

# Thursday, January 26, 2023 | 10.45 to 13.00 Uhr



Welcome / Moderation Dr. Peter Hanns Zobel, Managing Director of the IZB Topic: News from the IZB



Speaker Dr. Kikuë Tachibana Director at the MPI for Biochemistry

## Topic: How does life start?

Life begins with a transcriptionally silent embryo that is "awakened" to enable development. Despite the importance of this process, the reprogramming factors that activate embryonic transcription are largely unknown. We recently identified Nr5a2 as a key pioneer factor that awakens the mammalian genome.



Speaker **Christine Schuberth-Wagner CSO Catalym GmbH** 

## Topic: An introduction and update on CatalYm

Catalym has identified GDF-15 as a central regulator of the immune system in the tumor microenvironment. We are pioneering the reversal of GDF-15-mediated immunosuppression to induce a potent antitumoral immune reaction in non-responsive tumors. CatalYm's lead program CTL-002 is poised to demonstrate clinical proof-of-concept in multiple solid tumor indications which will expand the treatment horizon for current and future immunotherapies.

Registration/Contact:



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Location:

Faculty Club G2B At the Klopferspitz 21 82152 Planegg/Martinsried

#### Registration:

10.30 a.m. at the reception of the CAMPUS AT HOME

Start of the event: 11.00 a.m.

#### Format:

Face2Face event with keynote presentations (15 min.) plus Q&A followed by business lunch.

### Participants:

The event is limited to 60 people.

#### For Whom.

Faculty Club members, directors and junior group leaders of Max Planck Institutes, LMU professors, managing directors and board members of IZB companies, and executives of the Martinsried/Großhadern campus.

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February 16, 2023 **IZBrunch** 

March 16, 2023

**Biotech PressLounge** 

April 27, 2023 **IZBrunch**