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***IIBM extraordinary - Seminar***

**“Computational approaches to study protein-protein interactions  
Regulating the expresión of membrane proteins”**



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**Nov 25<sup>th</sup> - 14:00 Hrs.**

**In-person Seminar – Auditorio Edificio San Agustín  
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## **Computational approaches to study protein-protein interactions Regulating the expresión of membrane proteins**

### **Overview:**

Ariela's talk centers on the recognition of binding partners for the TRP channels, including the protein 14-3-3gamma which is key for the surface expression of these channels. These discoveries show its strong potentials of these protein-protein interactions as a pharmacological target to regulate TRP function.

**Host: Chaos, Panic and dis(order) in Protein Evolution Seminar & Workshop**



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**“Characterizing disordered domains in a human -and unique-  
transcription factor model at single molecule level”**



**Exequiel Medina, PhD**

Department of Biology, Universidad de Chile, Santiago Chile

**Nov 25<sup>th</sup> - 15:00 Hrs.**

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### **Overview:**

This talk will be focused on the dynamics of an essential transcription factor in human development, the FoxP family. Through the use of fluorophores has been determined the oligomerization mechanism of this family, including the kinetics of these processes through single-molecule studies such as smFRET. Solving this puzzle has helped understand how the dynamics of this protein with intrinsically-disordered regions affects the DNA recognition of this transcription factor.

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