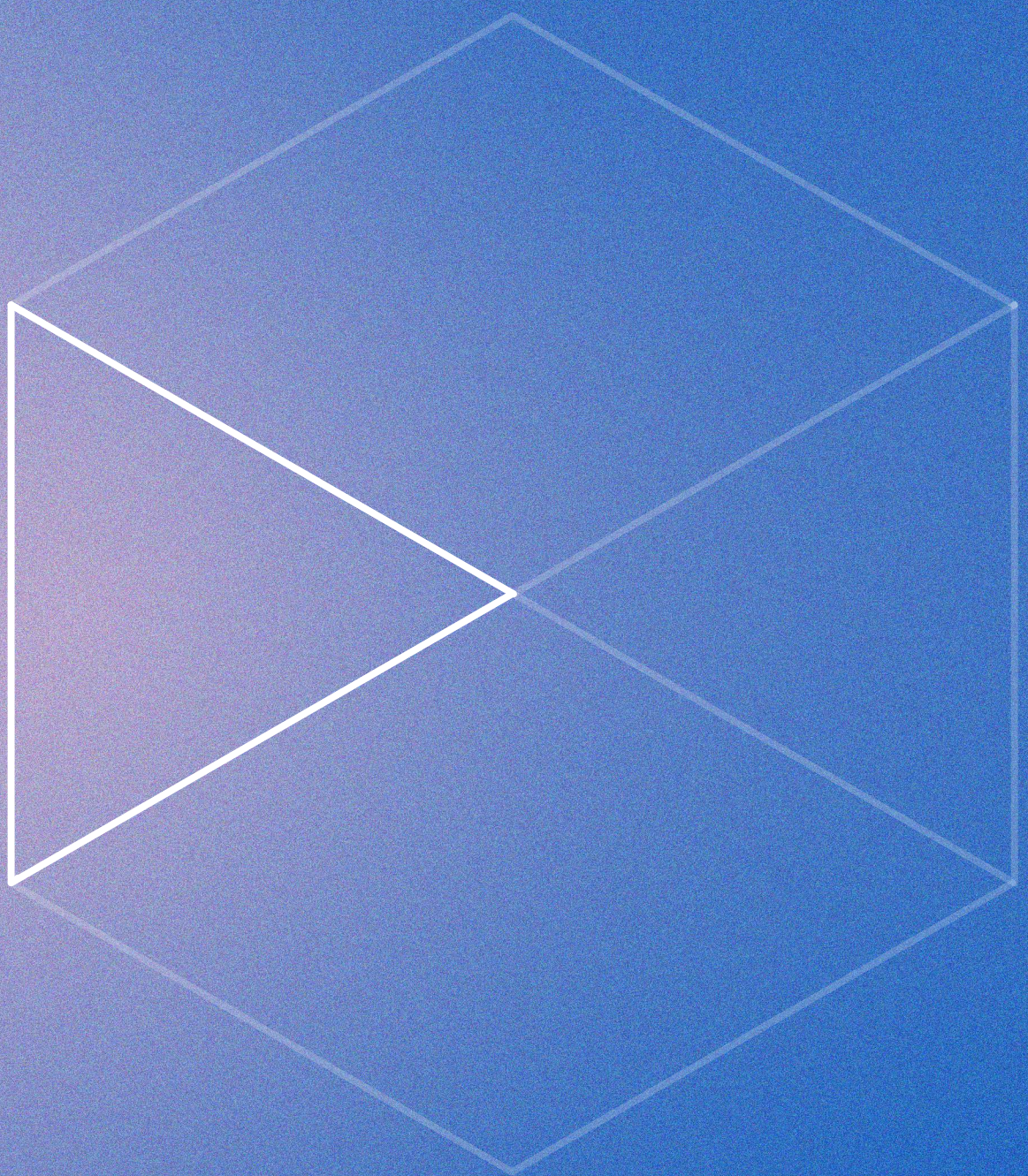


Innovative Therapies

6th CiBB Retreat

September 18, 2026

Casa das Artes, Miranda do Corvo



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Program

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9:00 **Registration**

9:20 **Welcome session**

CiBB board director - Luís Pereira de Almeida
Câmara Municipal de Miranda do Corvo - José Ferreira (President)

9:45 **Session I: Meet your thematic line**

Advanced Cell Technology - Hugo Fernandes
Advanced Therapies Group - Lino Ferreira
Data-Driven Molecular Design - Irina Moreira
Functional Genomics and RNA-based Therapeutics - Miguel Mano
Immune Cell Reprogramming - Filipe Pereira
Medical Microbiology - Teresa Gonçalves

10:30 Coffee break & Networking

11:00 **Session II: Keynote speaker | Glycans as game changers: Shaping the future of immunotherapy and biotech innovation**

Paula Videira (Universidade NOVA de Lisboa)

11:50 **Roundtable | Preparing for the future: Regional strengths, national realities, and translational paths**

Jorge Brandão (CENTRO 2030)
Lino Ferreira (Centro de Inovação em Biomedicina e Biotecnologia)
Miguel Antunes (Câmara Municipal de Coimbra)
Paula Videira (Universidade NOVA de Lisboa)
Moderator: Ana Sofia Rodrigues (Instituto de Investigação Interdisciplinar da Universidade de Coimbra)

13:15 Lunch, Networking & Posters session

14:45 **Team building activity (PHIVE)**

16:00 **Session III: Meet your thematic line**

Functional Proteomics in Health and Disease - Bruno Manadas
Medicinal Chemistry and Drug Discovery - Jorge Salvador
Molecular Biotechnology and Protein Engineering - Isaura Simões
Molecular Microbiology and Microbiome - Nuno Empadinhas
RNA & Infection - Ana Eulálio
Tumor Microenvironment and Targeted Therapies - João Nuno Moreira
Vectors, Gene and Cell Therapy - Luís Pereira de Almeida

16:45 Coffee break & Networking

17:15 **Closing session**

Suggested good practices during the Retreat:

We encourage all participants to bring their name badge and lanyard, reusing them whenever possible;
We encourage all participants to bring a pen and a notepad (these materials will not be provided during the event);
We invite all participants to bring their own reusable water bottles – water refill stations will be available throughout the event.