



Workshop programme

Start (BST)	Finish (BST)	Details
Tuesday 1 July 2025		
08:30	09:30	Registration, refreshments and networking
09:15	09:30	Briefing for speakers, chairs & programme planning group - Rosalind Franklin Pavilion
09:30	10:00	Session 1: Introductions
09:30	10:00	Opening Introduction <i>Carl Anderson, Wellcome Sanger Institute, UK</i> <i>Michelle Bishop, Wellcome Connecting Science, UK</i>
10:00	11:00	Session 2: Pharma and Clinical: Where do we want to be in 25 years and what challenges do we need to overcome?
10:00	10:10	Perspective talk <i>Muzz Haniffa, Wellcome Sanger Institute, UK</i>
10:10	10:20	Perspective talk <i>Robert Scott, GSK, UK</i>
10:20	10:30	Perspective talk <i>Ziga Avsec, Google DeepMind, UK</i>
10:30	11:00	Group discussion
11:00	11:30	Refreshment break and networking
11:30	12:30	Session 3: Public and Global Health: Where do we want to be in 25 years and what challenges do we need to overcome?
11:30	11:40	Perspective talk <i>Claudia Langenberg, University of Cambridge, UK</i>
11:40	11:50	Perspective talk <i>Aime Lumaka, University of Kinshasha, Democratic Republic of the Congo</i>
11:50	12:00	Perspective talk <i>Zane Lombard, University of Witsrand, South Africa</i>
12:00	12:30	Group discussion
12:30	13:30	Lunch and networking
13:30	15:00	Session 4: World café - Grand challenge surfacing
13:30	15:00	World Café session
15:00	15:30	Refreshment break and networking
15:30	17:00	Session 4: World café - Grand challenge surfacing continued
15:30	16:30	World Café session
16:30	17:00	Wrap-up and close Day 1
17:00	18:00	Free time
18:00	19:00	Drinks reception and networking
19:00		Bar open (card payments only)
19:00	21:00	Dinner



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Wednesday 2 July 2025		
07:30	09:00	Breakfast
09:30	11:00	Session 5: Addressing the grand challenges
09:30	09:45	Reflections from Day 1
09:45	11:00	Group work
11:00	11:30	Refreshment break and networking
11:30	13:00	Session 5: Addressing the grand challenges continued
11:30	12:30	Group work
12:30	13:30	Group presentations
13:30	14:30	Lunch and networking
14:30	16:00	Session 6: Closing session
14:30	15:00	Patient/public perspective
15:00	15:30	Closing discussions
15:30		Departures