

## Lecture Series

# The fast lane of evolution

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February**

**Aula Magna Azzone, Polo Vallisneri 10:00 - 11:30**

**Prof. Eugene V. Koonin (NIH - Bethesda)**

Diversity and evolution of microbial defense systems

**Dr. Darren Hart (CNRS - Grenoble)**

Using in vitro evolution to design inhibitors  
of a viral replication machine

**Prof. Imre Berger (Bristol University)**

Evolution of an idea into a biotech start-up,  
the raw and the cooked

**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February**

**Aula A PT, Polo Vallisneri 16:00**

**Prof. Eugene V. Koonin (NIH - Bethesda)**

Charting the world of viruses by metagenome and  
metatranscriptome mining

**You are all invited to participate**  
**Refreshments will be offered on Monday**