

European Network for Life Sciences, Health and the Courts – ENLSC

Collegio Ghislieri – Pavia (I)

# Hot genetic issues and the Courts

**First Seminar  
for European judges and prosecutors**

Pavia, 7<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2005

With the support of  
**Comitato Nazionale per la Biosicurezza e le Biotecnologie  
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Venue:

**Collegio Ghislieri**  
(Piazza Ghislieri 5 – 27100 Pavia, I)

**Dipartimento di Biologia Animale**  
(Piazza Botta 9 – 27100 Pavia, I)

Evening events are open to the public

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**7<sup>th</sup> September**  
9.00 a.m.  
Opening addresses

9.45 a.m. Presentation of the participants

10.15 a.m. Opening lectures  
Life sciences and the law: exceptionalism vs. undervaluation  
(A. Santosuosso)  
Biological sciences to-day (C.A. Redi)

3.00 – 6.00 p.m.  
Hands-on-Lab (A)  
Basic information into biology (cell and tissues) and genetics (genes and genomes). Practices in routine histological and cytological techniques.

9.00 p.m. Evening  
Press Lab (A. Abbott, A. Chakrabarty, C.A. Redi)

**8<sup>th</sup> September**  
9.00 a.m. – 1.00 p.m.  
Legal Lab (A) Focus on biobanking  
Speakers: R. Chadwick, F. Cucca, A. Santosuosso, V. Sellaroli

3.00 – 6.00 p.m.  
Hands-on-Lab (B)  
Basic information into genes and genomic techniques. Extraction (from oral epithelial cells) and amplification (thanks to the PCR reaction) of each participant DNA. DNA gel electrophoresis.

9.00 p.m.  
Conference: C. Romeo-Casabona

**9<sup>th</sup> September**  
9.00 a.m. – 1.00 p.m.  
Legal Lab (B)  
Focus on Intellectual Property Rights  
Speakers: A. Chakrabarty, G. Gennari, M. Scuffi

3.00 – 6.00 p.m.  
Hands-on-Lab (C)  
From crime scene into the lab (a practical demonstration)  
(L. Garofano)

**10<sup>th</sup> September**  
9.00 a.m. – 1.00 p.m.  
Legal lab (C)  
Focus on DNA techniques and criminal law  
Speakers: J. Simon, L. Garofano, G. Gennari

11.30 – 12.30 a.m.  
Final remarks, presentation of proposals and future activities

**Official language: English**