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## A Farewell Symposium for Linda Partridge

Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> September 2023

09:30 – 17:00 CEST

Auditorium of the Max Planck Institute for Biology of Ageing,  
Joseph-Stelzmann-Str. 9b, Cologne

### Programme

09:30 – 09:45                      Welcome  
**Thomas Langer**, *Managing Director MPI-AGE*

#### Morning Session

Chair: *Constantinos Demetriades*

09:45 – 10:20                      Metabolic Flexibility, Nutrient Sensing and Healthy Aging  
**William Mair**, [Harvard University](#) (USA)

10:20 – 10:55                      “My Love is only skin deep?” Science and memories driven by  
local interactions  
**Carien Niessen**, [CECAD](#) (DE)

10:55 – 11:25                      Break

11:25 – 12:00                      Sex differences, age and health, and other unfair things in life  
**Eline Slagboom**, [LUMC](#) (NL) & MPI-AGE

12:00 – 12:35                      Could we fix bullet holes with band aids? Targeting aging  
hotspots for intervention  
**Oliver Hahn**, [Calico Life Sciences](#) (USA)

12:35 – 13:45                      Break

#### Afternoon Session

Chair: *Joris Deelen*

13:45 – 14:20                      Understanding and modeling aging  
**Anne Brunet**, [Stanford University](#) (USA)

14:20 – 14:55                      TBD  
**Scott Pletcher**, [University of Michigan](#) (USA)

14:55 – 15:45                      Break

15:45 – 16:20                      Exploring the systems biology of aging together with Linda  
Partridge  
**Andras Beyer**, [CECAD](#) (DE)

16:20 – 16:55                      Metabolism in Aging and Caloric Restriction  
**Rozalyn Anderson**, [University of Wisconsin](#) (USA)

16:55                                      Musical Conclusion  
**Eline Slagboom & Anthony J. Roos** (NL)