WORKSHOP 2

Mixture interpretation and the use of the probabilistic genotyping software EuroForMix and DNAStatistX

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Detailed program

Time	Week 1	Time	Week 2	Time	Week 3	Time	Week 4
(CET)	October 8 '24	(CET)	October 15 '24	(CET)	October 22 '24	(CET)	October 29 '24
16h	Welcome & introduction to the interpretation of DNA mixtures (Peter) Likelihood ratio calculations using EuroForMix/ DNAStatistX (Corina)	16h	Model validation failures & trouble shooting, incl. DNAStatistX <u>exercise</u> (Corina)	16h	Overview of various packages and functionalities (Corina)	16h	Discuss homework exercise, incl. poll questions (Corina)
					Exercise: Use of PCR replicates (Corina)		
			Exercise: Application to a different kit and the use of different settings: DNAStatistX. Use the data supplied or your own data. (Corina)		EFMrep using replicates from different STR typing kits (Peter) May switch with Exercise on stutter models		Validation and expected trends (Corina)
~17h	Break		Break		Break		Break
	EuroForMix/ DNAStatistX theory trouble shooting (Corina) EuroForMix introduction & basic exercise in parallel (Øyvind)		Exercise: Application to a different kit and the use of different settings: EuroForMix. Use the data supplied or your own data. (Peter/ Øyvind)		CaseSolver (Øyvind)		Multiple persons of interest and possible relatedness. Incl. <u>exercise</u> using EFMex (Peter)
~18h	Break		Break Incl. possibility to ask questions on the exercise		Break		Break
	DNAStatistX introduction and		Statement writing & evaluation of evidence (Peter)		Exercise: Use of the stutter models (Corina) May switch with EFMrep		Exercise: Run to run variation? (Corina)
	basic <u>exercise</u> in parallel (Corina)		Exercise: Effect of conditioning (Corina)		Validation and expected trends (Corina)		Quiz on expected trends
	Poll questions. Wrap up and evaluation Explanation of homework: Prepare own data for next week		Quiz on theory week 1&2 (Corina) Homework: Send questions/ topics to address during week 3 or 4		Wrap up and evaluation Explanation of homework: Exercise (Corina)		Wrap up and evaluation
19h	End of session		End of session		End of session		End of workshop