

GLOBAL STRESS & RESILIENCE MEETING: FROM MECHANISMS TO APPLICATIONS PRIVACY POLICY

This privacy policy applies to the GLOBAL STRESS & RESILIENCE MEETING: FROM MECHANISMS TO APPLICATIONS and supplements the general [EPFL privacy policy](#).

1. Who is responsible for the processing of your personal data and for which purposes?

The Ecole polytechnique fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL) is the data controller and processes your personal data to ensure an adequate organization, follow-up, communication and promotion of GLOBAL STRESS & RESILIENCE MEETING: FROM MECHANISMS TO APPLICATIONS which will take place on from 3 February to 5 February 2027 at the EPFL, Forum Rolex and MED building, Lausanne, Switzerland, as well as broadcasted via Zoom.

The Laboratory of Behavioral Genetics is responsible for the complete organization of the conference, the communication with the speakers and participants before and after the end of the conference, as well as communication and promotion of the event.

The purpose of the processing of your personal data is handling registration and attendance, reporting on the conference, as well as conference follow-up actions, such as issuance of certificates of attendance. It includes, in particular, lists and mailing lists for contacts, invitations, participants, photographs/pictures, presentations, audio and/or video recording of speakers and participants, news and publications. Your personal data will not be used for any automated decision-making including profiling.

2. Legal basis for data processing

The Laboratory of Behavioral Genetics processes your personal data in accordance with the Swiss Federal Act on Data Protection (hereinafter “FADP”) as well as, where applicable, the Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regards to the processing of Personal Data and on the free movement of such data (General Data Protection Regulation, hereinafter “GDPR”). The processing of your personal data is based on your consent. By registering to the event, you are consenting to the processing of data that is necessary to the organization and your participation to the conference. Separate consents for additional purposes are asked for in the registration form, in particular for the process of dietary requests.

3. What data we collect about you?

Contact data, such as first name, last name, organization, location, e-mail address, position, and dietary requests (if any) for organizing meals.

Please note that there will be photos and audio and/or video recordings taken during the event, as well as broadcast by Zoom based on the prior consent of the speakers and the participants.

The photos/videos may be published by the Laboratory of Behavioral Genetics for communication purposes. If you do not want to be in any photos of the event, you may sit in the back rows and send an email to the organizers with a special request: aurelie.lattion@epfl.ch

4. Who accesses your data and to whom is it disclosed?

Access to your data is granted only to the Laboratory of Behavioral Genetics, who is involved in the organization of the event. Where necessary, we may also share your information with service providers for the purposes of organizing the conference.

For visibility purposes, personal data (pictures, video or audio recording) are diffused to a wider public (intranet or Internet). If you do not agree with your image or voice being recorded and published, please use the possibility to opt out during registration or by contacting the organizer at any stage and explicitly specifying your request: aurelie.lattion@epfl.ch.

We will never sell your personal data for marketing purposes.

5. Data Security and Data transfers

In order to protect your personal data, a number of technical and organizational measures have been put in place.

Technical measures include appropriate actions to address online security, risk of data loss, alteration of data or unauthorized access, taking into consideration the risk presented by the processing and the nature of the data being processed.

Organizational measures include restricting access to the data to authorized persons with a legitimate need to know for the purposes of this processing operation.

6. How long do we keep your data?

Personal data is kept as long as follow-up actions to the conference are necessary with regard to the purpose(s) of the processing of personal data as well as for the meeting and its related management. Data will be deleted latest two years after closing the event.

Data necessary for logistics purposes (refund of expenses, transport, etc.) are kept according to the rules set in the [ETH Act](#) and in the [EPFL financial regulation](#).

Photos, audio and video recordings are stored at EPFL for 3 years.

Data protection rights and Contact

Please refer to the [EPFL privacy policy](#).

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