

IMI2 - Call 17 webinar: Optimising future obesity treatment



| First Name | Last Name | Organization | Country | Email | Briefly, what would you bring to the project in terms of expertise, resources, activities? |
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| Ingrid | Balcells | Vall d'Hebron Research Institute | Spain | ingrid.balcells@vhir.org | As a research institute linked to a Hospital we can bring clinical experience, access to patients, basic research, |
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| Stephan | Bischoff | University of Hohenheim, Stuttgart | Germany | bischoff.stephan@uni-hohenheim.de | Experience with obese individuals and obesity therapy, intestinal microbiome analysis and other intestinal analyses |
| Andy | Bleaden | ECHAlliance | United Kingdom | andy@echalliance.com | Connections and partners as well as expertise in both dissemination and exploitation |
| Yvonne | Böttcher | University of Oslo and Akershus University Hospital | Norway | yvonne.bottcher@medisin.uio.no | our background is in epigenetics, mainly human adipose tissue depots and its relationship clinical variables of obesity |
| Helen | Brewer | European Society of Anaesthesiology | Belgium | helen.s.brewer@gmail.com | Anaesthesia expertise across the perioperative care pathway for obese patients, clinical trial network, education, guidelines |
| Miguel | Brito | Escola Superior de Tecnologia da Saúde de Lisboa, Instituto Politécnico de Lisboa | Portugal | miguel.brito@estesl.ipl.pt | I work on genetics of obesity, in a team that includes Endocrinologists and Biochemists. We're working with a cohort of obese. |
| Viviana | Bumaschny | Instituto de Fisiología y Biofísica Bernardo Houssay (IFIBIO), Universidad de Buenos Aires and CONICET | Argentina | vivibum@gmail.com | Basic research expertise in brain control of food intake and glucose homeostasis. Genetically engineered obese and diabetic mice |
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| Joana | Camilo | CREATING HEALTH - Research and Innovation Funding @ UCP | Portugal | joana.camilo@ucp.pt | Experienced support on the identification of EU potential partners and proposal preparation |
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| Gianfranco | Caselli | Rottapharm Biotech | Italy | gianfranco.caselli@rottapharmbiotech.com | We are actively involved in a research on selected adipokines and on the interaction between obesity and other chronic diseases |
| Marta | Castellano | Starlab Inc. | Spain | marta.castellano@starlab.es | EEG, neurophysiological correlates, brain stimulation protocols, transcranial brain stimulation treatment |
| Cecilia | Catanesi | CONICET | Argentina | ccatanesi@imbice.gov.ar | We are part of a project related to children obesity in Argentina, studying genetic variability associated with obesity |
| Yarom | Cohen | Met Syn Lysine Ltd. | Israel | dr.yarom.c@met-syn-lysine.com | substantial unique know how about markers for obesity and response to therapy and technologies to synthesize drugs. |
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| Ali İmran | Daştan | University of Health Sciences | Turkey | imran_dastan@hotmail.com | Obesity biomarkers |
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| Oleh | Demchuk | Pharmaceutical Research Institute | Poland | o.demchuk@ifarm.eu | Technology drug production, analytics, analytical samples, registration procedures, patent search, pharmacokinetics, formulation |
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| Suzanne | Dickson | University of Gothenburg | Sweden | suzanne.dickson@gu.se | Expertise with animals models of obesity, especially those focused on the CNS. |
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| Laurent | Dollé | BWB (Biobanking Wallonia Brussels) | Belgium | laurent.dolle@erasme.ulb.ac.be | all biobanking activities and more (Ethical, Legal, Societal issues), knowledge of Belgium law on human materials |
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| Rhonda | Facile | CDISC | United States | rfacile@cdisc.org | SME for the development of clinical data standards to support regulatory submissions. |
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| Matteo | Gabetta | BIOMERIS | Italy | matteo.gabetta@biomeris.com | Data Integration, Data Harmonization, OMOP/OHSDI, ETL, Natural Language Processing, NLP, Wearable Sensors |
| Maria | Garcia | Institut Universitari per a la Recerca en Atenció Primària Jordi Gol | Spain | mgarcia@idiapjgol.info | SIDIAP database is based on information from primary care and has lots of expertise in international projects |
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| Federico | Giove | Centro Fermi | Italy | federico.giove@uniroma1.it | MR imaging and spectroscopy, scanner (humans, small samples, rodents) |
| Una | Glamoclija | University of Mostar | Bosnia-Herzegovina | una.glamoclija@gmail.com | Connection to Academia and Industry, Expertise mainly in medical chemistry and molecular biology. |
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| Jakob | Haardt | EURICE - European Research and Project Office GmbH | Germany | j.haardt@eurice.eu | Project Management, Innovation Management, Communication-Dissemination-Exploitation, Contractual Management |
| Reinhard | Holl | University of Ulm | Germany | reinhard.holl@uni-ulm.de | APV-registry, longitudinal documentation of 120000 overweight and obese adolescents. DPV-Registry on 500000 diabetes patients |
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| Erich | Hutter | Sigmund Hutter GmbH EUFA Member | Austria | office@eureda.at | CEO |
| Angela | Jacan | CBmed | Austria | angela.jacan@cbmed.at | Integrative data analysis, prospective cohorts, stable labelled tracers, research on metabolic syndrome |
| Peppi | Karppinen | University of Oulu | Finland | peppi.karppinen@oulu.fi | Basic scientific knowledge |
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| Racheli | Kreisberg | Netherlands Embassy in Israel | Israel | racheli@nost.org.il | |
| Sem | Lagerberg | McRoberts B.V. | Netherlands | s.lagerberg@mcroberts.nl | detailed ambulatory assessment of physical activity and physical performance |
| Stefanie | Lanzinger | Ulm University | Germany | stefanie.lanzinger@uni-ulm.de | experience with registry data, data analysis, statistics, project coordination |
| Sidonie | LAVERGNE | Biofortis (Mériex NutriSciences) | France | sidonie.lavergne@mxns.com | Clinical CRO with decades of experience in nutrition & metabolic disorders, including microbiota characterization |

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| Yenny | Leal | IDIBGI | Spain | yleal@idibgi.org | We have experience in european projects (H2020 and FP7) and multicenter clinical trials |
| Jin | Li | Fudan University | China | li_jin_lifescience@fudan.edu.cn | I am looking for collaborators to work together on one peptide I found, which have dramatic effects on insulin sensitivity. |
| Maria Paula | Macedo | APDP-diabetes Portugal - patient association | Portugal | paula.macedo@nms.unl.pt | As a scientist in the OBESITY/DIABETES field and being in the board of the Patients Association APDP_DIABETES Portugal. |
| Melania | Manco | Bambino Gesù Children's Hospital | Italy | melania.manco@opbg.net | Cohort of obese children/adults, clinical/research expertise, up to date research facilities |
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| Giuseppe | Maulucci | Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore | Italy | giuseppe.maulucci@unicatt.it | Metabolic imaging of cholesterol flux |
| Selma | Mautner | Medical University of Graz | Austria | selma.mautner@medunigraz.at | Long experience in preclinical (NOD mice) and clinical T1D and T2D studies; immunophenotyping; PK-PD tissue-specific sampling |
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| Fiona | McGillicuddy | University College Dublin | Ireland | fiona.mcgillicuddy@ucd.ie | I am working with a SME to develop a novel assay that can detect metabolic inflammation in obesity |
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| Elena | Merlo | BiomarkerBay BV | Netherlands | m.e.merlo@umcg.nl | Bioanalytical services, sample collections, contact with clinicians |
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| Eleonora | Pagano | BIOMED (CONICET-UCA) | Argentina | eleonora_pagano@yahoo.com.ar | Research experience in adipogenesis from cell culture to animal models and clinical evaluation of possible treatments. |
| Ignacio | Pedrosa | CTIC Centro Tecnológico (Research and Technology Organization (RTO)) | Spain | ignacio.pedrosa@ctic.es | Cutting-edge technology, expertise on Intelligent Data Analysis and wellbeing: QoL, obesity, data stratification & prediction |
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| Maria | Pikkarainen | University of Eastern Finland | Finland | maria.pikkarainen@uef.fi | |
| Belén | Pimentel | IBIMA_FIMABIS | Spain | belen.pimentel@fimabis.org | International project management support to our expert researchers |
| Nicole | Prinz | University of Ulm | Germany | nicole.prinz@uni-ulm.de | large observational cohorts on obesity (APV) and diabetes (DPV), experience with international projects/statistical analyses |
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| Tamara | Ranzenberger-Haider | Medical University of Vienna | Austria | tamara.ranzenberger-haider@muv.ac.at | nutritionist specialised in obesity treatment at a outpatient clinic (EASO member) |
| Martin | Ridderstråle | Novo Nordisk A/S | Denmark | mtrd@novonordisk.com | Obesity and diabetes stratification and treatment expertise; clinical trial cohort baseline data; project management. |
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| Christoph | Schhröder | Sciomics GmbH | Germany | schroeder@sciomics.de | Protein biomarker discovery and verification + Protein and PTM profiling for in-depth elucidation understanding of mechanism |
| François | Sihrener | GIE Eurasanté | France | fsihrener@eurasante.com | Cluster gathering potential participants from France: clinicians, academics, companies + comm activities in projects |
| Thorkild I.A. | Sørensen | University of Copenhagen | Denmark | tias@sund.ku.dk | Many years of experience with obesity research, both epidemiology and clinical epidemiology, and running EU projects |
| Carl | Steinbeisser | SPM | Germany | carl@steinbeisser-management.com | Project Management, I am already involved in projects mentioned in the call |
| Sorin | STIRCU | E*HealthLine | Ireland | sorin.stircu@ehealthline.com | We will be bringing technologies, expertise and patient monitoring technology to monitor the weight management and complication |
| Karsten | Strauß | Olink Proteomics | Germany | karsten.strauss@olink.com | Protein Biomarker Discovery |
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| Karolien | Van De Maele | UZ Brussels | Belgium | karolien.vandemaele@uzbrussel.be | Our expertise is follow-up of offspring of mothers after bariatric surgery, focus on metabolic and cardiovascular status |
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| Emma | Walton | NTNU | Norway | emma.l.walton@ntnu.no | NTNU hosts the EASO recognised Centre of Obesity, with many patients and research on bariatric surgery, childhood obesity etc |
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| Sam | Xu | Hull York Medical School | United Kingdom | sam.xu@hyms.ac.uk | We have a clinical team and basic scientist team in the obesity research, We also have bariatric surgery and exercise scheme. |