



## COMBINE 2016: Newcastle upon Tyne, UK

19-23 September

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The “Computational Modeling in Biology” Network (COMBINE) is an initiative to coordinate the development of the various community standards and formats in systems biology and related fields. COMBINE 2016 will be a workshop-style event with oral presentations, posters, and breakout sessions. The five meeting days will include talks about the COMBINE standards and associated or related standardization efforts, as well as presentations of tools using these standards. Oral presentations will be selected from the submitted abstracts. In addition, poster sessions will allow people to inform each other about their software and other projects in a setting that fosters interaction and in-depth discussion.

### KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

- **Alfonso Bueno-Orovio** (*Oxford*)
- **Carole Goble** (*Manchester*)
- **Michael Hucka** (*Caltech*)
- **Dagmar Iber** (*ETH Zurich*)
- **Andrew Millar** (*Edinburgh*)
- **Chris J. Myers** (*Utah*)
- **Daryl P. Shanley** (*Newcastle*)
- **Yujiang Wang** (*Newcastle*)

### KEY DATES

**Abstract submission:** 8 July 2016  
**Scholarship application:** 8 July 2016  
**Notification:** 15 July 2016  
**COMBINE:** 19-23 September 2016

### TOPICS OF INTEREST

- Data exchange and model standards for systems biology
- Graphical notation standards for systems biology
- Standards for sharing and analysing biological pathway data
- Standards for computational biological models

### LOCAL ORGANISERS

Paolo Zuliani & Anil Wipat  
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### TRAVEL SCHOLARSHIPS

PhD students and postdocs may apply for travel funds to attend COMBINE. More information on the COMBINE website.

### COMBINE COORDINATORS

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