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- **Paracelsus 10,000 Cohort** – A cohort from Salzburger Landeskliniken (June 2026)
- **BBMRI.at brings Austrian biobanking expertise to EBW 2026** (May 2026)
- **Guidance on Nagoya-compliant microbiome biobanking & research** (May 2026)
- **Vorarlberg Health Monitoring & Promotion Programme** – A cohort from Medical University Innsbruck (May 2026)
- **BBMRI.at at the Long Night of Research 2026** – Record attendance (May 2026)
- **Legal Q&A: Legal aspects of biobank interoperability** (April 2026)
- **COPLANT-Vienna Cohort** – A cohort from MedUni Wien and its biobank (April 2026)
- **Born in Vienna (BiV)** - A cohort from MedUni Wien (March 2026)



- **Biobank Antwerpen achieves BBMRI-ERIC Quality Label** (June 2026)
- **BioBank Bonn has been awarded the BBMRI-ERIC Quality Label** (June 2026)
- **The Swiss Center for Musculoskeletal Biobanking (SCMB) has achieved the BBMRI-ERIC Quality Label** (June 2026)
- **Eight biobanks selected for EvolveBBMRI funding** (April 2026)
- **The central biobank unit, region Skåne achieves the BBMRI-ERIC quality label** (April 2026)
- **The BioCor Biobank achieves the BBMRI-ERIC quality label** (April 2026)
- **Würzburg biomaterial bank awarded BBMRI-ERIC quality label** (April 2026)
- **A comprehensive European colorectal cancer cohort dataset** (March 2026)

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- **Celebrating Dog 100 as study on canine aging continues to break ground** – College of Vet. Medicine
The study, launched by Dr. Natasha Olby and colleagues in 2018, is following what happens to dogs as they age and leading to tools to measure decline. [...] [more](#)



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- **UK Biobank: Patient data still online three months after leak, BMJ finds** - The BMJ
Leaked UK Biobank datasets were still online three months after the confidential patient records were compromised earlier this year despite the research charity's attempts to take them down. [...] [more](#)



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- **Latvia: Parliament adopts Biobank Law** – OneTrust DataGuidance
Latvia's **Biobank Law** establishes a framework for **biobank** operations, emphasizing donor rights and regulatory compliance. [...] [more](#)



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- **Expert reaction to UK Biobank data security report** – Science Media Centre
“The report is a serious response to an incident earlier this year involving an illegal attempt to breach UK **Biobank's** access rules. UK **Biobank's** ... [...] [more](#)



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- **U of Colorado partnership to accelerate inflammatory bowel research** – Becker's ASC
The company works with **biobanks** at research institutions nationwide, according to the release. The expanded **biobank** could accelerate studies of [...] [more](#)

Upcoming Events



- **Gene Forum 2026** | Tartu, Estonia | 25-26 August 2026
- **CaBRIOH Project Kick-Off Meeting** | Graz, Austria | 17-18 September 2026
- **Save the date: EBW27** | Lausanne, Switzerland | 18-21 May 2027
- **ISO/TC 276 Meeting** | Graz, Austria | 29 May – 6 June 2027