Workshop agenda (updated 7/24)

Monday, July 27, 2015

8:00 am – 9:00 am Breakfast at NIMBioS (Claxton 104)

9:00 am - 9:30 am Welcome and collect questions (Claxton 206)

9:30 am - 11:00 am Presentations (Claxton 206)

- Overview of microbial community studies (Dr. Jill Banfield, UC-Berkeley)
- Ocean microbial communities (Dr. Mary Ann Moran, University of Georgia)

11:00 am - 11:30 am Break

11:30 am - 1:00 pm Presentations (Claxton 206)

- Microbial sequencing centers (Dr. Nadim Ajami, Baylor College of Medicine)
- Microbial community data management (Dr. Victor Markowitz, Joint Genome Institute)

1:00 pm -2:30 pm Lunch at NIMBioS (Claxton 104)

2:30 pm – 3:00 pm Intro to breakouts and questions (Claxton 206)
3:00 pm - 4:20 pm Breakout groups (Claxton 103A, 105, 205, and 206)

- Cross-field opportunities
- Data integration
- Statistical issues
- Application/analysis gaps

4:20 pm – 5:00 pm Breakout groups report back (Claxton 206)

- Summary: Cross-field opportunities
- Summary: Data integration
- Summary: Statistical issues
- Summary: Application/analysis Gaps

5:30 pm – 7:00 pm Social and Dinner at NIMBioS (Claxton 104)

7:00 pm - 8:30 pm Breakout group writing sessions with refreshments

Tuesday, July 28, 2015

8:00 am – 9:00 am Breakfast at NIMBioS (Claxton 104)

9:00 am - 9:30 am Welcome and Monday Recap (Claxton 206)

9:30 am - 10:30 am Presentations (Claxton 206)

- The human microbiome (Katherine Lemon, Forsythe Institute)
- Microbial community algorithmics (Shibu Yooseph, J. Craig Venter Institute)

10:30-11:00 am Break

11:00-12:00 am Presentations (Claxton 206)

- Environmental microbial communities (Susannah Tringe, DOE Joint Genome Institute)
- Microbial community statistics (Hector Corrada Bravo, University of Maryland)

12:00-1:00 pm Lunch (Claxton 104)

1:00 pm – 1:45 pm Panel/open discussion on needs/gaps/challenges (Claxton 206)

1:45 pm – 2:00 pm Formal wrap-up and next steps (Claxton 206)