

# Immune function in the context of the animal and the environment

Thursday 23 February 2012

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- 10.00 - 10.15 **Irene Tieleman** University of Groningen  
*Introduction*
  - 10.15 - 11.00 **Kirk Klasing** University of California Davis, USA  
*The nutritional and metabolic costs of an immune response:  
fuel for evolution of immune systems*
  - 11.00 - 11.15 Coffee
  - 11.15 - 11.45 **Maaïke Versteegh** University of Groningen  
*Immunity and life history: a common garden study in stonechats*
  - 11.45 - 12.30 **Barbara Tschirren** University of Zürich, Switzerland  
*Wild immunogenetics: how parasites shape the host genome*
  - 12.30 - 13.30 Lunch
  - 13.30 - 14.00 **Nicholas Horrocks** University of Groningen  
*Immune function and disease risk among larks in different  
environments*
  - 14.00 - 14.45 **Emmanuelle Gilot** University of Lyon, France  
*Body condition, immunity and parasites: what determines  
immunocompetence in roe deer?*
  - 14.45 - 15.15 Tea
  - 15.15 - 15.45 **Joana Falcão Salles** University of Groningen  
*Living in an eggshell: microbial communities associated with eggs*
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*A symposium to mark the thesis defences  
of Maaïke Versteegh & Nicholas Horrocks*

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