

Induction Day 1 – 8 October 2025, 10:30-17:30		Location
<i>Students and Supervisors</i>		
10:30-11:00	Registration and Refreshments	Hermitage Iona
11:00-11:45	Welcome and Introduction to EastBio <i>Prof Gerben van Ooijen & Dr Thomas Otto (EastBio Management Group)</i> Climbing the PhD Mountain: Science, Startups, and Surprises Beyond the Summit <i>Dr Danny Schnitzler</i>	Hermitage Iona
11:45-11:50	Comfort break	
11:50-13:00	Building Our Research Culture <i>Joanne Haggerty, Skillfluence</i>	Hermitage Iona
13:00-14:00	Lunch	Restaurant
14:00-15:00	Building Our Research Culture <i>Joanne Haggerty, Skillfluence</i>	Hermitage Iona
15:00-15:15	Break	
15:15-15:40	EastBio support to funded students <i>Maria Filippakopoulou (EastBio Partnership Manager)</i>	Hermitage Iona
15:40-16:40	Introduction to the EastBio Training Programme <i>EastBio Team</i> Short presentation from L2D	Hermitage Iona
16:40-16:45	Comfort Break	
16:45-17:30	Q&A with EastBio Student Reps and Alumna for students	Hermitage Iona

	<i>Lara Dasar, Ava Drake, Irina Guliaeva, Amelia Newton, Larissa Melo Chicoski, Dr Danny Schnitzler</i> Q&A with EastBio Management Group for Supervisors	Blairlogie
17:30-18:30	Student Rep led social activity Head down to the hotel bar to get to know your supervisor better and chat to some of the student reps more informally.	
18:30	Dinner	Conservatory

Induction Day 2 - 9 October 2025, 9:30-16:30 <i>Students only</i> Training Day		
9:00-9:30	Arrival	Hermitage Iona
9:30-10:45	Introduction to research-policy engagement <i>Dave Blackbell, SPRE</i> <i>10:30-12:30 EastBio Management Group Meeting – Ochil</i>	Hermitage Iona
10:45-11:00	Refreshments break	
11:00-12:30	SPRE Introduction to research-policy engagement <i>Dave Blackbell, SPRE</i>	
12:30-13:30	Lunch <i>Group photo</i>	

13:30-13:50	Short talk from NextGenAMR	
13:50-16:30	Thematic Meeting Introduction & break-out sessions Refreshments available at 3pm	