

Dear FAOBMB Council members

I would appreciate it if you could forward the following announcement about the forthcoming IUBMB specialist meeting that will be held in Queenstown in NZ from 18–22 August. Early bird registration closes on 20th June. If you can please pass this announcement into your national societies to advertise this meeting that would be great and I thank you for doing so.

If your society is hosting an international meeting that you wish to advertise in the FAOBMB region, please send me details and I will be more than happy to forward it to all Council members to pass onto their national societies.

Wishing you all the best for the week ahead.

Regards

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RMIT University acknowledges the people of the Woi wurrung and Boon wurrung language groups of the eastern Kulin Nations on whose unceded lands we conduct the business of the University. RMIT University respectfully acknowledges their Ancestors and Elders, past and present. RMIT also acknowledges the Traditional Custodians and their Ancestors of the lands and waters across Australia where we conduct our business.

We are delighted to welcome attendees at the IUBMB Special Focused Meeting “The Emerging Roles of (Pseudo)Kinases in Signal Transduction” is scheduled for 18-22 August 2025, in Queenstown, New Zealand.

The conference will cover the latest developments in molecular mechanisms of kinase and pseudokinase regulation, which has growing prominence in the world of signalling across many areas of biology.

The deadline for early bird registration, and abstracts to be considered for oral presentations is **June 20th**. Early career participation and family support will be a priority. For more details, including abstract submission, venue information and registration go to <https://www.ivvy.com.au/event/IUBMB25/>.

**Emerging Roles of (Pseudo)Kinases in Signal Transduction**  
International Union of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology  
Special Focused Meeting  
Queenstown, New Zealand  
18-22 August 2025

**KEYNOTE SPEAKERS:**  
Alexandra Newton  
University of California, San Diego  
Kiran Shokat  
University of California, San Francisco

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Dany Alessi  
INSERM, Université de Strasbourg  
Robert Bauer  
University of Cambridge  
Mithrasree Shattacharyya  
University of Cambridge  
John Burke  
University of Oxford  
Arvin Dar  
University of Cambridge  
Roger Daly  
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Pat Egle  
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James Johnson  
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Karen Kershnan  
University of Cambridge  
Sharissa Latham  
University of Cambridge

**KEYNOTE SPEAKERS:**  
Diane Litke  
University of New Mexico  
Isabelle Lucat  
INSERM, Université de Strasbourg  
Pierre Misonneuve  
INSERM, Université de Strasbourg  
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Medical Institute of Health Sciences  
Takuro Nakamura  
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Janis Pahlman  
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