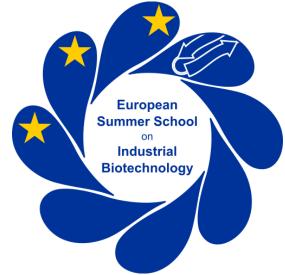


Mikrobiologie und Biotechnologie







Functional metagenomics: from

nature to biochemical functions

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- 1) Finding genes and enzymes
- 2) Mining the sea
- 3) Finding plastic-active enzymes & others
- 4) From (meta) genomes to applications

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- 1) Cell-free expression
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