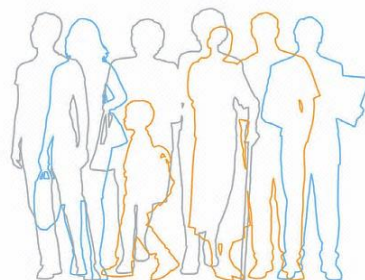


# BBMRI Biobank Forum 2016

## Support mechanisms for the emerging biobanks

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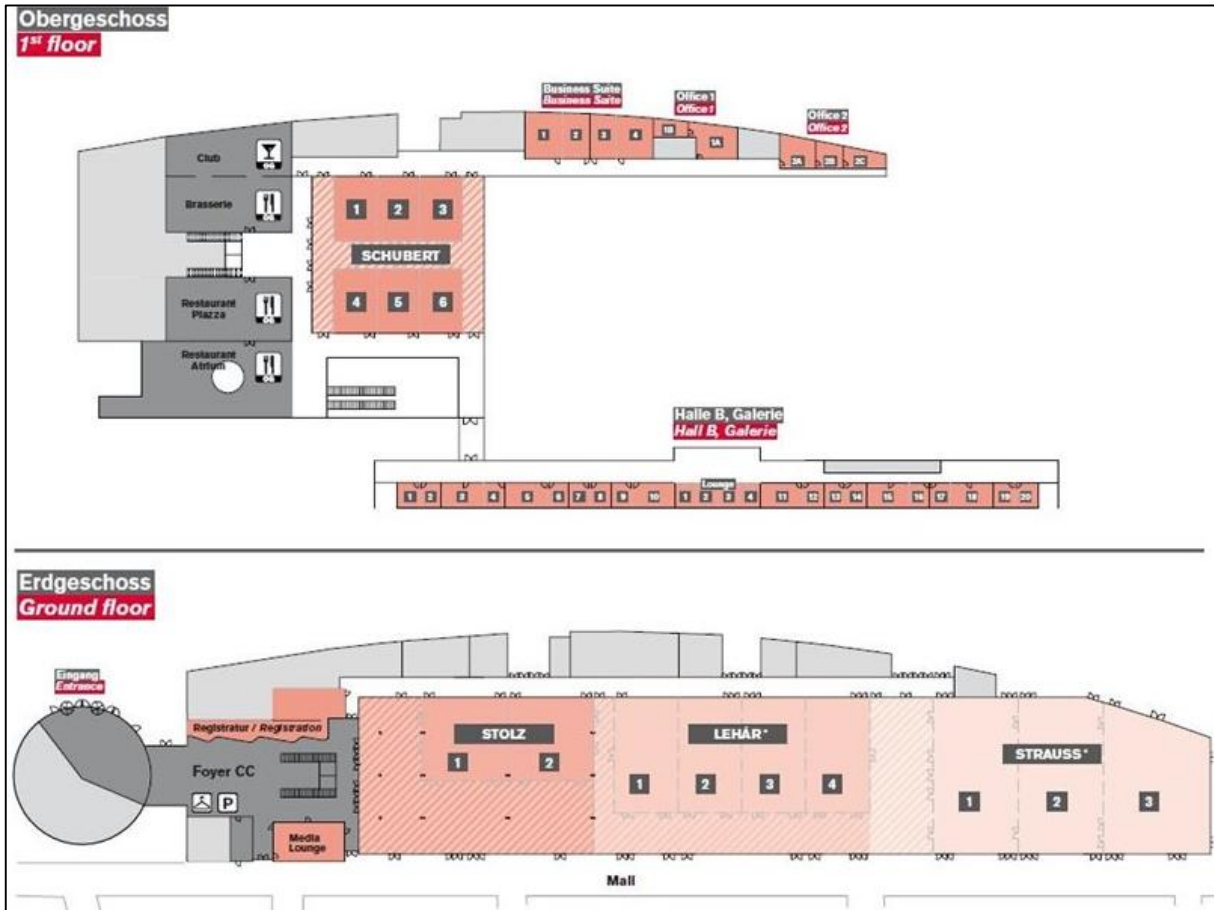
#### Thursday, September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2016 (Room: Schubert 2)

<b>Parallel session F1</b>	<b>INFRASTRUCTURE POLICIES IN WIDENING COUNTRIES?</b>
<b>17:00-18:30</b>	Chair Markus Pasterk (BBMRI-ERIC)
17:00 – 17:30	<b>Review of the national RI roadmaps and its relevance for joining BBMRI-ERIC</b> Markus Pasterk (BBMRI-ERIC)
17:30 – 18:00	<b>The case of Lithuania – how did it work?</b> Arydas Laurinavicius (National Centre of Pathology)
<b>19:00</b>	<b>NETWORKING DINNER at Restaurant Schweizerhaus</b> (Prater 116, Vienna) For the invited Forum participants, speakers, and BBMRI-LPC and BBMRI-ERIC representatives

#### Friday, September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2016 (Room: Lehar 2)

<b>Parallel session F2</b>	<b>HOW CAN BBMRI-ERIC SUPPORT EMERGING BIOBANKS?</b>
<b>8:30-10:30</b>	Chair Jan-Eric Litton (BBMRI-ERIC)
8:30 – 8:40	<b>Welcome and update from BBMRI-LPC</b> Eero Vuorio (University of Helsinki), in the absence of Markus Perola
8:40 – 9:10	<b>Update on BBMRI-ERIC activities</b> Jan-Eric Litton (BBMRI-ERIC)
9:10 – 9:25	<b>Common Service ELSI</b> Michaela Mayrhofer (BBMRI-ERIC)
9:25 – 9:40	<b>Common service IT</b> Petr Holub (BBMRI-ERIC)
9:40 – 9:50	<b>How to join BBMRI-ERIC</b> Markus Pasterk (BBMRI-ERIC)
9:50 – 10:10	<b>Questions and answers</b>
10:10-10:30	<b>Introduction to the next sessions: Financial support to emerging biobanks</b> Eero Vuorio (University of Helsinki)
<b>10:30-11:00</b>	Coffee Break
<b>Parallel session F3</b>	<b>PART 1: USE OF EU STRUCTURAL FUNDS FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF BIOBANKS</b>
<b>11:00-12:30</b>	Chair: Eero Vuorio (University of Helsinki)
11:00-11:20	<b>Example from Poland</b> Łukasz Kozera (Wroclawskie Centrum Badan EIT+)
11:20-11:40	<b>Latvian experience</b> Janis Klovins (Latvian Biomedical Research and Study Centre)
	<b>PART 2: NEW SUPPORT MECHANISMS FOR BIOBANKS IN WIDENING COUNTRIES</b>
	Chair Eero Vuorio (University of Helsinki)
11:40-12:00	<b>CY-Biobank WIDESPREAD project</b> Constantinos Deltas (University of Cyprus)
12:00-12:30	<b>Discussion: the Way Forward</b>
12:30	Group photo
<b>12:45-14:00</b>	Lunch break
<b>Parallel session F4</b>	<b>UPDATE OF DEVELOPMENTS IN EMERGING BIOBANK COUNTRIES WITH A SPECIAL FOCUS ON FUNDING SITUATION</b>
<b>14:00-16:00</b>	Tour-de-table by participants representing emerging biobanks Chair: Eero Vuorio (University of Helsinki)

Floor plan / Messe Wien (Messeplatz 1)



BBMRI Biobank Forum Networking Dinner at Restaurant Schweizerhaus on Sept 15<sup>th</sup> at 19:00 (Prater 116, Vienna)

