

# First French-Israeli International Meeting on B cells and Therapeutic Antibodies

*"B cell development, antibody diversity and function:  
from basic science to therapeutic antibodies"*

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Therapeutic antibodies have gained a major place in the clinic. The meeting will cover topics on B cells and antibodies both at the fundamental, biotech and therapeutic levels. New issues on the use of antibodies in therapy will be discussed

#### Goals:

- Free access to world-class conferences for young scientists
- Stimulate networking and collaborations between Researchers
- Clinicians, and biotech Companies

#### Scientific sessions:

1. An historical perspective
2. The life of a B cell: diversity, memory, aging and death
3. Molecular events: the making of an antibody molecule
4. Antibody effector functions: molecules and cells in a complex environment
5. From fusion proteins to nanobodies and peptide mimics
6. Learning from therapeutic antibodies treatment

#### Biotechnology companies:

AIMM Therapeutics B.V., Amsterdam, The Netherlands  
CureTech, Yavne, Israel  
Laboratoires Pierre Fabre, CIPF, St Julien-en-Genevois, France  
LFB, Les Ulis, France  
Teva Pharmaceuticals Industry, Petach Tikva, Israel  
Transgene, Illkirch, France  
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