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## **ALPHY: French-Spanish meeting on Bioinformatics and Evolutionary Genomics, March 19-21 2012, Banyuls-sur-Mer (France)**

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ALPHY is an annual meeting, organized in France since 1995, dedicated to the field of Bioinformatics and Comparative Genomics (ALPHY = ALignments and PHYlogeny). The main goal of this meeting is to promote informal communication in this highly multidisciplinary field, and to encourage young scientists to present their work.

This year, ALPHY is co-organized by Spanish and French scientists, in the nice city of Banyuls, with the hope of enhancing scientific exchanges between research groups of these two countries - and beyond. There will be two invited speakers (Henrik Kaessmann and Jose Castresana), and the program will be open for 25 to 30 contributions of 20' talks, plus possibly posters.

Registration to the meeting is free, but mandatory. Please use the link below to register. The maximum number of attendees is 120 (first come first served). If you wish to present your work, please submit an abstract in the registration form. Depending on funding, some budget might be available for supporting the travel expenses of young speakers. Please indicate whether you are asking for such a travel grant when registering.

Hasta pronto ! A bientôt ! See you in Banyuls!

Alphy 2012 web site:

Important dates:

Deadline for abstract submission: January 10 2012  
Deadline for registration : February 1st 2012

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