

Curriculum vitae

Name: Mario de Bono
Date of Birth: September 28th, 1969
Nationality: Malta, UK

Posts held:

From 2019 Professor Institute of Science and Technology (IST) Austria
2004–2019 Tenured group Leader, MRC Laboratory of Molecular Biology, Cambridge, UK
1999–2004 Tenure-track Group Leader, MRC Laboratory of Molecular Biology, Cambridge, UK
1997–1999 Research Associate Howard Hughes Medical Institute, UCSF, San Francisco, USA (with Cori Bargmann)
1995–1997 Wellcome Trust Travelling Prize Fellow, UCSF, San Francisco, USA (with Cori Bargmann)

Education

B.Sc.(Hons) 1st Class Molecular Biology, University of Glasgow 1990
Ph.D. (Biology), University of Cambridge 1995

Scientific Honors and awards

2018–2023 Wellcome Investigator Award
2011–2017 Advanced Grant ERC
2014 Honorary Appointment, Garvan Medical Institute, Australia
2011–2014 CoEN Award (Centre of Excellence in Neurodegeneration)
2006–2008 Human Frontiers Science Program Organization grant
2007 Elected to EMBO
2005 The Balfour Lecture, The Genetics Society, UK
2004 Max Perutz Prize, MRC Laboratory of Molecular Biology
1995 Wellcome Trust Prize Travelling Fellowship
1990 Wellcome Trust Prize Studentship
1990 External Research Studentship, Trinity College, Univ. Cambridge
1990 Overseas Research Studentship, UK.
1990 Jamieson Prize (Best Molec. Biology degree, Univ. of Glasgow, UK)

Invited Lectures (selection, 2014–2017)

2017 Centre d'Immunologie, Marseille, France
2017 ECRO (European Chemoreception Research Organization) meeting, UK
2017 CECAD, Cologne, Germany
2017 Gordon Conference "Modulation of Neural Circuits & Behavior", USA (Discussion leader)
2017 University of Stockholm, Sweden
2017 ROS & Mitochondria in Nervous System Function & Disease, UK (Keynote)
2017 Royal Society Neuropeptide signalling meeting, UK
2017 6th Spanish *C. elegans* meeting, Valencia, Spain (Keynote)
2016 Society for Redox Biology & Medicine 2016, San Francisco, USA (Plenary)
2016 3rd Advanced course in Optogenetics, Institut Curie, Paris, France
2016 MRC Centre for Developmental Neurobiology, King's College London, UK
2016 Southampton Neuroscience Annual meeting (SoNG), UK
2016 XIXth Intl. Conference on O2 binding proteins, Hamburg, Germany
2016 'Alternative Models in Biology', Birmingham, UK (Student run conference)
2016 Institute of Metabolic Science, Cambridge, UK
2016 British Society for Parasitology 2016 Spring Meeting, London, UK
2016 Cortex Club, Oxford, UK (Student-run Seminar series)
2016 19th Annual French *C. elegans* meeting, Lyon, France (Keynote)
2015 3rd Annual Meeting for Misfolding Diseases, Cambridge, UK
2015 Institute of Genetics and Development, Rennes, France
2015 Gordon Conference "Modulation of Neural Circuits & Behavior", Hong Kong

2015 Dept. of Cell Biology, University of Geneva, Switzerland
2014 Centennial Institute, Sydney, Australia
2014 Institute of Molecular Life Science, Zurich, Switzerland
2014 Queensland Brain Institute, Brisbane, Australia
2014 2nd European Workshop on Peptide Signalling in Plants, Regensburg, Germany
2014 Pasteur Institute, Paris, France

Organization of meetings & courses

2021 Chair, Gordon Conference "Modulation of Neural Circuits & Behavior"
2019 Vice-Chair, Gordon Conference "Modulation of Neural Circuits & Behavior"
2014 Co-organizer Symposium Molecular Biology at 50 and beyond
2011 13th IBANGS meeting, Rome
2010 Co-organizer, "Molecular Systems Neurobiology" session EMBO meeting
2009 Co-organizer, International *C. elegans* meeting
2009 Co-organiser, 11th IBANGS meeting in Dresden
2005-7 Instructor, Cold Spring Harbor *C. elegans* course

Peer Review

Journals: *Nature*, *Neuron*, *Nature Neuroscience*, *J. Neuroscience*, *Cell reports*, *PNAS*, *Current Biology*, *PLoS Genetics*; *Genetics*, *eLife* (~ 25/year)
Grant agencies: *ERC*, *EMBO*, *HFSP*, *MRC*, *BBSRC*, *FRS-FNRS (Belgium)*, *AERES (France)*, *Israel Science Foundation* (~ 8/year).
Editorial Boards: *EMBO Reports*, 2009–2017; *Neural systems and circuits* 2010–2013; *Scientific Reports* 2015 - present