Statutes of the Centre for Inflammation, Infection and Immunity (C3i) (Satzung des C3i)

§1 Objective

The C3i aims to promote research into inflammation, infection and immunity at the University Medical Centre Hamburg-Eppendorf (UKE), and in cooperation with regional, national and international scientists.

§2 Membership

- (1) Any post-doctoral scientist at the UKE interested in and working on topics related to inflammation, infection and immunity, can become member of the C3i.
- (2) Membership is granted upon a written application and lasts as long as the academic appointment of the respective scientist at the UKE, or until terminated by written notice by the member.

§3 Governance

- (1) The C3i is coordinated by the C3i board, which is elected by the membership for a two-year period. Re-election is possible.
- (2) The C3i board has five members. Three of these should hold permanent professorships, while two should be junior scientists.
- (3) The C3i board elects a chairperson (speaker) as well as a deputy, who primarily represent the C3i within the university and faculty.
- (4) The C3i board is supported by the C3i council, which is constituted by
 - a. The speakers and coordinators of grant-funded research consortia related to C3i topics
 - b. The chairperson of the Hamburg Centre for Translational Immunology (HCTI)
 - c. The Head of the Hamburg School of Infection and Immunity
 - d. The dean of the faculty, who can delegate this position to one of the subdeans on research

§4 C3i Activities

- (1) The C3i membership shall meet at least once a year to discuss research activities, grant applications and structural aspects of C3i-related research at the UKE
- (2) C3i shall organize public lectures both from within the C3i community as well outside speakers
- (3) C3i shall organize at least once yearly an educational event open to all UKE scientists and students addressing novel methods and results of inflammation, infection and immunity research