

Course for Ph.D. students 40th cycle (Nov 2024 – Oct 2027)

Cryo-electron Microscopy of Biological Macromolecules (4 ECTS)

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The exact date and time will be announced on the website in the page “Active courses” for each session.

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Course description

Cryo-electron microscopy (Cryo-EM) is a rapidly advancing structural biology technique that allows the determination of the three-dimensional structures of biological macromolecules. Cryo-EM has revolutionized the field of structural biology by providing a powerful tool for visualizing the structure of biological molecules either in their native state at near-atomic resolution (single-particle analysis, SPA) or in their natural environment (tomography). After a brief introduction to the principles and applications of cryo-EM, the course will provide a practical hands-on experience with both cryo-EM SPA and subtomogram averaging.