



IAB TOPIC DAY

When Sciences Come Together

7th May 2026 at IAB

Where?

Bâtiment Albert
Bonniot
Site Santé, Allée
des Alpes
La Tronche

Join us for a day exploring how different disciplines come together to tackle complex scientific questions!

Gathering scientists from biology, chemistry, physics, and beyond through talks, round table, and interactive workshops to explore new ways of connecting fields and approaches.

Programme Overview



The day will start at 9 a.m.
Please be there a few minutes in advance

9am-

Introduction session



What is interdisciplinarity? How can it help building innovative projects? How to train the new generation to interdisciplinarity?

COFFEE BREAK + POSTERS



Conferences session 1



The secrets of DNA through different perspectives

How can this biological media be used in different fields of science?

Interdisciplinarity in industry



Example of collaboration between different disciplines to create biomedical devices

BUFFET LUNCH + POSTERS

Round table

Discussing the challenges of interdisciplinarity in academia and industry, for students and researchers

Conferences session 2

When biology meets physical laws



An insight into the different uses of physics for biological applications in research

5pm-

COFFEE BREAK + POSTERS



Workshops

(From 5 to 6 pm, nonobligatory)

To go further, interactive workshops to connect, exchange, and collaborate



for those interested, the day will end with a thematic session of the PhD committee **cinclub** ...pop corn and treats provided



Registration for the day is free but mandatory!



Confirmed speakers



Do you work on an interdisciplinary project?
You can share it with us by presenting a **poster** (even an old one!)

- Introduction talk by Frédéric Darbellay
Professor in Inter- and Transdisciplinary Studies at the University of Geneva (Switzerland)
- Giovanni Capello (LiPhy)
- Florent Chuffart (IAB)
- Galina Dubacheva (DCM)
- Xavier Le Guevel (IAB)
- Stéphan Pissot (Biomedical imagery)
- Joanna Timmins (IBS)
- Caterina Tomba (INL)
- Nicolas Zeitoun (Roche Diagnostics)