Dr. Julien Zuber

Dr. Zuber’s project aims to investigate the relationship between allograft lymphoid load from multivisceral grafts and isolated intestine grafts, hematopoietic macrochimerism, alloreactivity and clinical outcome in intestinal transplant recipients. This hypothesis is based on the facts that the small intestine contains a large amount of lymphoid tissue and that multivisceral grafts transplantation is associated with a lower rate of acute rejection than isolated intestinal transplantation. This project is highly innovative and might pave the way to a novel therapeutic approach for achieving allograft tolerance in intestinal transplant recipients.