank Graz:

<https://biobank.medunigraz.at/>

✉ For project requests:

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Thank you for your attention!

