# THEORETICAL COURSE

\*Evolution of Structure and Function in Biology\*

### **Organiser**

Sándor Pongor (ICGEB, Trieste, Italy)

### **Invited Speakers include**

L. Luca Cavalli-Sforza (Stanford, CA, USA) Michael Y. Galperin (Bethesda, MD, USA) Balázs Gulyás (Stockholm, Sweden) Peter Hammerstein (Berlin, Germany) Stevan Harnad (Montreal, Canada) Simon Kirby (Edinburgh, UK) Gary Marcus (New York, NY, USA) Roger Pain (Ljubljana, Slovenia) László Patthy (Budapest, Hungary)
Csaba Pléh (Budapest, Hungary)
Miroslav Radman (Paris, France)
Luc Steels (Brussels, Belgium)
Eörs Szathmáry (Budapest, Hungary)
William S-Y. Wang (Hong Kong, China)
Lewis Wolpert (London, UK)

## **Purpose and Nature**

The goal of the Course is to give a broad, interdisciplinary overview on the unifying concepts of evolution, ranging from genes, genomes, protein structures to behaviour, languages and computational approaches.

#### **Participants**

The Course is open to PhD students, post-docs and scientists involved in the research in this field. Registration for the Course is limited to 50 participants.

### Closing date for applications

30 June 2002

### **Funding**

Nationals of ICGEB Member States\* who are selected to participate on an ICGEB grant will receive their accommodation (twin share) and local hospitality for the duration of the Course; travel is NOT funded. Please note that there is no registration fee.

### **Contact**

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