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We are pleased to invite you to participate in '**Epigenetics & Metabolism**' international live web seminar series. Everyone is welcome.

## Speaker:



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**Topic:** "Mitochondrial NAD<sup>+</sup> levels influence nuclear PARP1-induced ADP-ribosylation and subsequently the DNA damage response"

When: Thursday, 01. December 2022, 16:00-17:00 CET.

Where: On Zoom (Meeting ID: 867 4943 1922; Passcode: 64199593). Free registration Link: <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\_ijmLJCzYTPK0ayCVxwfzQA</u>

**Summary:** In addition to its role as an electron transporter, mitochondrial nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide (NAD<sup>+</sup>) is an important co-factor for protein ADP-ribosylation. We provide evidence that knockdown of the mitochondrial NAD<sup>+</sup> transporter SLC25A51 decreased the NAD<sup>+</sup> concentration in mitochondria but increased the NAD<sup>+</sup> concentration in the cytoplasm and nucleus. This NAD<sup>+</sup> redistribution restrained mitochondrial function and energy metabolism but increased PARP1-mediated nuclear ADP-ribosylation and allowed a faster repair of DNA lesions. Similarly,  $H_2O_2$ -induced oxidative stress induced strong nuclear ADP-ribosylation, but reciprocally reduced mitochondrial NAD(H) levels. In contrast, elevation of mitochondrial NAD(H) by mitochondrial electron transport chain dampened  $H_2O_2$ -triggered nuclear ADP-ribosylation and increased MMS-induced PARP1 chromatin retention. Together, our results suggest that subcellular NAD<sup>+</sup> availability regulates different cellular processes in a dynamic manner and provides evidence for a NAD<sup>+</sup>-mediated mitochondrial-nuclear crosstalk.

We are looking forward to see you at our web seminar. Best wishes, Indra & Carlos

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