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JRC Summer School on Non-animal Approaches in Science:

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Joint Research Centre, Ispra, Italy

24-28 May 2027



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Day 1 - Monday, 24 May 2027

12:00-13:00	***Arrival JRC - Buffet lunch***
13:00-13:30	**Welcome Session**
13:30-14:45	**SESSION 1: Non-Animal Approaches in Science**
14:45-15:15	***Coffee break***
15:15-16:15	**World Café** - discuss together with the speakers
16:15-16:45	**Stakeholders Introduction**
16:45-17:30	**Student Groups & Coaches** - Prep for Friday debates
17:30-18:30	***"Aperitivo" Welcome Drink & Networking***
18:40	***Bus to hotels***

Day 2 - Tuesday, 25 May 2027

09:30-11:00	**SESSION 2: New frontiers in Mechanistic Biomedical Research**
11:00-11:30	***Coffee break***
11:30-12:30	**World Café** - discuss together with the speakers
12:30-13:15	**Student presentations** - parallel sessions
13:15-14:15	***Lunch break***
14:15-15:00	**Student presentations** - parallel sessions
15:00-16:00	**CAREER SESSION**

16:00-18:00 **Visits to:**
(i) the EURL ECVAM in vitro facility
(ii) JRC Europa Science Experience
(iii) Conference Centre Activities
In parallel Student Groups & Coaches - Prep for Friday debates

18:15 ***Bus to hotels***

Day 3 - Wednesday, 26 May 2027

09:30-11:00 **SESSION 3: Innovative Tools for Animal-Free Science: new technologies for current paradigms**

11:00-11:30 ***Coffee Break & Goup Photo***

11:30-12:30 **World Café** - discuss together with the speakers

12:30-13:15 **Student presentations** - parallel sessions

13:15-14:15 ***Lunch break***

14:15-15:00 **Student presentations** - parallel sessions

15:00-16:00 **Animal Research: Perspectives from the inside**

16:00-18:00 **Visits to:**
(i) the EURL ECVAM in vitro facility
(ii) JRC Europa Science Experience
(iii) Conference Centre Activities
In parallel Student Groups & Coaches - Prep for Friday debates

18:15 ***Bus to Social dinner location***

19:00 ***Social Dinner Event & Networking***

Day 4 - Thursday, 27 May 2027

09:30-11:00	**SESSION 4: Innovation in Regulatory Science**
11:00-11:30	***Coffee Break***
11:30-12:30	**World Café** - discuss together with the speakers
12:30-13:15	**Student presentations** - parallel sessions
13:15-14:15	***Lunch break***
14:15-15:00	**Student presentations** - parallel sessions
15:00-16:00	**The Student Ambassador Network**
16:00-18:00	**Visits to:** **(i) the EURL ECVAM in vitro facility** **(ii) JRC Europa Science Experience** **(iii) Conference Centre Activities** In parallel Student Groups & Coaches - Prep for Friday debates
18:15	***Bus to hotels***

Day 5 - Friday, 28 May 2027

09:00-14:40	**SESSION 5: Student Debates**
09:00-09:05	**Introduction**
09:05-10:40	**Student Debates 1 & 2**
10:40-11:00	***Coffee Break***
11:00-12:35	**Student Debates 3 & 4**
12:35-13:15	***Lunch break***
13:15-14:50	**Student Debates 5 & 6**
14:50-15:05	**Summer School Closing Remarks & Award**
15:15	***Bus departures to airports, train stations, Milan and hotels***