

# GENERAL INFORMATION

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## Registration

	until March 14, 2021	from March 15, 2021
Regular	275 EUR	330 EUR
Students	220 EUR	275 EUR

## Cultural Programme

The planning of a digital framework programme is still in progress. You will always provide current information on our homepage [www.innate-immunity-conference.de](http://www.innate-immunity-conference.de).

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# NOVEL CONCEPTS IN INNATE IMMUNITY

26–28 May 2021

**DIGITAL**

Call for Abstracts



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# WELCOME NOTE

Dear colleagues and friends,

On behalf of the Eberhard-Karls-University Tuebingen and the German Society for Immunology (DGfI) it is our pleasure to invite you to join our conference "Novel Concepts in Innate Immunity NCII 2021", held from May 26-28, 2021.

As you know, the current situation (and the risks and uncertainties it brings) also affects scientific meetings. Faced with the alternatives to cancel or postpone, we had to take the difficult decision to hold NCII 2021 as a digital e-Symposium.

Of course, this cuts out some of what you and we have grown to love about the previous three NCII meetings in Tübingen, the science, the old town, the river, the band, the socializing.

On the other hand, the rich scientific program and the excellent speakers who have committed would be tragic to miss out on and will still make a digital NCII 2021 highly worthwhile. As you can find out from our website, we have lined up an exciting list of invited speakers and are especially looking forward to Richard Flavell's keynote address and new sessions such as "Trained Innate Immunity" and "Metabolic control of innate immunity" with leading speakers.

This exciting scientific program will be enhanced by an attractive digital industrial exhibition, by digital poster sessions, oral and lightning talks to more prominently feature and discuss exciting new results you would like to share. Both as an established and as a junior researcher you can contribute to NCII2021 in this way and make it a platform for sharing your work – directly from your lab or desk.

Please therefore submit your abstract online until February 28, 2021.

We will be very happy to welcome you next May and look forward to an exciting meeting!

Yours sincerely,

Alexander N. R. Weber  
Conference chair

# ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

We are looking forward to your contribution concerning the following topics:

- Pattern recognition receptors and inflammasomes
- Innate immune cell crosstalk
- Trained innate immunity
- Innate lymphoid cells
- Metabolic regulation of innate immunity
- Host-microbiota interactions
- Canonical and non-canonical viral sensor functions
- Innate immunity in the skin
- Innate immunity and oncogenesis

## Abstract Deadline

Please submit your abstract online until **February 28, 2021** at [www.innate-immunity-conference.de](http://www.innate-immunity-conference.de).

## Confirmed Speakers

- Andrea Ablasser (Lausanne/CH)
- Adelheid Cerwenka (Mannheim/DE)
- Zhijian (James) Chen (Dallas, TX/US)
- Vishva Dixit (San Francisco, CA/US)
- Richard A. Flavell (New Haven, CT/US) – Keynote speaker
- Ping-Chih Ho (Epalinges/CH)
- Veit Hornung (Munich/DE)
- Paul Kubes (Calgary/CA)
- Eicke Latz (Bonn/DE)
- Mihai Netea (Nijmegen/NL)
- Luke O'Neill (Dublin/IE)
- Chiara Romagnani (Berlin/DE)
- Jürgen Ruland (Munich/DE)
- Fiona M. Watt (London/GB)
- Hao Wu (Boston, MA/GB)