

OUTREACH NEWS

Last Thursday 10th November 2016, one of our ESR students, Ana Rosa Lopez, visited La Salle El Pilar School in Alfaro (Spain). She explained to the students what the ZENCODE-ITN is: the different partners, the overall goal and the funding of the network and then focused on her own project.

She started the talk asking the students what they knew about DNA/RAN, genes, transgenic as well as about the pancreas and diabetes disease. After explaining the basic on these topics, she explained why the zebrafish is a good model to study development and diseases. Finally, she briefly explained what she is doing and what she is planning to do.

The talk was followed by an interesting round of questions, about the project but also about experience of living abroad (problems with the language, making new friends etc). The talk was a great success.

IMAGE: Ana with the La Salle El Pilar students

