

# 9th Transgenic Technology Meeting 2010 in Berlin, Germany TT2010



Dear friends and colleagues,

It is my pleasure to announce that we will be hosting the 9th Transgenic Technology Meeting at the Max-Delbrück-Center for Molecular Medicine (MDC) in Germany's Capital Berlin.

After this series of meetings had been started in 1999 by Johannes Wilbertz at the Karolinska Institute in Stockholm, Sweden, the conference was mostly held in Sweden, in Munich in the year 2002 and in Barcelona in 2005. At that time it was decided to address an international audience and after initiating the foundation of the International Society for Transgenic Technologies (ISTT), TT meetings left the European continent to be held first in Brisbane, Australia (2007), and then in Toronto, Canada (2008).

In 2010 the meeting will, after almost five years, come back to the heart of Europe, to Berlin, a city that has become even more lively and multi-faceted in the years since Germany's reunification. In the last almost two decades more than 1.6 million people have moved to Berlin from all over the world. Information and communication technology sectors as well as transport economics are over proportionally growing as are medical and biotechnology.

Creativity and excellence not only characterize Berlin's scientific and commercial face but also its cultural highlights with outstanding exhibitions, theaters and historical sites that are worth a visit by themselves.

The MDC is part of the Helmholtz society of German research centers (Helmholtz Gemeinschaft deutscher Forschungszentren, HGF). As integral part of Berlin's scientific landscape, the MDC cooperates with most Berlin institutes and companies working in the biomedical sector. Cooperation with international partners and above all its own scientists have made it an internationally renowned center for molecular biological sciences.

The communication center MDC.C provides space for congresses on four levels. A 600 square meter entrance hall on the ground floor provides the capacity to host large events. The bright, open foyer receives visitors and two staircases lead to the main lecture halls. Up to 500 people can gather in the main lecture hall.

As you see, we are well prepared to welcome you from March 22-24, 2010 at the MDC in Berlin.

Registration will open in summer 2009. Please come back as this site is filling with content to provide information about TT2010, the city, how to get here and more.

See you all in Berlin

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