

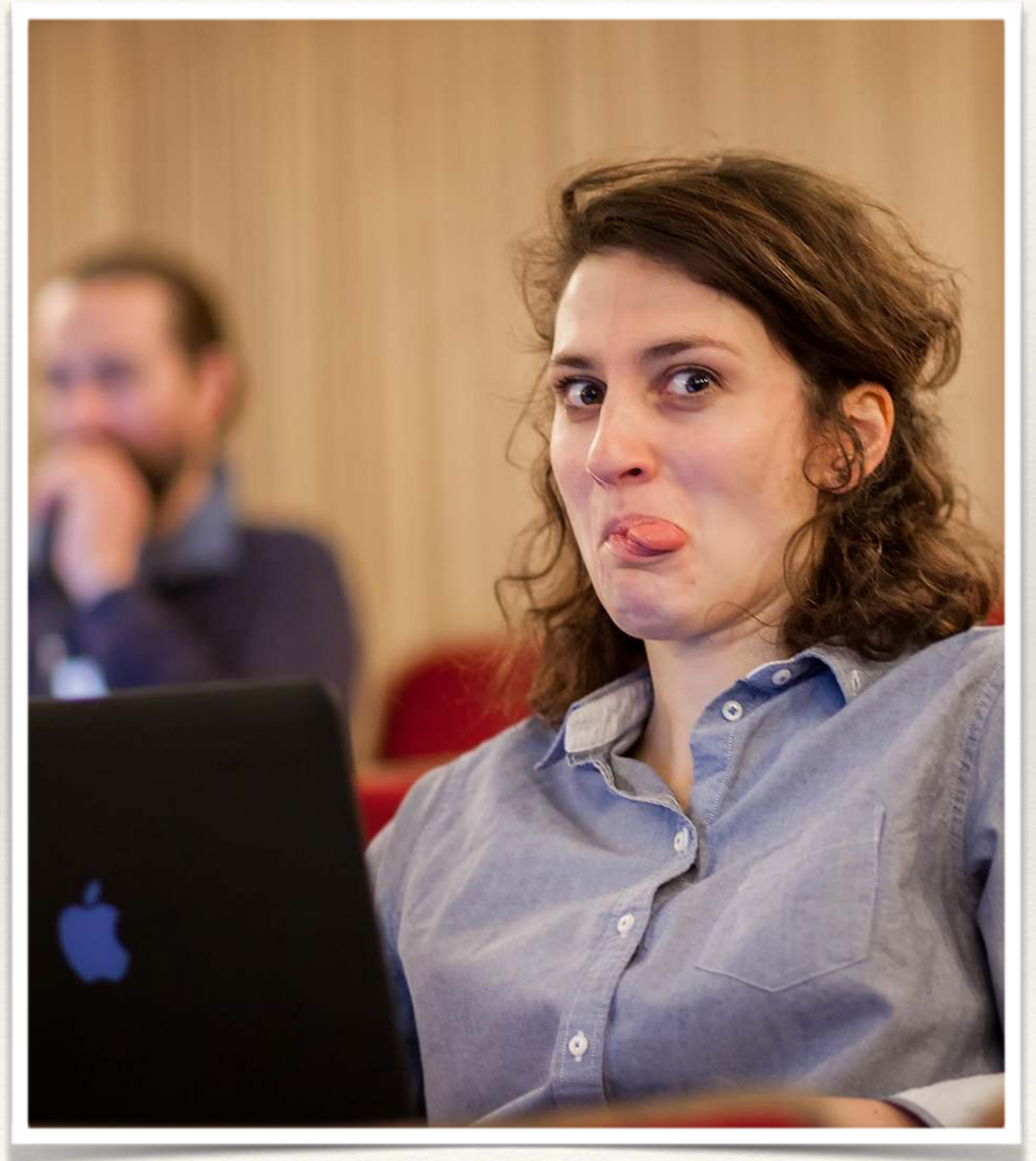
2016 Workshop on Population and Speciation Genomics

Orientation

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objectives

- ❖ information about setting and logistics
- ❖ background
- ❖ set expectations



frequently asked questions

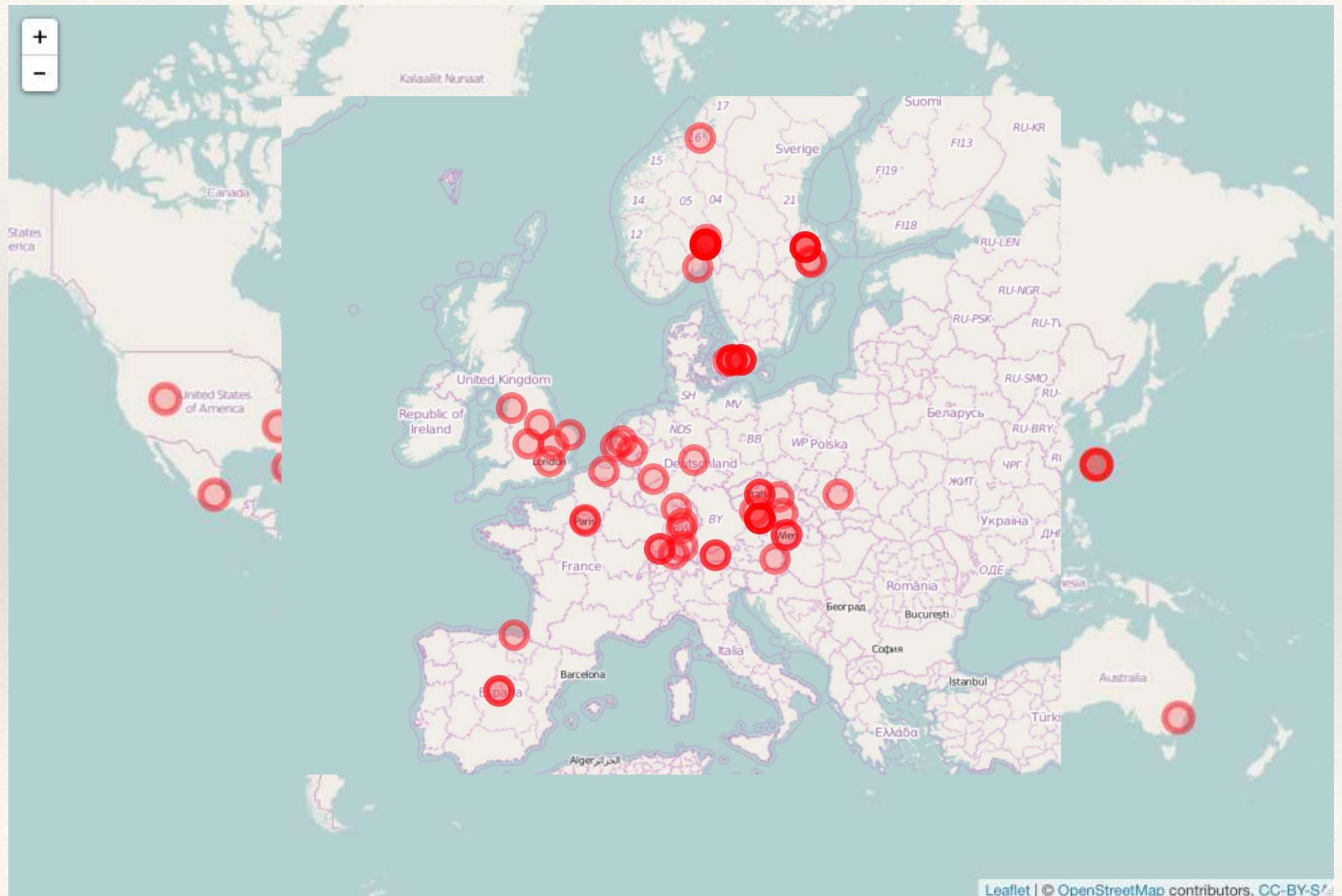
- ❖ <http://evomics.org/workshops/faq/>
- ❖ Where are the restrooms?
- ❖ Coffee
 - ❖ ~ 10:00 - 10:30. Coffee and tea provided
 - ❖ Hotel Cafe
 - ❖ "Break room" in House of Prelate (laboratory)
- ❖ Wi-fi
 - ❖ Theater Cafe & House of Prelate
- ❖ Food
 - ❖ Many locations. Ask the staff!
- ❖ Drink
 - ❖ Even more locations than for food. Ask the staff!
- ❖ House of Prelate (Computer Laboratory)





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you



you



workshop team



Julia



Adam



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Milan



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Britta



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Jan



Emiliano



Walter

workshop faculty



Daniel



Alex



Alexei



Daniel



Matteo



Oscar



Ryan



Chris



Felicity



Simon



Ludovic

Background

Course History

- ❖ Workshop on Molecular Evolution
 - ❖ Focus on molecular phylogenetics and population genetics
 - ❖ Woods Hole, Marine Biological Laboratory, USA
- ❖ Workshop on Genomics
 - ❖ Czech Republic - January 2008
 - ❖ Fort Collins, CO, USA - July 2011
 - ❖ Smithsonian Institution - November 2011
- ❖ Workshop on Population and Speciation Genomics - 2016

Workshop Philosophy

- ❖ Immersive and Intensive
- ❖ Workshop not a symposium
- ❖ Isolated & idyllic
- ❖ Emphasis on professional network building between faculty, staff and student

Why Cesky Krumlov?



Considerations

- ❖ relatively inexpensive
- ❖ relatively isolated
- ❖ idyllic
- ❖ centrally located in Europe
- ❖ appropriate infrastructure
- ❖ community support

Expectations

- ❖ exhaustion
- ❖ frustration
 - ❖ bioinformatics is not a push button field
 - ❖ > 60 participants on-line simultaneously
 - ❖ you will not finish every exercise
 - ❖ finishing should not be your goal. Learning should be!
 - ❖ you will not become an expert in 2-weeks

Expectations (more positive!)

- ❖ exposure to unprecedented faculty expertise in the field
- ❖ international faculty and student representation
- ❖ opportunities for collaboration
- ❖ intensive education in a relatively short period of time
- ❖ introductory knowledge on new topics

Advice

- ❖ wear your nametag
- ❖ take breaks (network!)
- ❖ sleep
- ❖ be patient
- ❖ ask questions of faculty, instructors and each other
- ❖ **work in pairs/small groups**
- ❖ take advantage of any open / free lab time
- ❖ remember everything will be on the web site after you leave
- ❖ enjoy the town

Computer Lab (House of Prelate)



House of Prelate

Lab Policies

- ❖ no food or drink inside the computer hall
- ❖ wipe feet and remove coats before entering
- ❖ do not touch the frescoes (walls)
- ❖ we have strict arrival and departure times



Post-lab discussions

- ❖ An important feature of the Workshop
- ❖ Music Bar, Fest Bar, High Hopes



workshop communication

- ❖ workshop website: evomics.org
- ❖ twitter: #evomics2016
- ❖ Facebook: Workshop on Population and Speciation Genomics

workshop bingo

Workshop on Population and Speciation Genomics		BINGO!		
Do the castle walk with faculty	Hug Daniel Kinzl	Organize a party	Had Trdelnik	Beat Moe and Micha at the Foosball table
Which beverage runs through the underground pipes	Eat pork knee	Submit a T-shirt design	Use hash tag #evomics2016	Get 8 hrs of sleep (no, not in total)
Appear on tourist selfies	Post a memory picture	Go for a run	Danced with TAs / Faculty	Hack the WiFi password at Zapa bar
Eat garlic soup in bread	Start a snow-ball fight	Visit the Photo Atelier	Drink Absinth	Learn 5 czech words
Drink 5 different Czech beers	Go for the wine tasting	Find the framed CCTV camera	See the bears	Discover the Cesky Krumlov ghost

Town Information

- ❖ information by Daniel Kintzl

