



Allo'25. Soft-shelled monothalamous foraminifera: Past, Present, and Future Perspectives

Following the previous workshop, *Allo'2003*, this event aims to delve deeper into the fascinating world of soft-shelled monothalamous foraminifera, with a particular focus on the taxonomy of this group and the advancements made over the past 20 years. These often-overlooked microorganisms play a crucial role in marine ecosystems, serving as bioindicators and contributing to our understanding of ecological dynamics in the context of climate change.

PROGRAMME

Wednesday afternoon, 5th November 2025

2:00 – 6:00 p.m

Room: Red room 1st floor, Earth Sciences Department, University of Pisa

Via S. Maria 56, Pisa

13:30-14:00 Registration

14:00-14:15 Welcome, Introduction and Workshop Goals - Caterina Morigi-Anna Sabbatini

14:15-14:45 invited talk (20 minutes + 10 minutes Q&A), Andrew Gooday, University of Southampton

14:45-15:15 invited talk (20 minutes + 10 minutes Q&A), Jan Pawlowski, University of Geneva and Polish Academy of Sciences (online)

15:15-15:45 talk (15 minutes) Magali Schweizer, University of Anger (online)

15:45-16:15 Coffee break

16:15-16:30 talk (15 minutes), Anna Sabbatini, University Polytechnic of Marche

16:30-16:45 (15 minutes), Francesca Caridi, University Polytechnic of Marche

16:45-18:00 discussion and establishment of the working groups focused to the preparation of the database and the draft of the review paper.

The ultimate goal of the workshop is to establish a working group focused on addressing the challenges related to the taxonomy of these organisms and to draft a review paper outlining the state of the art and future perspectives in the study of allogromiids.

