

**Day 1: Tuesday, May 26, 2020***MODERATOR: Susan Atlas, University of New Mexico*

Time	Title	Instructor
8:00am – 8:30am (MDT) 4:00pm – 4:30pm (CET)	Welcome and Introduction to Virtual Syncell2020 Symposium	Gabriel López Joachim Spatz
8:30am – 9:15am (MDT) 4:30pm – 5:15pm (CET)	TUTORIAL: Understanding and controlling the morphological complexity of biomembranes	Reinhard Lipowsky
9:15am – 10:00am (MDT) 5:15pm – 6:00pm (CET)	TUTORIAL: Unspecific interactions in or of cell-like compartments: theory & experiments	Karin Jacobs
10:00am – 10:20am (MDT) 6:00pm – 6:20pm (CET)	PROGRAM HIGHLIGHT: Max Planck Matter-to-Life School	Michael Grunze
10:30am – 11:10am (MDT) 6:30pm – 7:10pm (CET)	KEYNOTE: Bottom-up assembly of a cell	Joachim Spatz

Day 2: Wednesday, May 27, 2020*MODERATOR: Ilia Platzman, Max Planck Institute for Medical Research*

Time	Title	Speaker
8:00am – 8:10am (MDT) 4:00pm – 4:10pm (CET)	Welcome	Gabriel López
8:10am – 8:55am (MDT) 4:10pm – 4:55pm (CET)	TUTORIAL: Development and application of DNA in nanoscale robotics	Darko Stefanovic
8:55am – 9:40am (MDT) 4:55pm – 5:40pm (CET)	TUTORIAL: Methods to visualize 3D dynamics	Jim Werner
9:45am – 10:05am (MDT) 5:45pm – 6:05pm (CET)	PROGRAM HIGHLIGHT: BaSyC	Marileen Dogterom
10:10am – 11:00am (MDT) 6:10pm – 7:00pm (CET)	KEYNOTE: Building a functional cytoskeleton in synthetic cells	Marileen Dogterom

Day 3: Thursday, May 28, 2020*MODERATOR: Andrew Ellington, University of Texas - Austin*

Time	Title	Speaker
8:00am – 8:10am (MDT) 4:00pm – 4:10pm (CET)	Welcome	Gabriel López
8:10am – 8:50am (MDT) 4:10pm – 4:50pm (CET)	KEYNOTE: Upwelling – Challenges arising from the bottom of Earth's life well	Drew Endy
8:55am – 9:40am (MDT) 4:55pm – 5:40pm (CET)	TUTORIAL: Synthetic building blocks to grow functional tissues	Laura De Laporte
9:40am – 10:25am (MDT) 5:40pm – 6:25pm (CET)	TUTORIAL: Liquid/liquid phase separation of intrinsically disordered proteins	Nick Carroll
10:25am – 10:45am (MDT) 6:25pm – 6:45pm (CET)	PROGRAM HIGHLIGHT: Build-a-Cell	Kate Adamala
10:50am – 11:20am (MDT) 6:50pm – 7:20pm (CET)	PANEL DISCUSSION: Future synthetic cell technologies for mitigation of viral pandemics	Andrew Ellington Kate Adamala Eberhard Bodenschatz Michael Grunze
11:20am – 11:30am (MDT)	Final Remarks / Next Steps	Gabriel López

MDT – Mountain Daylight Time CET – Central European Time

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