

What is UniStem Day?

UniStem Day is a one-day meeting organized for high school students since 2009. This event, solely dedicated to the dissemination and outreach of stem cell science and research, provides an opportunity to foster learning, discovery and debate on the themes of knowledge and innovation starting from stem cell research. The event showcases cutting edge research, paints a picture of the daily work of a scientist, and explores the mechanisms behind scientific breakthroughs, including the cultural expectations. By offering lessons, debates, visits at the laboratories and recreational moments, the students engage with the concepts and methodologies involved in stem cell research. Furthermore, they will gain an appreciation for science and how it can be fun and build personal character and relationships based on evidence, perseverance and integrity. As with previous years, UNISTEM DAY 2019 will bring together Universities and High Schools from all over the world by involving 99 Universities in Australia, Austria, Colombia, France, Germany, Greece, Holland, Hungary, Italy, Singapore, Spain, Poland, Portugal, Sweden and United Kingdom.

UniStem is the Centre for Stem Cell Research of the University of Milan founded in 2006 by Profs. E. Cattaneo, G. Cossu, F. Gandolfi and Y. Torrente (unistem.it). The UNISTEM DAY 2019 event is one of many UniStem activities on stem cell research divulgation and this year it celebrates the 11th annual day dedicated to secondary school students and can boast being the largest public event on stem cell research in Europe.

Fondazione TIM born in 2008 as an expression of ethical principles, of the strong commitment of responsibility towards the community and the spirit of innovation of Tim. The commitment is to work for an ever-increasing digital, innovative and competitive Italy, collaborating with the institutions to carry out the projects and making available the economic resources and skills of the Group.

THE EVENT WILL HAPPEN IN 15 COUNTRIES



Concept and Coordination:

uniStem
Università degli Studi di Milano Centro di Ricerca sulle Cellule Staminali

Supporter:



Organizer:



in collaboration with
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22nd
March
2019 9.30am

UniStem Day

Knowledge and
innovation:
the neverending
trip of stem cell
research

(if you surf the web with your eyes closed)

Central European University

Budapest, Nádor utca 13, 1051,
Quantum Room
1st Floor

22nd March 2019
9.30am (C.E.T.)

Morning program

Coordinator:
Judit Sándor
Marton Varju

9:30 → 9:45

Opening and welcome video

9:45 → 10:00

Director of CEU, Center for Ethics
and Law in Biomedicine
Judit Sándor
Greetings

10:00 → 10:30

PARTICIPANT ACTIVITY:
Gene editing: too soon, too fast?
Based on an activity-sheet with
questions requesting participants
to take side in current and potential
prospective scientific and ethics
controversies surrounding gene
editing

10:30 → 11:30

ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION:

Participants:

Judit Sándor, CEU CELAB;
András Dinnyés, Biotalentum and
University of Szeged;
Ágota Apáti, MTA TTK
*New prospects and old
controversies in stem cell science*

11:30 → 12:00

Discussion on participant activity
and participant voting

12:00

Event close and reception

