

# IMB Green Seminar



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### How to go green in a wet lab

If you work in a bioscience lab, you probably know that this type of research produces an incredible amount of plastic waste. What you may not know is that your lab work also consumes huge amounts of energy, water and consumables. In fact, laboratories consume more energy per square meter than any other industrial space except for data centres — and the ecological footprint of your lab work is typically 3-10 times higher than the ecological footprint of your life outside the lab. That's why green lab actions make a difference!

#### Tune in to this interactive seminar and hands-on workshop to learn more about:

- The worst offenders in terms of equipment and habits that contribute to the high environmental impact of bioscience lab work
- The top 5 high-impact green actions you can take in the lab without compromising research
- The many good arguments for going green

# 21 January 2021, 4 pm (CET/UCT+1)

The one-hour seminar will be followed by an optional one-hour workshop. Both will take place <u>online</u> via Zoom. To receive log-in data for this online event, please register here.

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