



LABixSuperres 2024

BREAKING BARRIERS FOR BIOIMAGING IN LATIN AMERICA

JOINT MEETING OF THE BIOIMAGING AND SUPERRESOLUTION
MICROSCOPY COMMUNITY OF LATIN AMERICA

August, 19th - 23th, 2024

Jardim Botânico, Rio do Janeiro, Brazil

Welcome to **LABIxSuperres 2024**

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Dear Colleagues,

We are excited to extend an invitation to the inaugural joint meeting of **Latin America Bioimaging (LABI) and the Fluorescence Nanoscopy in Bioimaging Congress 2024 (FNB)**. LABI and FNB are dedicated to enhancing bioimaging capacities across Latin America and the Caribbean, fostering community building, and promoting career development for imaging scientists, all while striving to increase access to imaging resources.

We are privileged to simultaneously host the annual meetings of both organizations with the support of the Sociedade Brasileira de Microscopia e Microanálise (SBMM), providing a unique opportunity for collaboration and knowledge sharing. **Join us from August 19th to 23rd at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil**, where members of both communities will come together to share experiences, align interests, and integrate efforts with the global bioimaging community.

The LABI Meeting will take place from August 18th to 21st, followed by the FNB Meeting from August 21st to 23rd. On August 21, all participants will have the opportunity to visit the Centro Nacional de Biologia Estrutural e Bioimagem (CENABIO) and participate in an outreach activity open to the general public.

This five-day event offers a unique platform for networking and collaboration, providing opportunities to engage with decision makers in research infrastructure investment. The academic focus of Superres will allow the exchange of knowledge of cutting-edge research in fluorescence and imaging. In addition, there will be dedicated sessions for discussions with science policy makers, academics and commercial representatives.

We look forward to welcoming you to Rio de Janeiro for what promises to be a memorable and productive meeting.

Estamos ansiosos para recebê-lo!!

On behalf of the Meeting Organizing Committee,

Lía Pietrasanta, Kildare Miranda and Andrés Kamaid (*LABI Co-Chairs*)
Adán Guerrero and Mariano Buffone (*Superres Co-Organizers*)



WHY SPONSOR?

- This joint meeting provides a harmonious balance between a community and academic event.
- This is an **opportunity to foster engagement and collaboration** among multiple stakeholders in bioimaging across Latin America and abroad.
- You will be invited to **contribute to conversations** around core facility-industry interaction and strategies for technology dissemination in Latin America, as well as discussions around fluorescence and superresolution technology development and implementation.
- This is a unique **opportunity to closely interact** with decision makers of Imaging Core Facilities across the Latin America and key global partners.
- You will have the **opportunity to share your vision and promote existing and newly developed products** to a regional network of bioimaging professionals.
- There will be **opportunity to engage** with key trainers and young talents, share about your organization and opportunities.

Who will participate?

LABIxSuperres is a targeted event for establishing and strengthening strategic links between bioimaging professionals throughout the region and key global partners and stakeholders from North America, Europe and Africa.

LABI is an expanding community. Currently, **360 members** from **26 countries** and **65 core facilities** from **11 regional countries** registered in our website. LABI's periodic newsletter has over 550 subscribers.

At the LABI Meeting, based on our experience at the 2022-23 meeting, **we anticipate 90 in-person participants from 12 countries.**

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The meeting aims to attract a diverse range of participants, including seasoned researchers, early-career scientists, and students, fostering collaboration, knowledge exchange, and networking opportunities within the field of super-resolution microscopy and bioimaging, particularly within the Latin American community

Program and topics at LABIxSuperres 2024

The **LABI Meeting** will focus on the following topics:

- Aug 18** - Opening Round Table with Local Authorities (Museo da Amanha)
- Aug 19** - LABI-funded Program Evaluation and Working Groups Networking
 - Setting the Stage for a Regional Sustainable Growth in Open Infrastructure
- Aug 20** - Fostering Innovation in Data Management for Biomedical Impact
 - Shaping a Sustainable Pathway for Bioimaging in Latin America
- Aug 21** - Outreach activity & visit to CENABIO

The **Superres Meeting** will :

- Aug 22** - Session 1 - Super resolution microscopy in Latin America
 - Session 2 - Single molecule localization microscopy
- Aug 23** - Session 3 - Boosting Optical Fluorescence Microscopy with Structured Light
 - Session 4 - Expanding worldwide access to Super Resolution Microscopy

Joint Meeting Committee Members

- **Lía Pietrasanta (LABI Co-Chair)** - Centro de Microscopía Avanzada, Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina.
- **Andrés Olivera (LABI Network Manager)** - Latin America Bioimaging, Institut Pasteur de Montevideo, Uruguay
- **Ivan Rey (LABI Steering Coommittee)** - MicroCore, Universidad de los Andes, Colombia
- **Christopher Wood (LABI Steering Coommittee)** - Director, Laboratorio Nacional de Microscopía Avanzada, Instituto de Biotecnología, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM), México
- **Mariana De Niz (LABI Outreach & Integration WG)** - Manager, Nikon Imaging Center, Northwestern University, United States
- **Kildare Miranda (LABI, Co-Chair & local organizer)** - Director, Centro Nacional de Biología Estructural e Bioimagem, Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- **Marcia Attias (Local Organizer)** - Centro Nacional de Biología Estructural e Bioimagem, Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- **Lia Carolina Medeiros (Local Organizer)** - Fiocruz / Sociedade Brasileira de Microscopia e Microanálise
- **Eduardo Torres (Local Organizer)** - UERJ / Sociedade Brasileira de Microscopia e Microanálise
- **Adán Guerrero (Superres Committee Member)** -Laboratorio Nacional de Microscopía Avanzada, Instituto de Biotecnología, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM), México
- **Mariano Buffone (Superres Committee Member)** - Instituto de Biología y Medicina Experimental (IBYME), Buenos Aires, Argentina.
- **Yuriney Abonza (Superres Committee Member)** - Laboratorio Nacional de Microscopía Avanzada, Instituto de biotecnología, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM), México
- **Valeria Piazza (Superres Committee Member)** -Centro de Investigaciones en Óptica, A.C. (C.I.O.) México.
- **Haydee Hernandez (Superres Committee Member)** - Laboratorio Nacional de Microscopía Avanzada, Instituto de biotecnología, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM), México
- **Janaina García (Superres Committee Member)** Mexican Bioimaging Workshop Ambassador.

Sponsorship Offerings

As a valued sponsor of LABIxSuperres 2024, we would like to express our gratitude for your support in bringing our communities together. Your participation will greatly contribute to the success of this high profile event that will promote our collaborative efforts, and the projection of a sustainable future for bioimaging in Latin America.

In recognition to your sponsorship, we are pleased to offer you the following benefits which will maximize your visibility and engagement with our attendees:

Sponsorship Categories	Bronze	Silver	Gold	Platinum
Financial Contribution	U\$S 500	U\$S 1,500	U\$S 3,000	U\$S 6,000
1 Discount for LABI or SBMM partners	No discount	5%	5%	10%
2 Logo on Websites & Conference Program	✓	✓	✓	✓
3 Sponsorship of Conference Breaks	✓	✓	✓	✓
4 Materials to the conference bag		✓	✓	✓
5 Logo on Promotional Materials		✓	✓	✓
6 Display Booth		✓	✓	✓
7 Recognition in Opening/Closing Remarks			✓	✓
8 Conference Passes			1 pass	2 passes
9 Prominent Banner & Booth Placement				✓
10 Pre-recorded oral presentation				✓

Prices listed are in US Dollars.

Sponsorship Offerings

1. **Logo on Meeting Website & Conference Program** - Your company logo will be displayed in the Sponsor's section of the websites that both LABI and Superres? will dedicate to the event. Also, they will appear in the sponsor page of the Printed Program. (alphabetically by tier with Bronze - 1 of 4 in row, Silver - 1 of 3 in row, Gold - 1 of 2 in row, Platinum - alone in row)
2. **Sponsorship of Conference Breaks** - Your company name and sponsorship level will be displayed on the conference coffee/refreshment break table(s) (similar to the printed program)
3. **Contribute Materials to the conference bag** - Your company may send content (small swag items) for the conference bag
4. **Logo on Promotional Materials** - Your company logo (as designated in 1) will be displayed on the conference bag and notebook
5. **Display Booth** - Your company may choose to display a booth in the area designated for networking during the networking sessions
6. **Recognition in Opening/Closing Remarks** - Your company name and sponsorship level will be displayed on a slide which will be highlighted at the start and end of both the LABI and BINA portions of the meeting.
7. **Conference Passes** - Meals will be provided for the number of company representatives indicated in the sponsorship category during the course of the entire event (or whichever portion you choose to attend).
8. **Prominent Banner & Booth Placement** - Your company logo will be displayed prominently in the networking session location and you will be given the choice of to select where your booth is located (decided on first come first serve basis amongst other Platinum sponsors).
9. **Space for pre-recorded oral presentation** - Your company may submit a 5 minute pre-recorded Tech Bite talk which will be shared with local and virtual audiences before one of the breaks during the meeting and will form part of the archived material associated with the meeting after the event

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