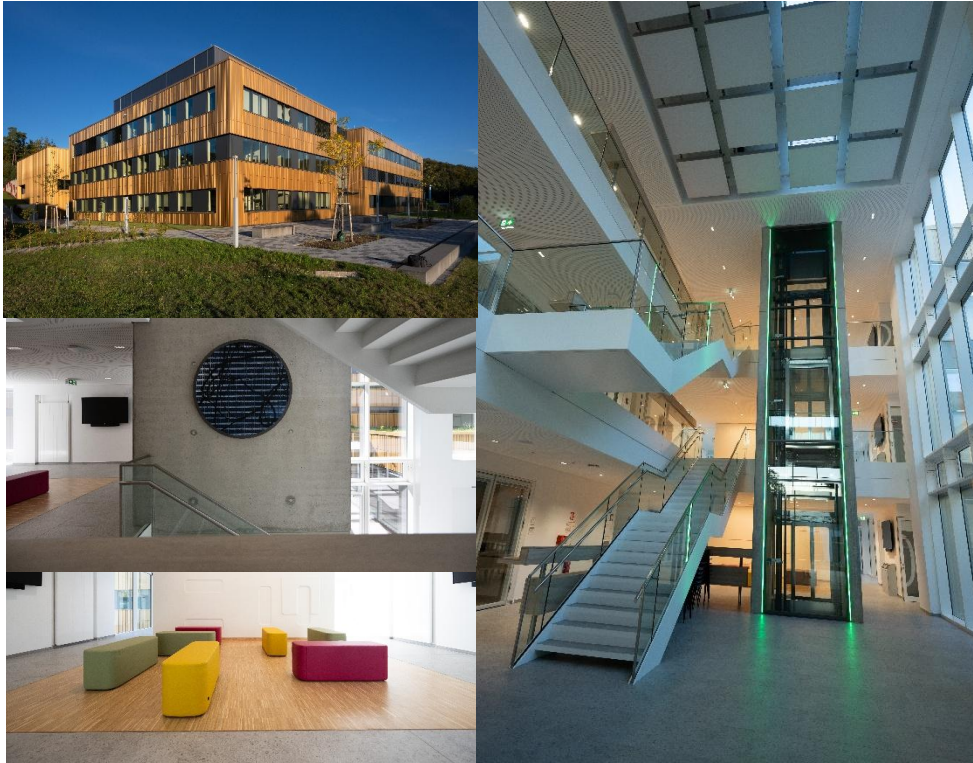




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SYMPOSIUM

Intracellular Membrane Systems & Beyond

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PROGRAM

09:50 – 10:00	Welcome address & Chair (Prof. Dr. Martin van der Laan)
10:00 – 10:30	Lipid and protein homeostasis in the endoplasmic reticulum <i>Prof. Dr. Robert Ernst (Homburg)</i>
10:30 – 11:00	Redox-regulated chaperones as guardians of proteostasis <i>Prof. Dr. Kathrin Ulrich (Saarbrücken)</i>
11:00 – 11:30	A selectivity filter in Tim17 mediates intramitochondrial protein sorting <i>Annika Egeler (Kaiserslautern)</i>
11:30 – 12:10	Cotranslational protein insertion into the Inner mitochondrial membrane <i>Prof. Dr. Peter Rehling (Göttingen)</i>
12:15 – 13:30	Break & Guided Tour PZMS
13:30 – 14:00	Connecting proteins, membranes and functions in mitochondria <i>Dr. Karina von der Malsburg (Homburg)</i>
14:00 – 14:30	Protein targeting to lipid droplets & the importance of inter-organelle communication <i>Prof. Dr. Bianca Schrul (Homburg)</i>
14:30 – 15:10	Mitochondrial protein import: from basic concepts to protein networks <i>Prof. Dr. Nikolaus Pfanner (Freiburg)</i>
15:10 – 15:40	Break
15:40 – 16:10	Proximity labeling-based proteomics to study primary cilia biogenesis and function <i>Prof. Dr. David Mick (Homburg)</i>
16:10 – 16:40	Autonomous metabolic oscillations controlling cell cycle entry and exit <i>Prof. Dr. Bruce Morgan (Saarbrücken)</i>
16:40 – 17:20	Regulation of protein import into mitochondria <i>Prof. Dr. Agnieszka Chacinska (Warsaw, PL)</i>
17:20 – 17:30	Closing Remarks (Prof. Dr. Martin van der Laan)