



Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions (MSCA)
Doctoral Networks (DN)

***Gene Editing Technologies
and
Innovation, transfer, and
Entrepreneurship
Workshops***

**Programme and
Practical Information**

November 17th to 19th, 2025

Milan, Italy



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PROGRAMME AT A GLANCE

Scientific Organizer: Raffaella Di Micco

Associate Professor at IUSS, Pavia

Group Leader at SR-TIGET, Milan

	17.11.25 Monday	18.11.25 Tuesday	19.11.25 Wednesday
Morning	9:00-17:00 GET Workshop (OSR, Aula Pinta)	9:00-11:30 GET Workshop (OSR, Aula Pinta)	9:00-17:00 ITE Workshop (OSR, Aula Pinta)
		11:30-11:50 Training committee	
		11:50-12:10 Exploitation Committee	
Afternoon		12:10-13:00 General Assembly	
		14:00-17:30 DCs' presentations (OSR, Aula Pinta)	
Evening	Network dinner	Free evening	Departure time

Activity only for Doctoral Candidates (DCs)

Activity for Board members

Activity for DCs and Supervisors/Principal Investigators (PIs)



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Date: November 17th, 2025

Activity: GET Workshop (DCs)

Venue: OSR - Aula Pinta (-1 Floor)

Time	Agenda	Speaker	Attendees
9:00-9:15	Introduction	Raffaella Di Micco	DCs
9:15-10:15	Gene Therapy in vivo	Alessio Cantore	
10:15-11:15	Genetic engineering new tools	Anna Cereseto	
11:15-11:45	Coffee break		
11:45-12:45	Genetic engineering of RAG1 immunodeficiency	Anna Villa	
13:00-14:00	Lunch-Bufferet		
14:00-15:00	Lab tour	Emanuela Vicentini	
15:00-15:30	Introduction to gene editing tools	Antonio Casini	
15:30-17:00	Hand-on gene editing workshop	Tommaso Sconocchia	



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Date: November 18th, 2025

Activity: GET Workshop, Board meetings, and DCs' presentations

Venue: OSR - Aula Pinta (-1 Floor)

Time	Agenda	Speaker	Attendees
9:00-10:00	Systems analysis of anti-tumor T cell responses	Roger Geiger	DCs
10:00-11:00	Gene regulation of human cell systems	Roser Vento Tormo	
11:00-11:30	Coffee break		
11:30-11:50	Training Committee Meeting		Training Committee
11:50-12:10	Exploitation Committee Meeting		Exploitation Committee
12:10-13:00	General Assembly		All PIs
13:00-14:00	Lunch-Buffer		Everybody
14:00-17:30	Poster session	All DCs	



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Date: November 19th, 2025

Activity: ITE Workshop (DCs)

Venue: OSR - Aula Pinta (-1 Floor)

Time	Agenda	Speaker	Attendees
			DCs
09:30-10:30	Career path beyond academia	Marco Telford	
10:30-11:15	Round table		
11:15-11:45	Coffee break		
11:45-12:15	Innovation	Francesca Zagari	
12:15-13:00	Venture	Tiziana Rossetti	
13:00-14:15	Lunch-Buffer		
14:15-14:45	From academia to start-up: Case study - Alia Therapeutics	Antonio Casini	
14:45-15:15	From academia to start-up: Case study - QGenomics	Lluís Armengol	
15:15-16:00	Round table		
16:00-16:45	IP value for research	Federica Basilico	
16:45-17:00	Final Remarks	OSR, Alia & qGenomics team	



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General Assembly:

Institution	Member	Role
GRL	Roser Vento-Tormo	WP Leader n. 1
UNIBAS	Judith Zaugg	WP Leader n. 2
OSR/IUSS	Raffaella Di Micco	WP Leader n. 3
IJC	José Luis Sardina	WP Leader n. 4
qGenomics	Lluís Armengol	WP Leader n. 5
IJC	Esteban Ballestar	WP Leader n. 6
CNRS	Philippe Pierre	-
UKLFR	Bodo Grimbacher	-
UKLFR	Klaus Warnatz	-
Alia	Antonio Casini	-
IRB	Roger Geiger	-
EMBL	Sinem Saka	-

Training Committee*:

Institution	Member	Role
UNIBAS	Judith Zaugg	WP Leader no 2
OSR/IUSS	Raffaella Di Micco	WP Leader no 3
IJC	José Luis Sardina	WP Leader no 4
IJC	Esteban Ballestar	WP Leader no 6
IJC	Emily Flaschner	Doctoral Candidate
GRL	Martí Leira	Doctoral Candidate
IJC	Núria Pedreño	PM

Exploitation Committee*:

Institution	Member	Role
GRL	Roser Vento-Tormo	WP Leader no 1
OSR/IUSS	Raffaella Di Micco	WP Leader no 3
qGenomics	Jairo Rodríguez	WP Leader no 5
IJC	Anna Riera	Innovation manager



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PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Hotel

Hotel

Address: Strada di Olgia Nuova snc - Loc. Segrate, 20090 ([link](#))

Tel: +39 02 21751

Breakfast (free buffet)

Check-in: from 15h | Check out: at 12h

Fitness room: from 8h to 22h

Free Wifi

E-mail: nhmilano2@nh-hotels.com

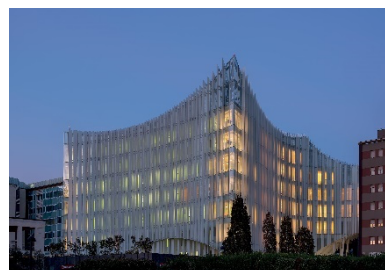
Website: <https://www.nh-hotels.com/en/hotel/nh-milano-2>

Venue

San Raffaele Telethon Institute for Gene Therapy

Via Olgettina 58 – 20132 Milan, Italy ([link](#))

Website: <https://research.hsr.it/en/index.html>



Meals & Catering

Hotel Breakfast, Lunch Buffet, Coffee Breaks, and Network Dinner (on 17/11): All meals will be provided by the Josep Carreras Leukaemia Research Institute (IJC) as the event coordinator.

Network dinner at Cantina della Vetra (19h CET)

Address: Via Pio IV, 3 – 20123 Milan ([link](#))

Website: <https://www.cantinadellavetra.it/en/>

Type: Restaurant

Contact information

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- OSR: +39 0226431
- Hotel: NH Milano 2

Other useful information

Temperature and climate

The average daily temperature in Milan this month is 5°C with highs reaching 12°C on the warmest days.

Safety

Milan is generally safe for tourists, especially in central areas, but you should exercise caution, as in any big city.

Transportation & Parking

From local Airports to OSR by bus:

- Linate: ATM BUS 923 to Ospedale San Raffaele (bus terminus)
- Malpensa: Train-shuttle “Malpensa Express” to Cadorna F.N. (train terminus) and metro M2 (green line); or bus-shuttle to Stazione Centrale and then metro M2 (green line)
- Orio al Serio: Bus-shuttle to Cascina Gobba; then ATM BUS 925 to Milano 2 (you can use the same ticket) or direct shuttle from Cascina Gobba to Ospedale San Raffaele.

Hotel to OSR: The hotel is within walking distance (5 to 10 min to OSR).

Parking at OSR:

- Underground multilevel parking - via F.lli Cervi | 1877 spots
- DIMER parking - via Olgettina | 147 spots
- DIBIT parking - via Olgettina | 40 spots
- Olgettina parking - at the crossroad with via Vigorelli | 41 spots



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