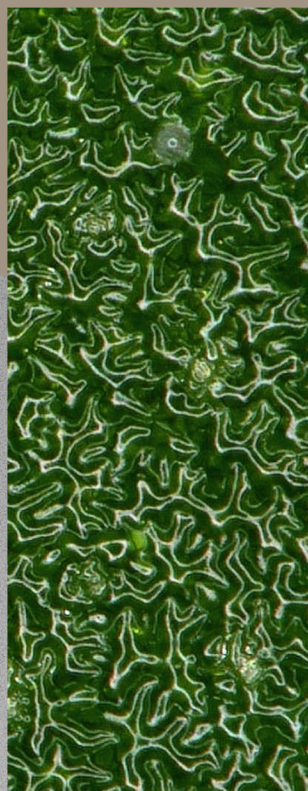
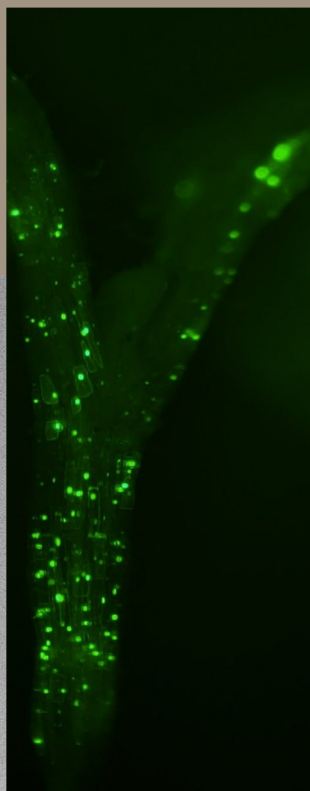
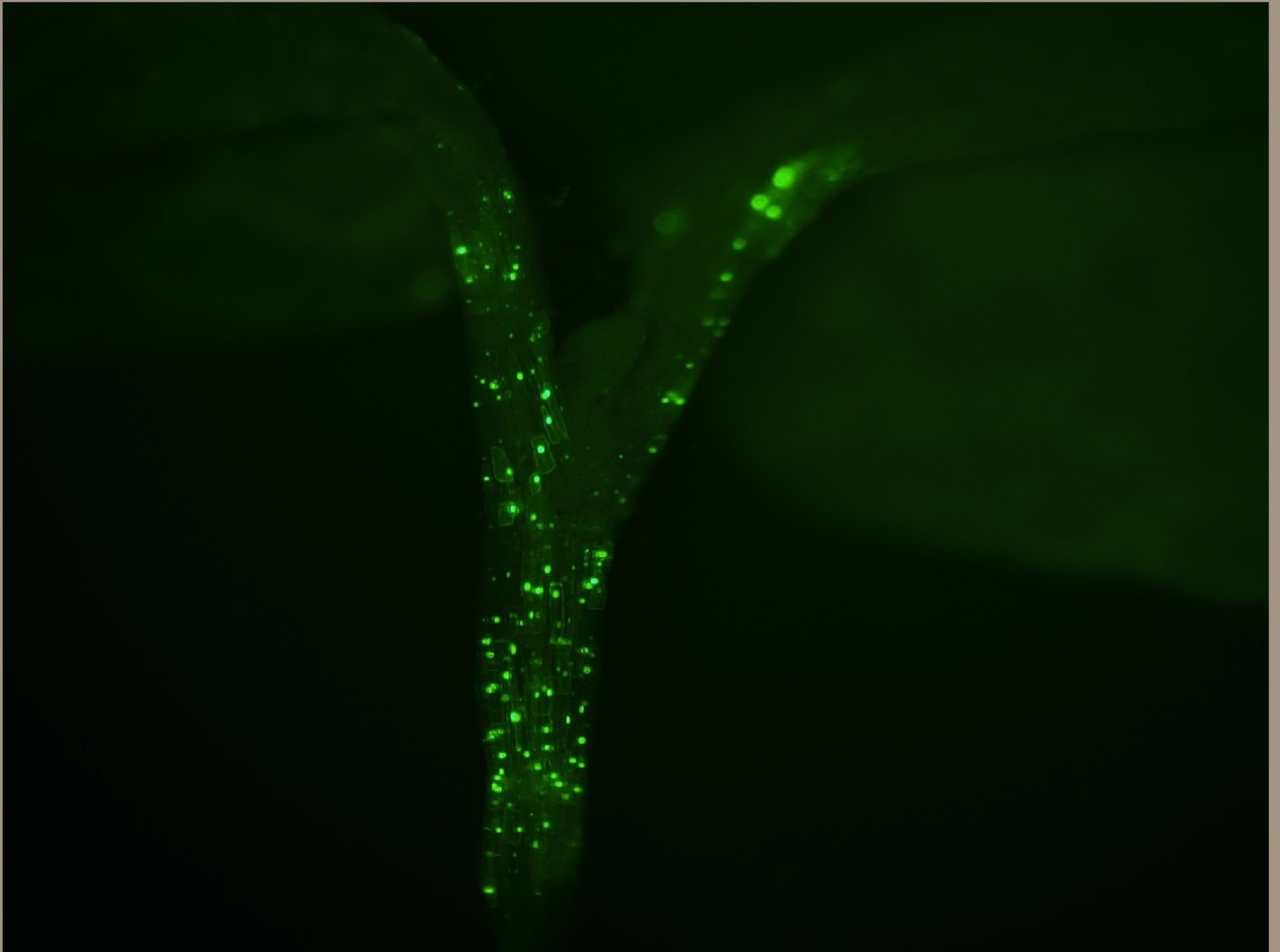


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# IGCAST SCIENTIFIC IMAGES COMPETITION



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Crop Abiotic Stress Tolerance



**Benjamin Perez**

*I am Groot*

N. benthamiana hypocotyl under a fluorescent filter expressing a nuclear-localized mEGFP. The seedling was vacuum infiltrated with A. tumefaciens carrying a vector with the transgene.



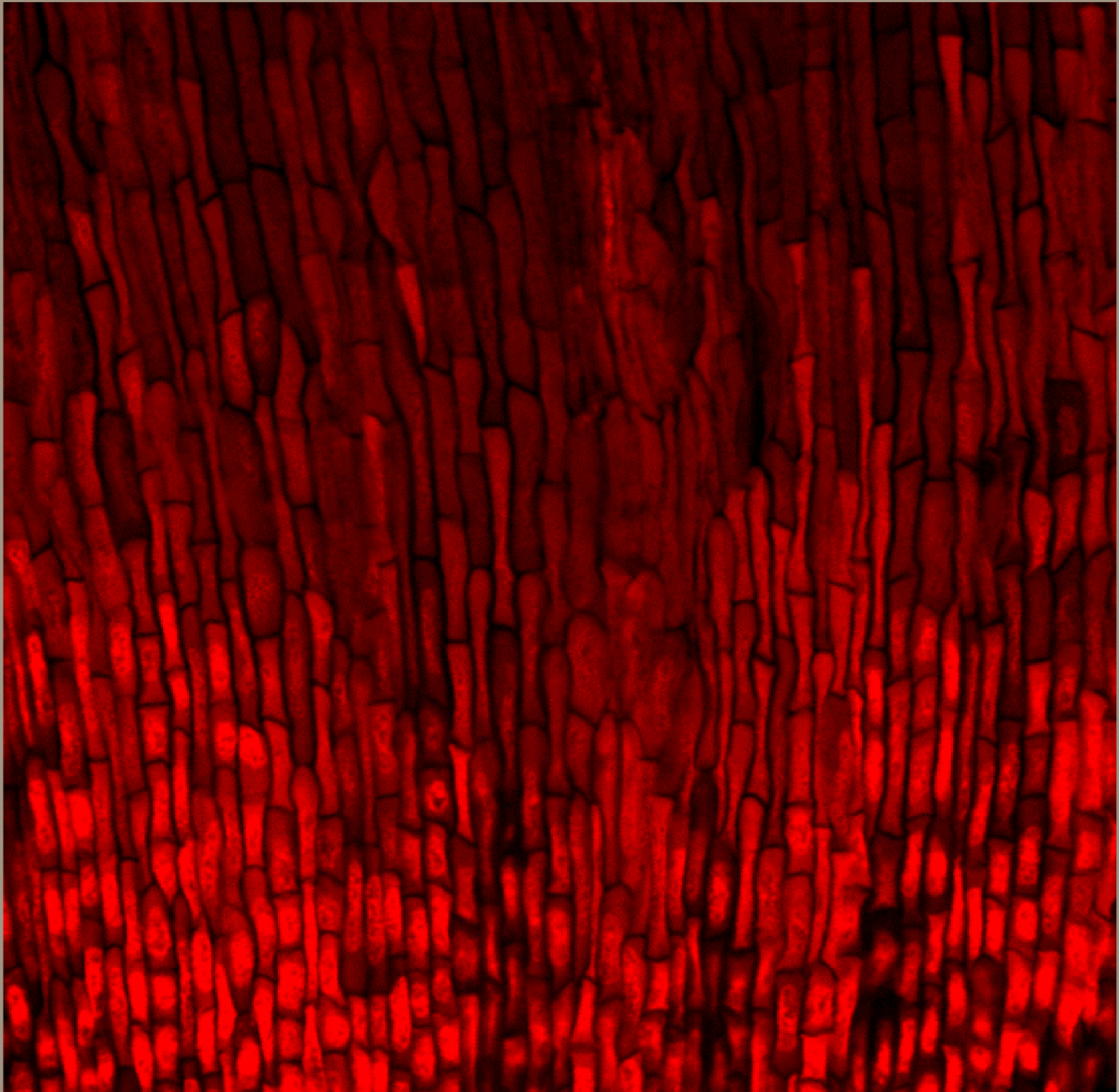




**Héctor Rogelio Nájera**  
Tobacco leaf surface.







**Carlos Barragan Rosillo**

*Cell wall*

Sorghum root cells.







### Adil Khan

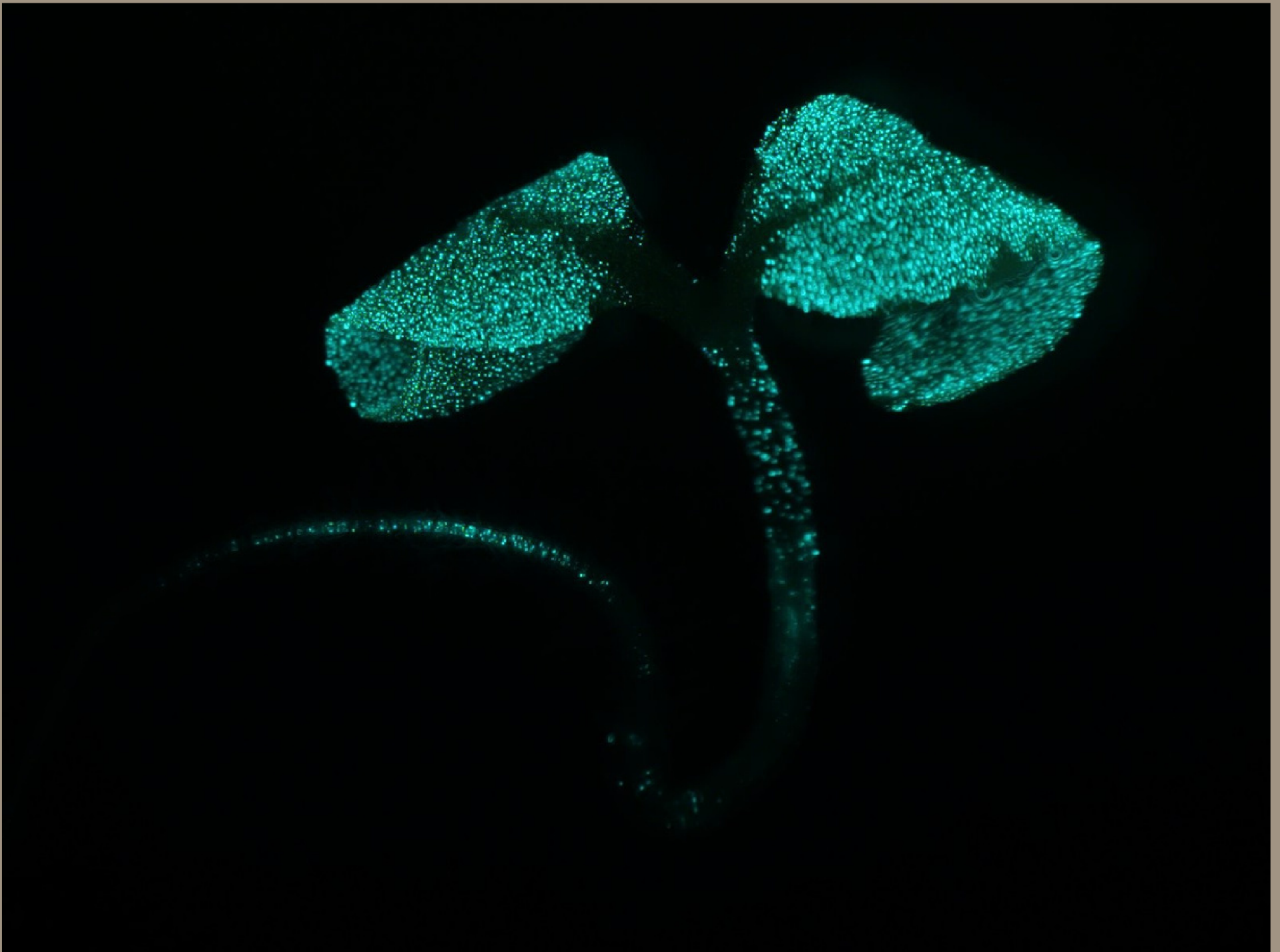
Overview of the time series sorghum seed. The photographs show the changes in maize embryo, endosperm, and whole seed during development.



**Arjun Ojha**

Shoot at site. A rare view of three genotypes in one plant Tissue-culture-free genetic transformation and gene-editing in tobacco.

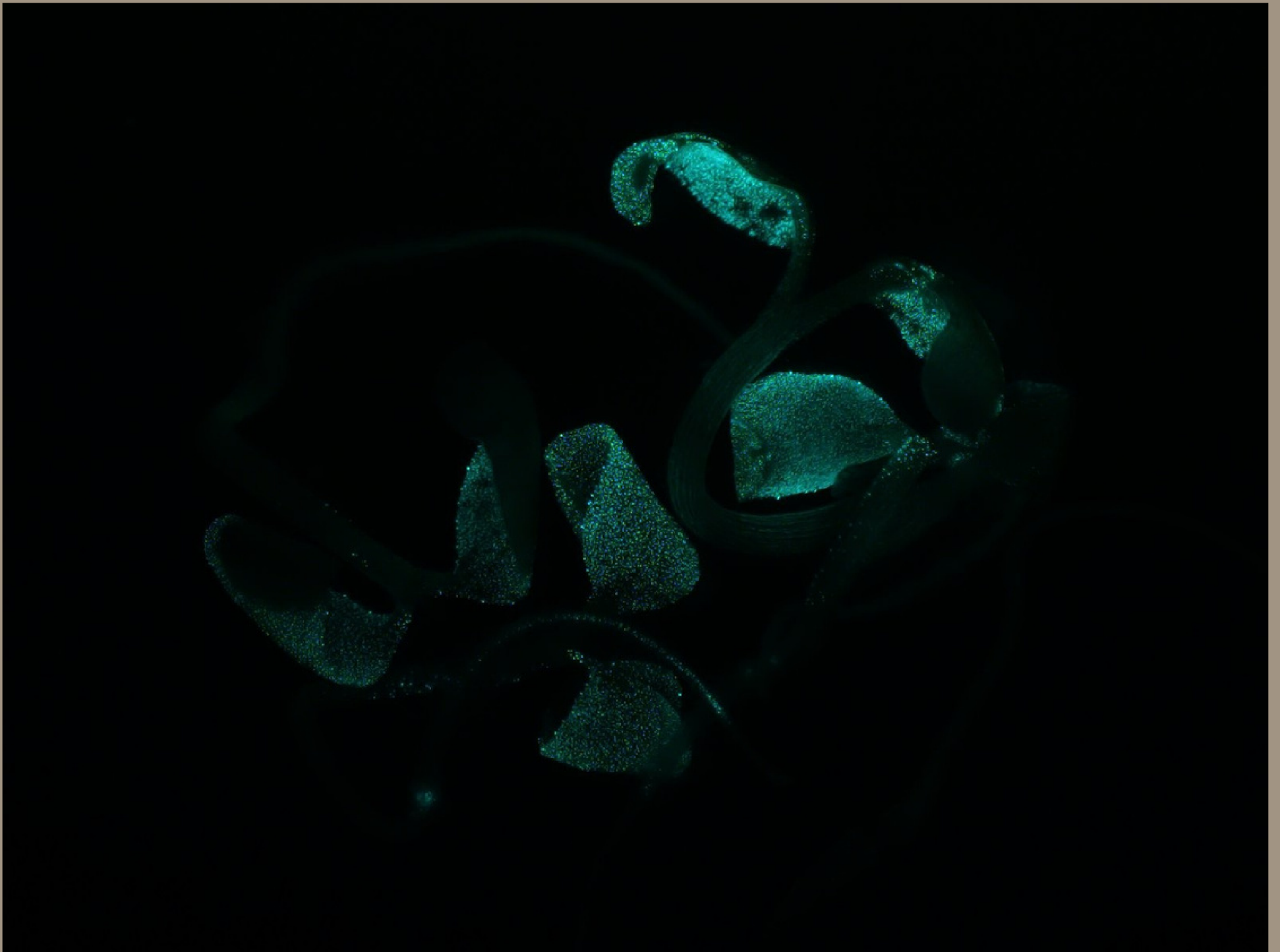




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*Beauty under the blue*

N. benthamiana seedling under a fluorescent filter expressing a nuclear-localized mEGFP. The seedling was vacuum infiltrated with A. tumefaciens carrying a vector with the transgene.

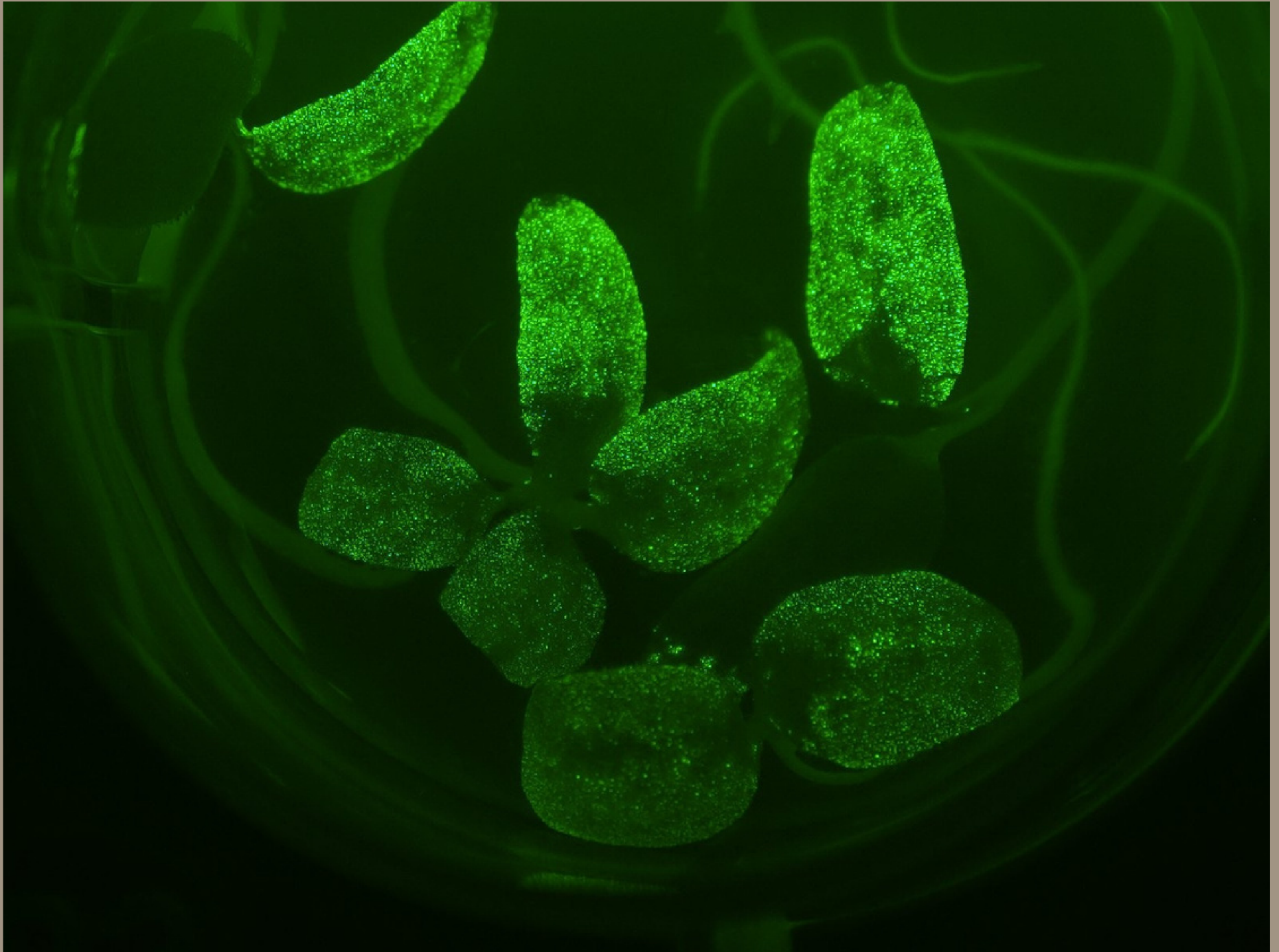


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*Fluorescent dance*

A pool of *N. benthamiana* seedlings under a fluorescent filter expressing a nuclear-localized mEGFP. The seedlings were vacuum infiltrated with *A. tumefaciens* carrying a vector with the transgene.





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*Saint Patrick's Day*

*N. benthamiana* seedling under a fluorescent filter  
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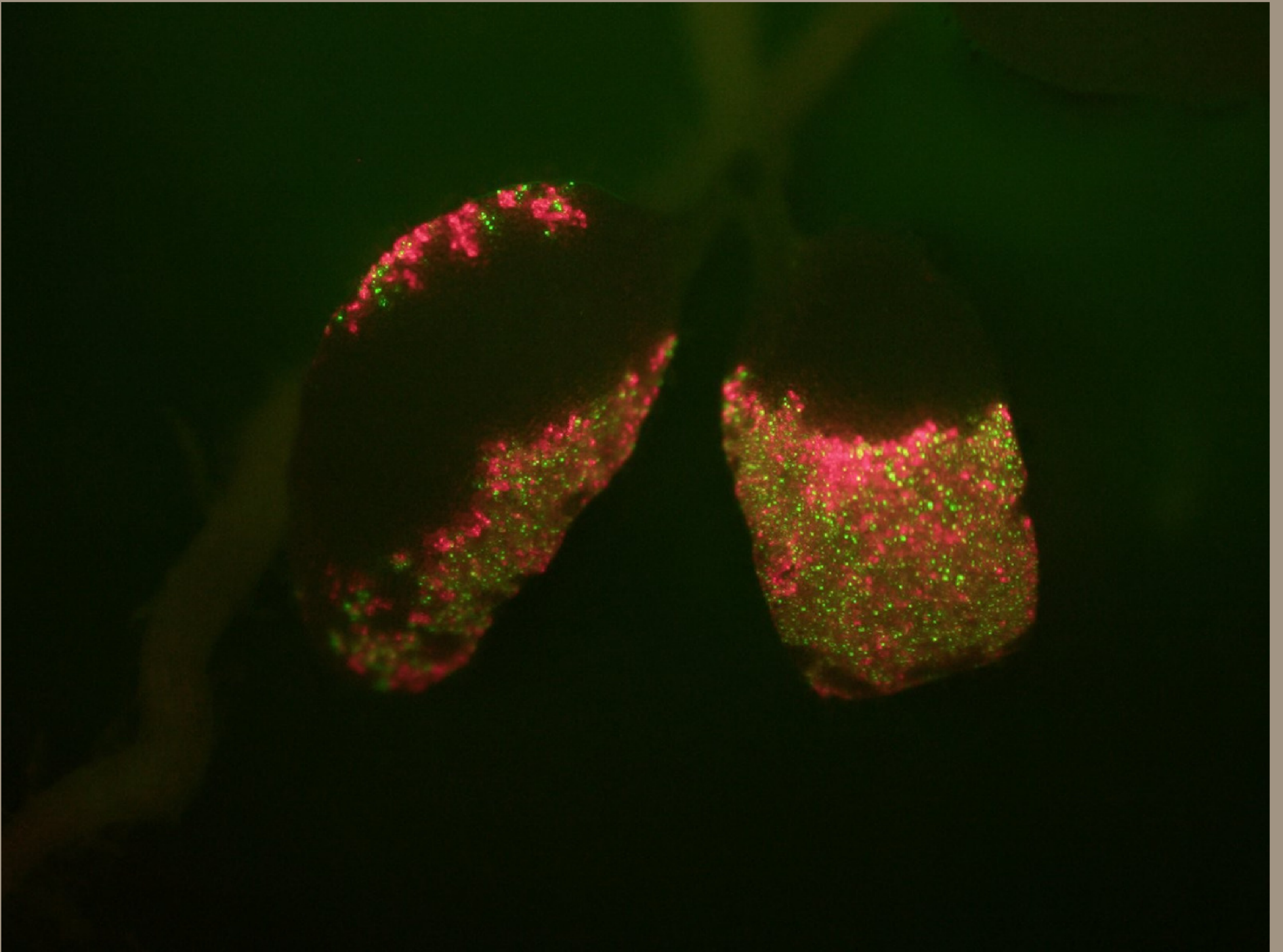


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*Stay shiny*

*A pool of one-week-old *N. benthamiana* seedlings  
observed under the microscope.*

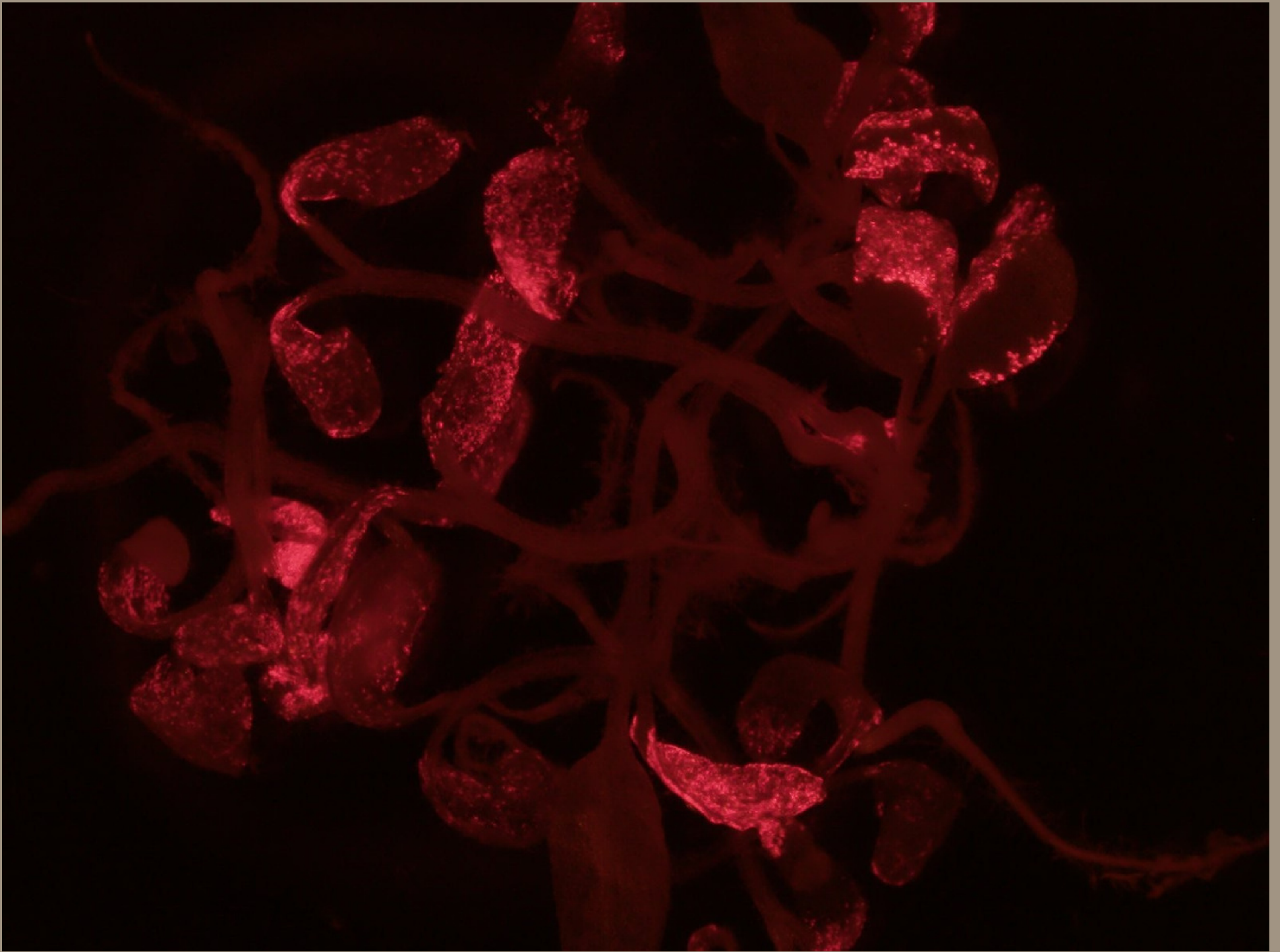




**Benjamin Perez**

*Christmas in the lab*

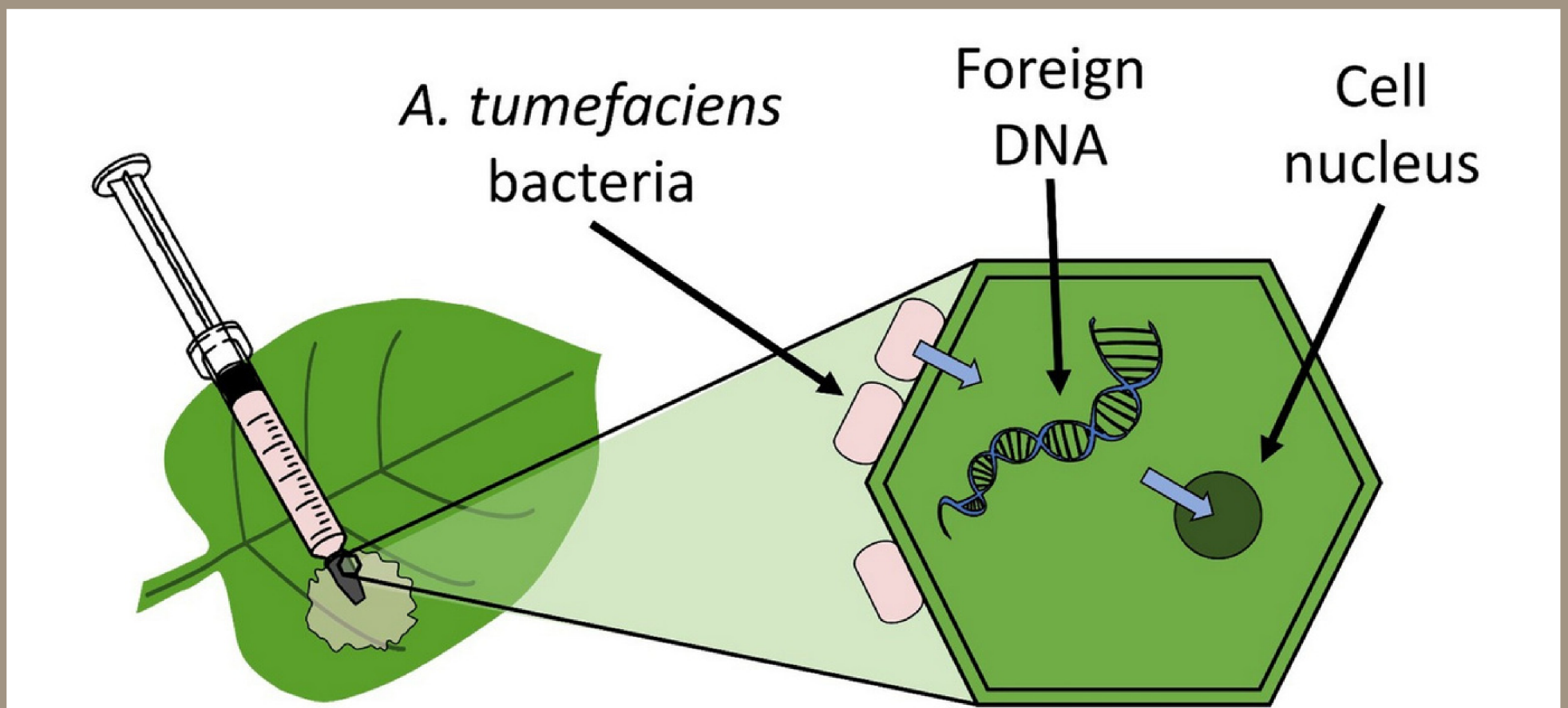
*N. benthamiana cotyledons under two different  
fluorescent filters expressing mEGFP and mCherry  
transgenes.*



**Benjamin Perez**

*Set me on fire*

*A pool of *N. benthamiana* seedlings under a fluorescent filter expressing a mCherry. The seedlings were vacuum infiltrated with *A. tumefaciens* carrying a vector with the transgene.*

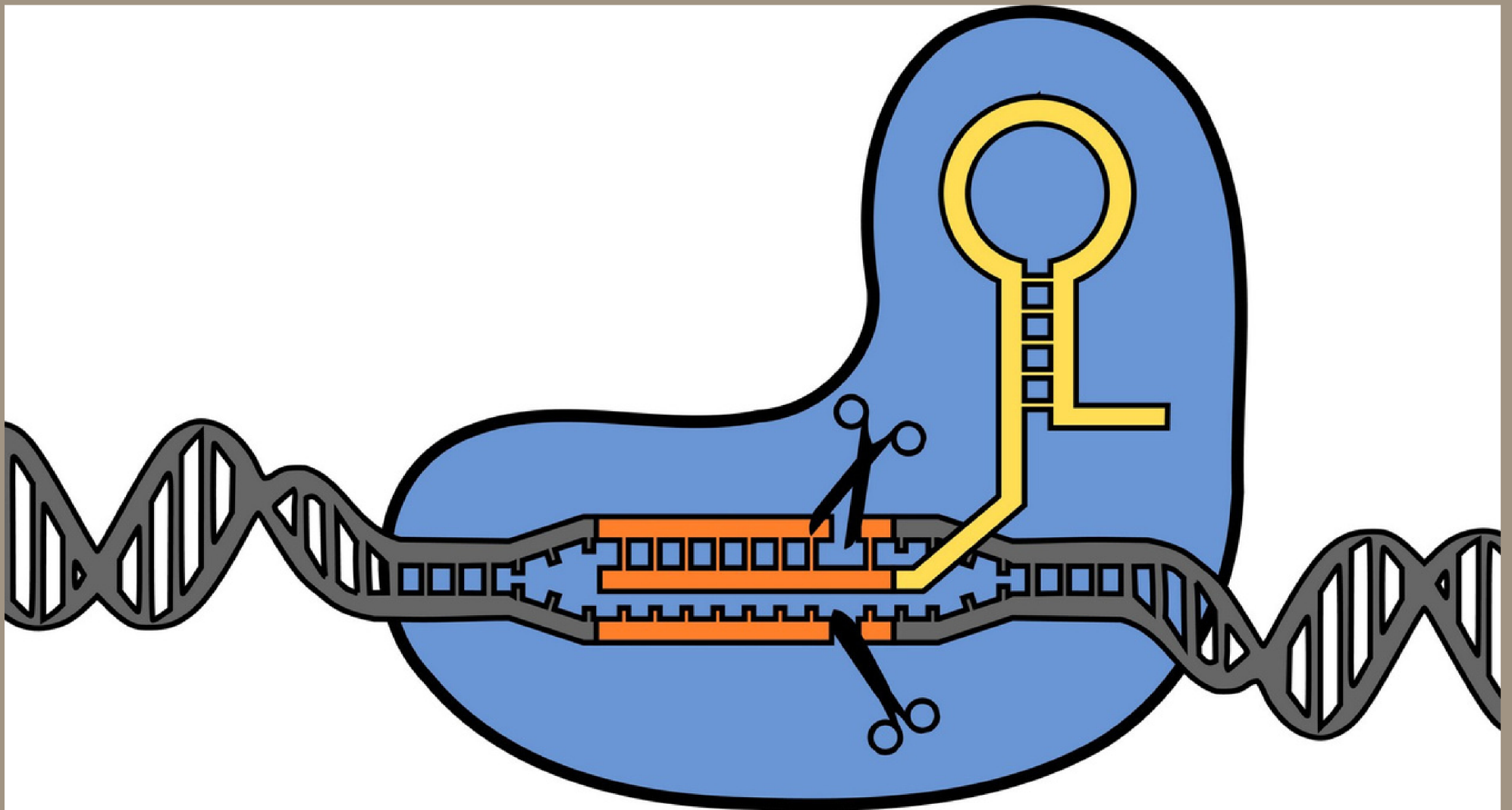


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*The genetic engineer*

*Agrobacterium tumefaciens incorporating its DNA into a plant cell.*



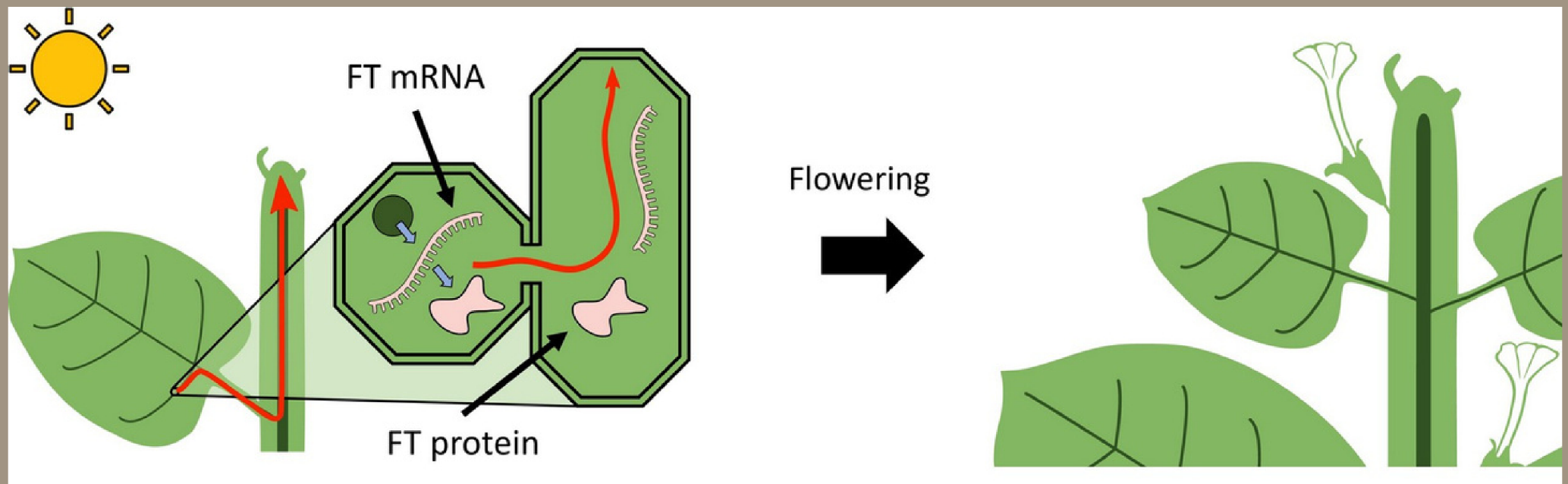


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*Right on the money*

*The CRISPR/Cas9 programmable nuclease cleaving a  
targeted DNA location.*

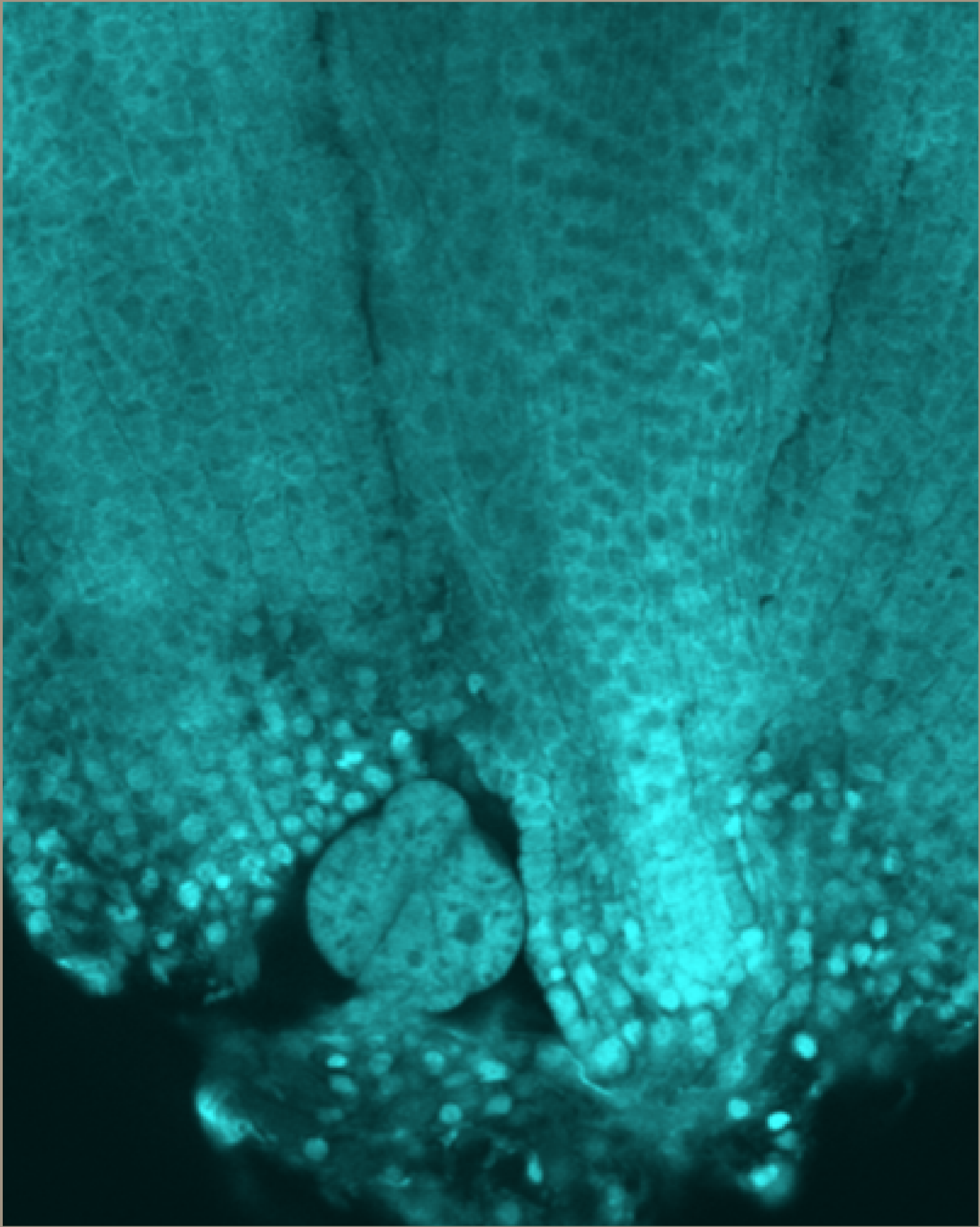




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*FT, the romantic messenger*

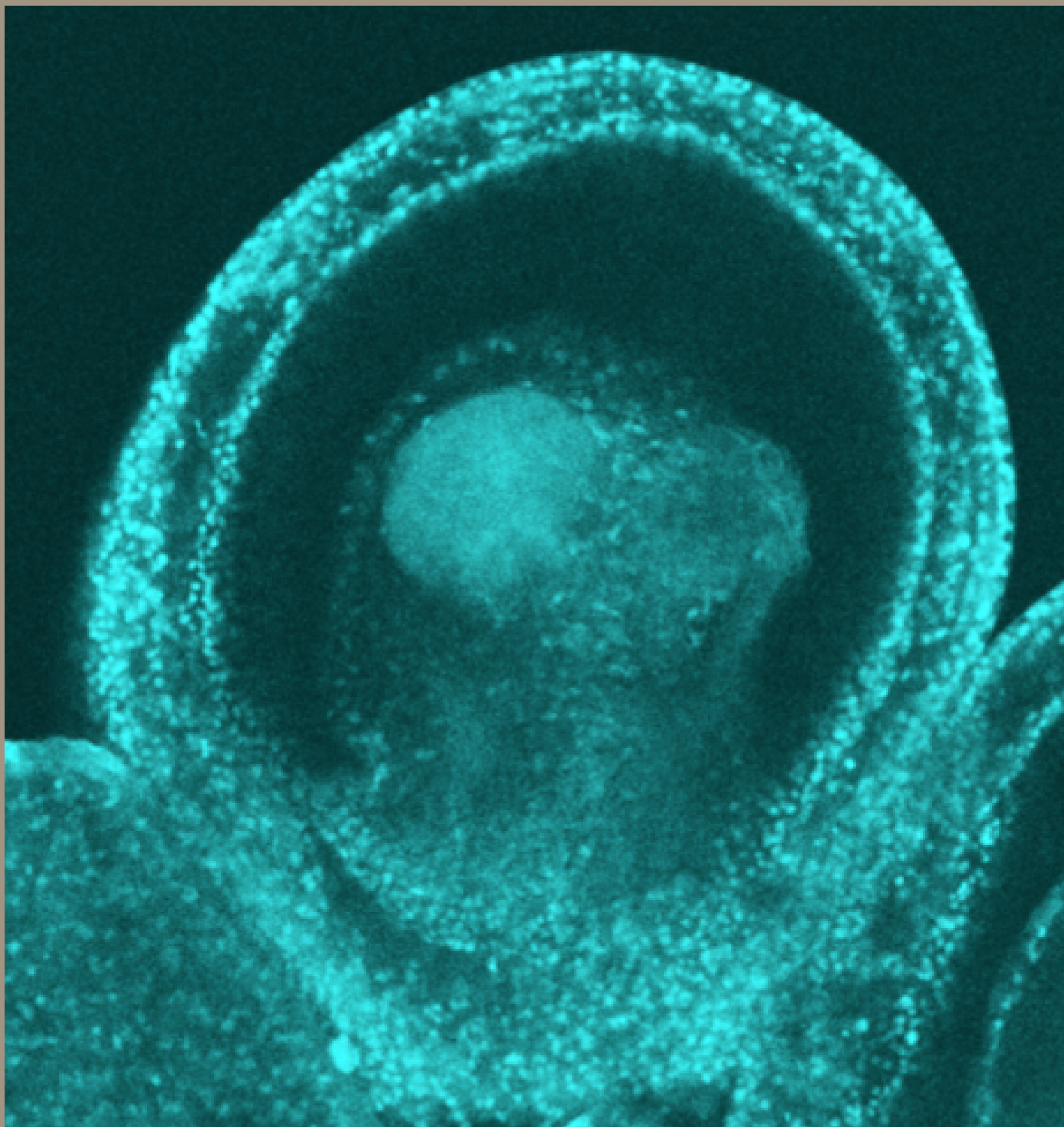
*After FT expression in the plant's leaves, the messenger RNA travels into the apex to signal the generation of flowers.*



**Carlos Barragan Rosillo**  
Beginning of the embryo sac development.



**Carlos Barragan Rosillo**  
Chia heart embryo.



Carlos Barragan Rosillo  
*Preparing for the Inheritance*  
Chía ovule.

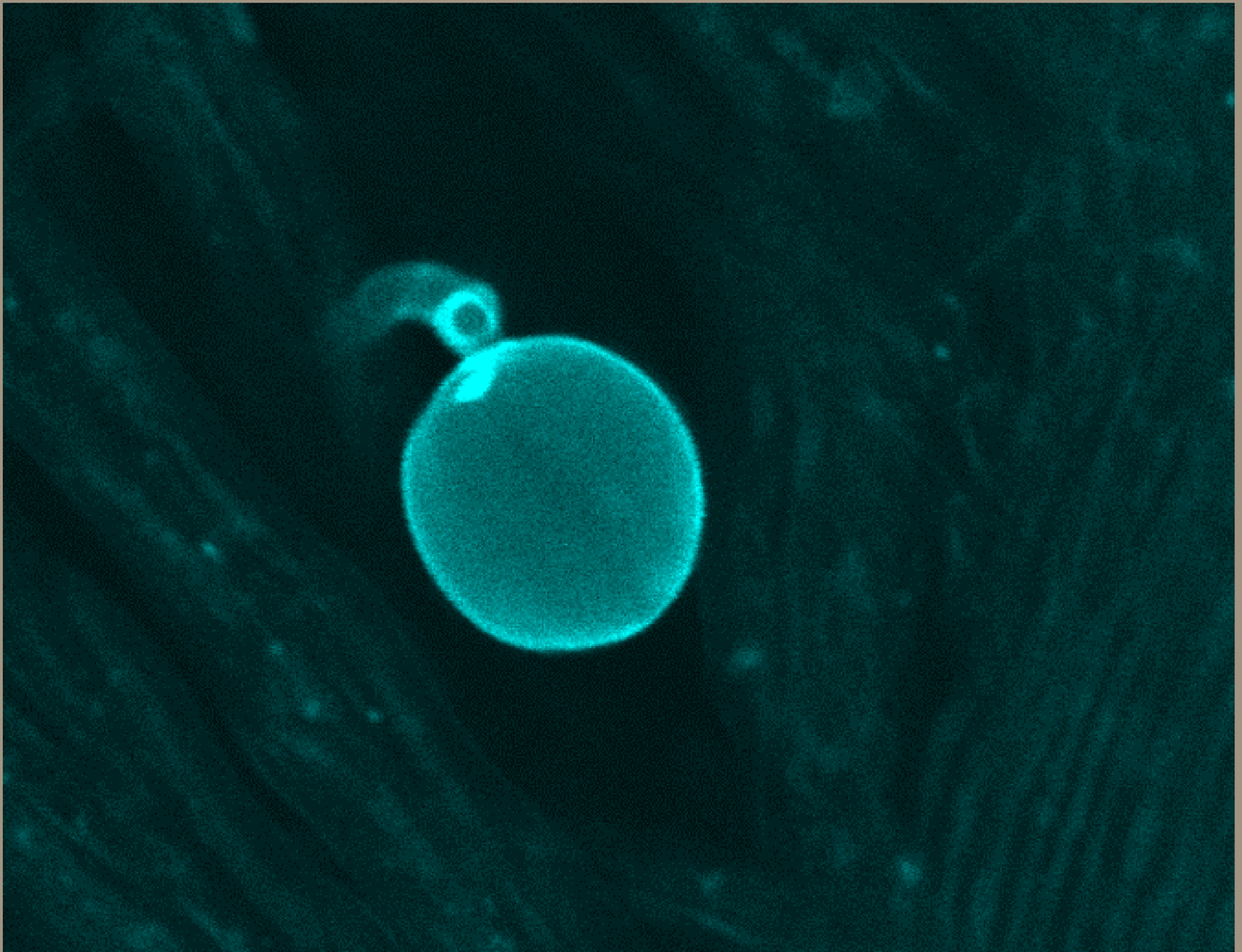




**Carlos Barragan Rosillo**

*The beginning of the race*

Pollen grain.

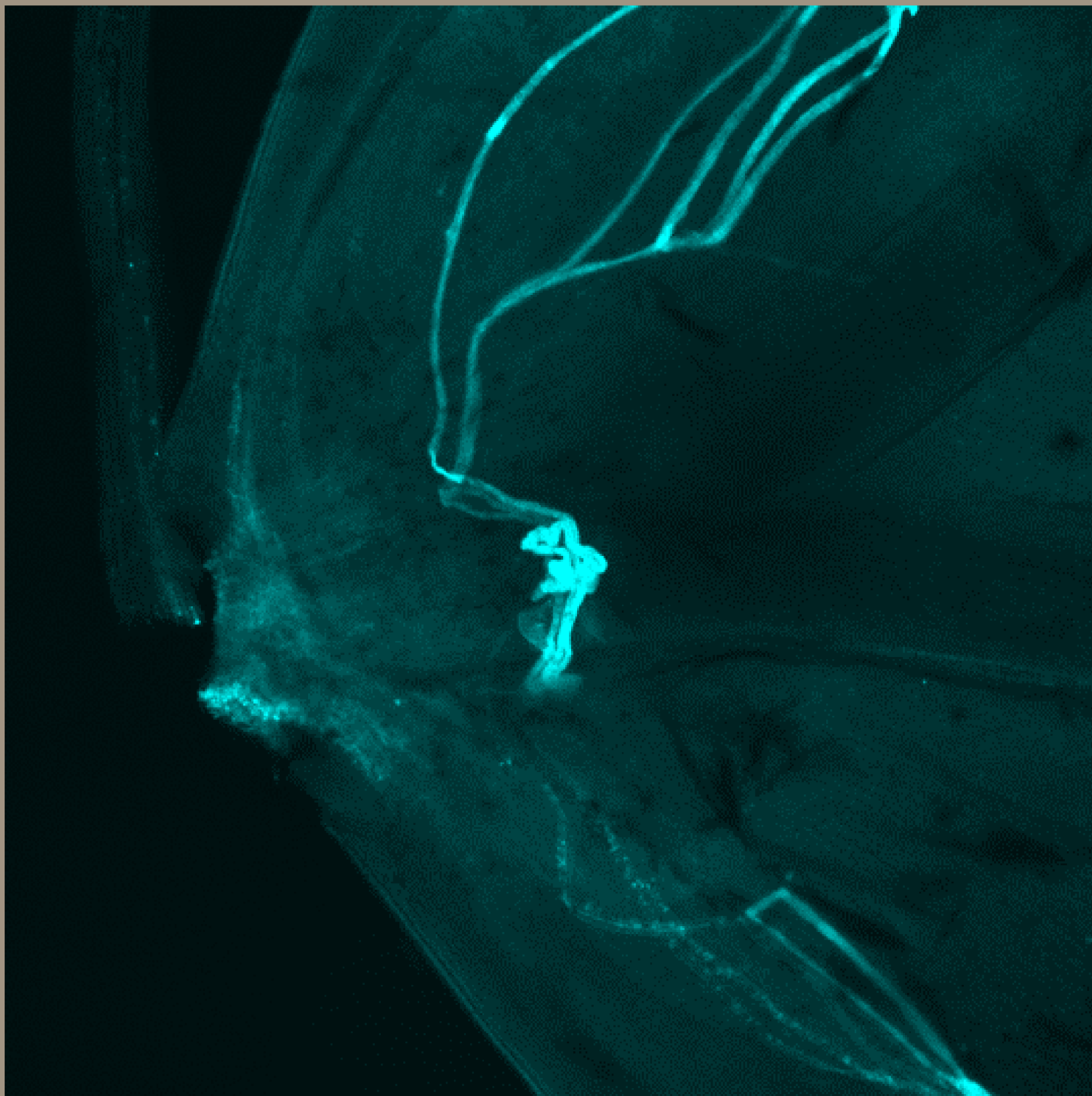


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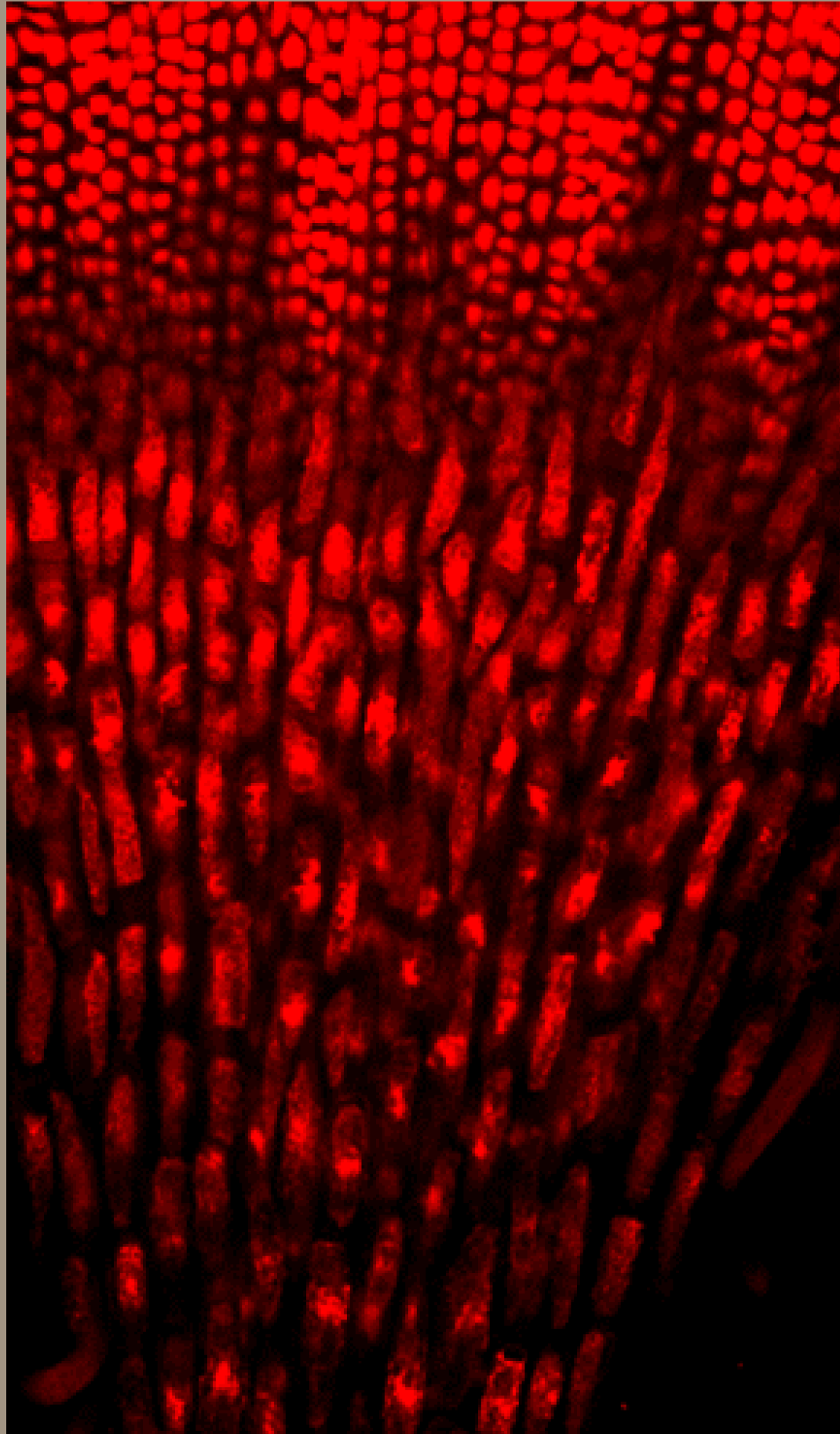
*The beginning of the race*

Pollen grain.





**Carlos Barragan Rosillo**  
*Competition for the glory*  
Pollinic tubes.



**Carlos Barragan Rosillo**

*Chromatin shapes*

Root tip.





**Carlos Barragan Rosillo**

Attached pollen grain.



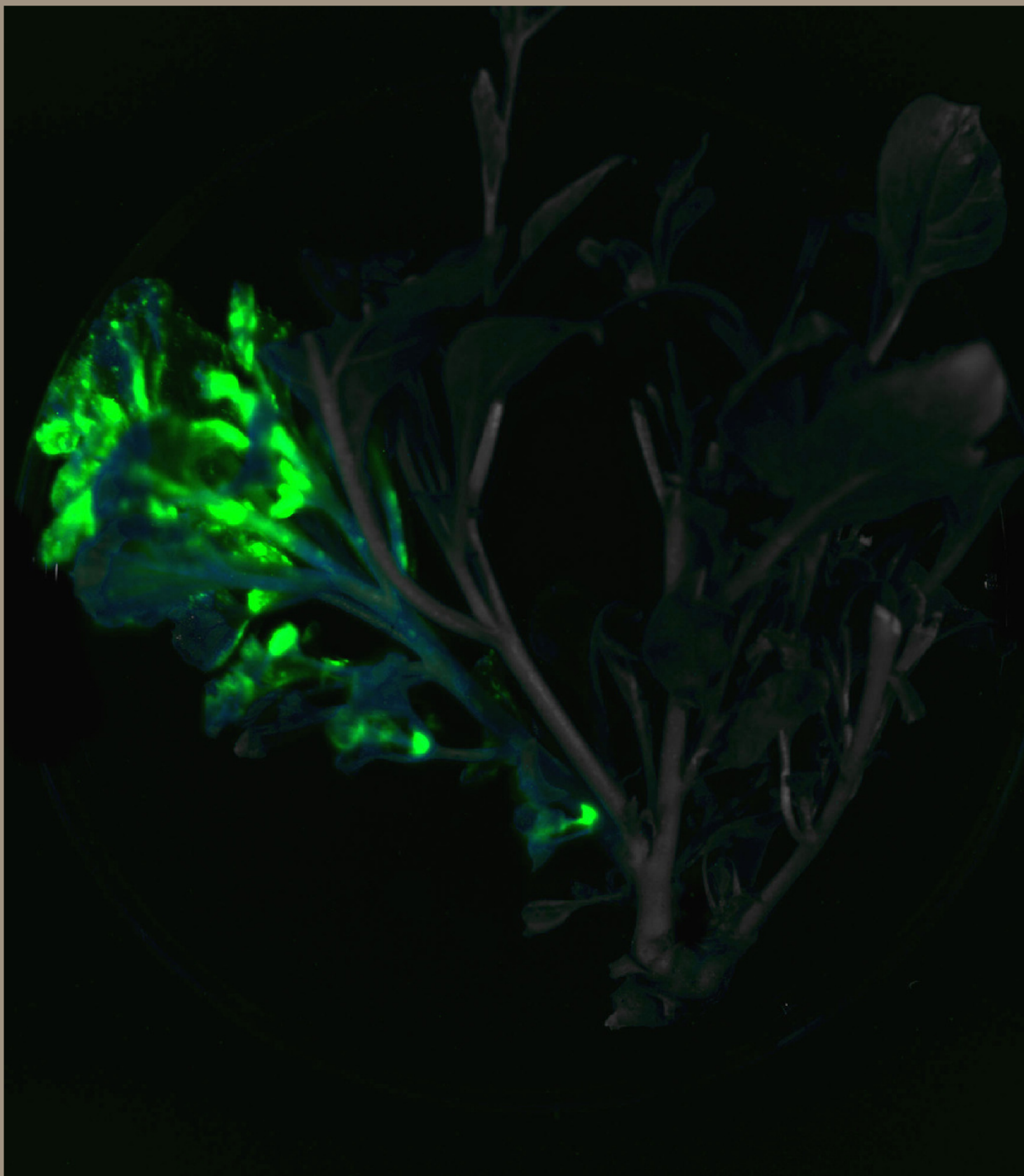
**Carlos Barragan Rosillo**

The embryo sac of Chia in a separated chamber.



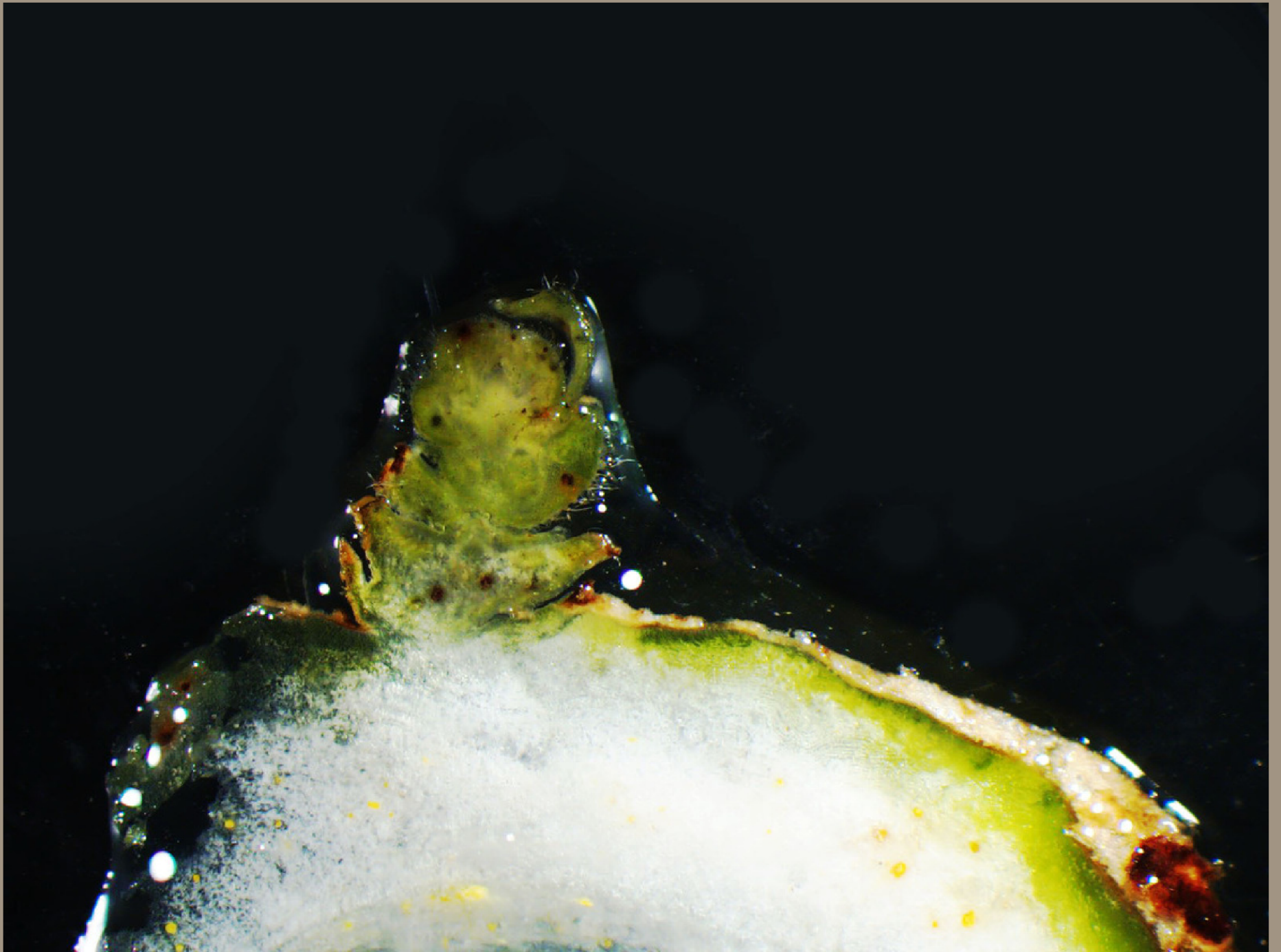


Dolores Gutierrez Alanis  
*de novo shoot* phenotype in Tobacco.



Dolores Gutierrez Alanis  
Transgenic *de novo* shoot in Tobacco.





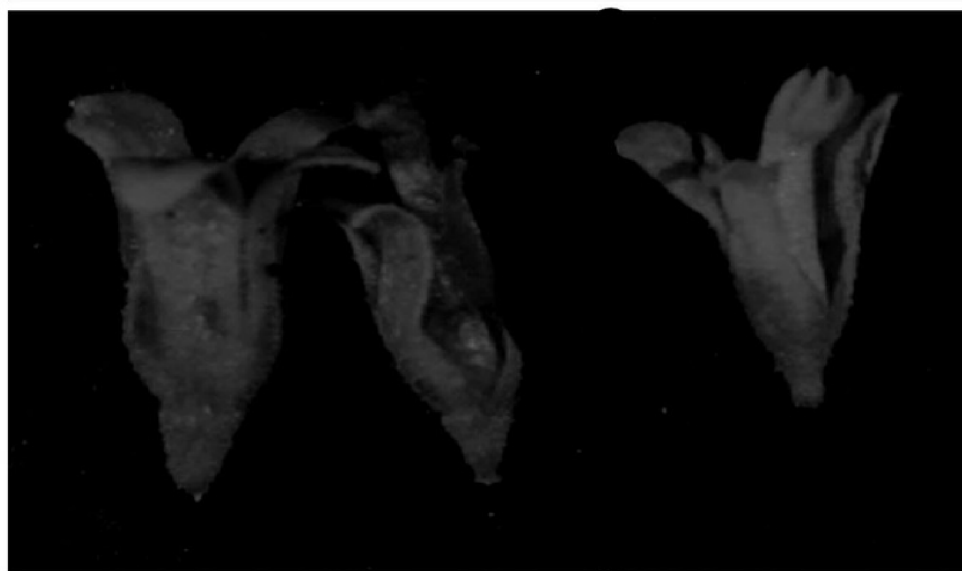
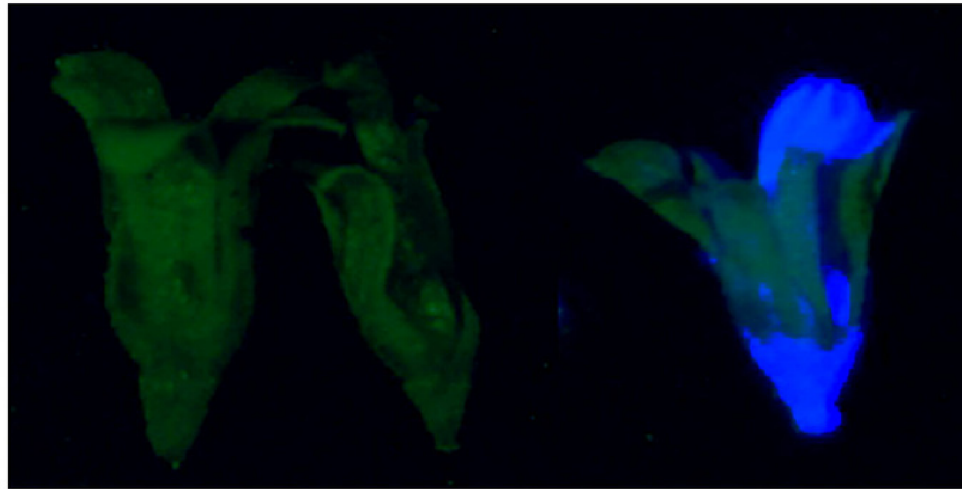
**Dolores Gutierrez Alanis**

Cross section showing *de novo* shoot induction in cotton callus at early stages of development.



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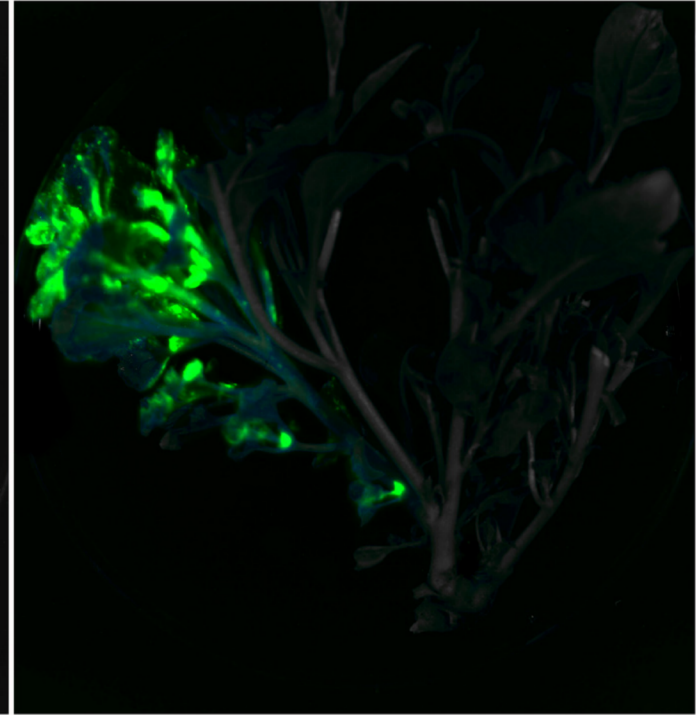
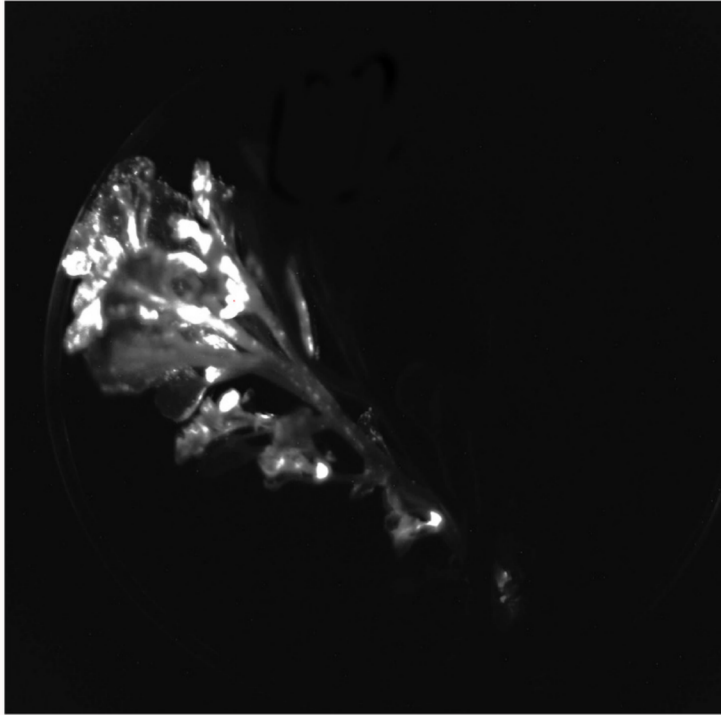
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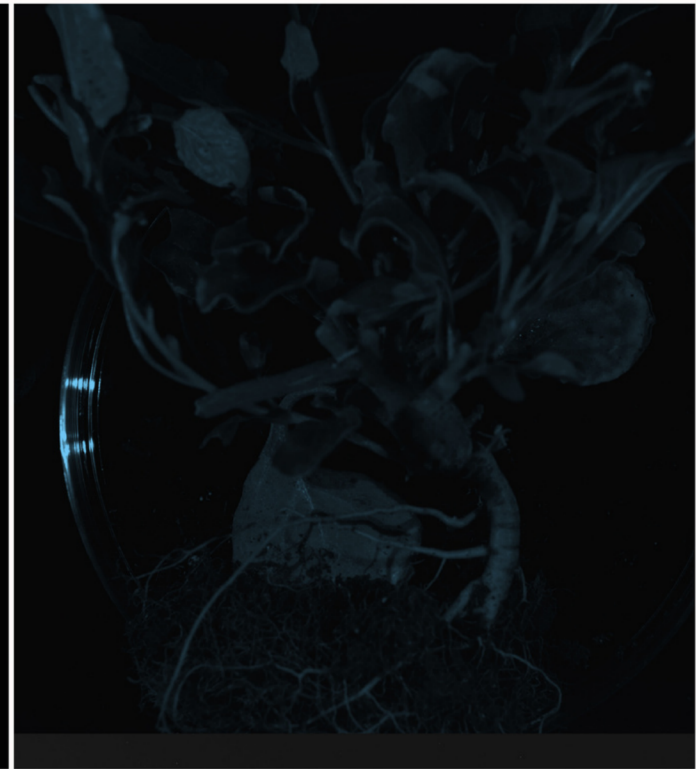
**Dolores Gutierrez Alanis**

Flowers of transgenic tobacco branches.

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**Dolores Gutierrez Alanis**

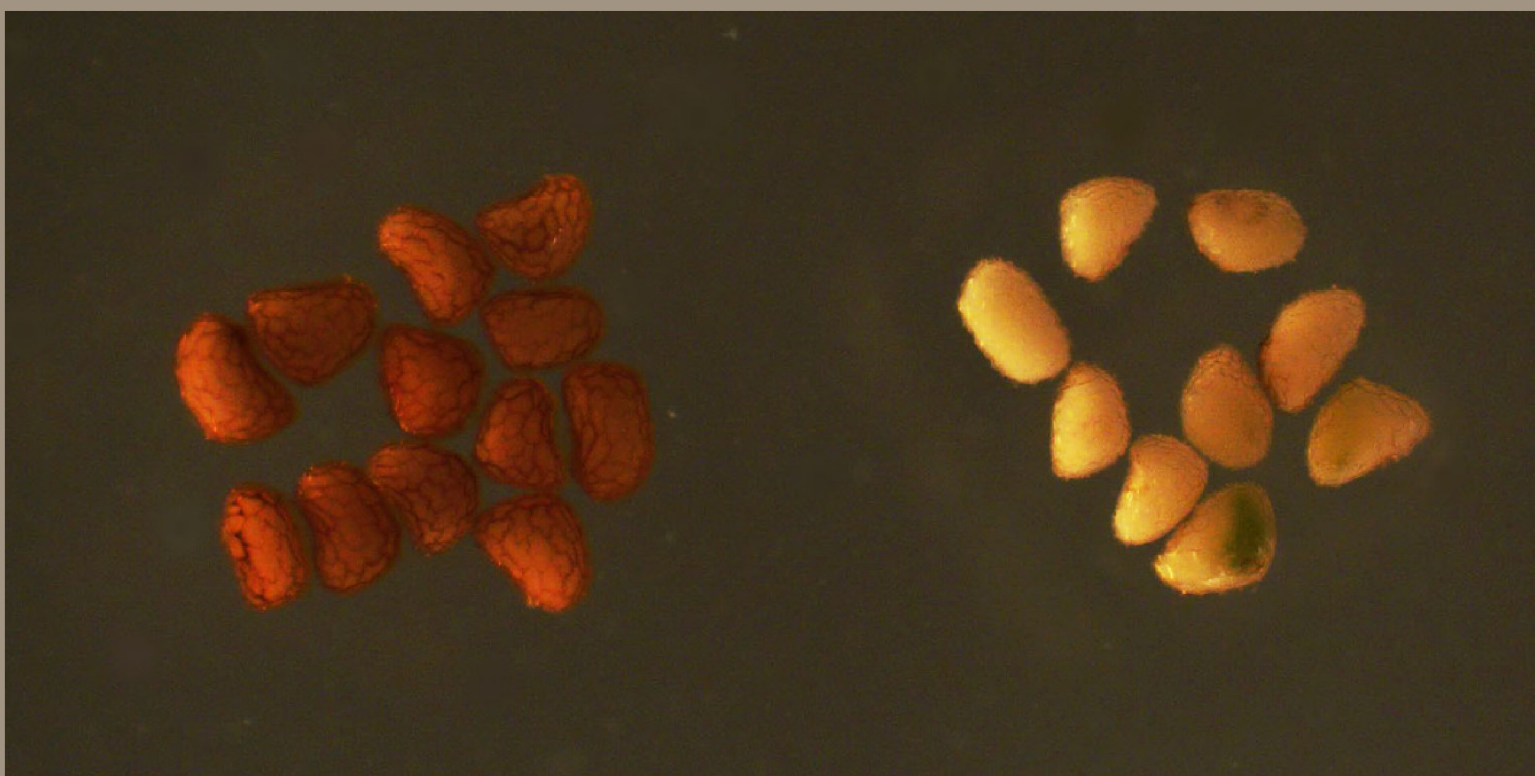
Shoot meristems of transgenic tobacco branches.





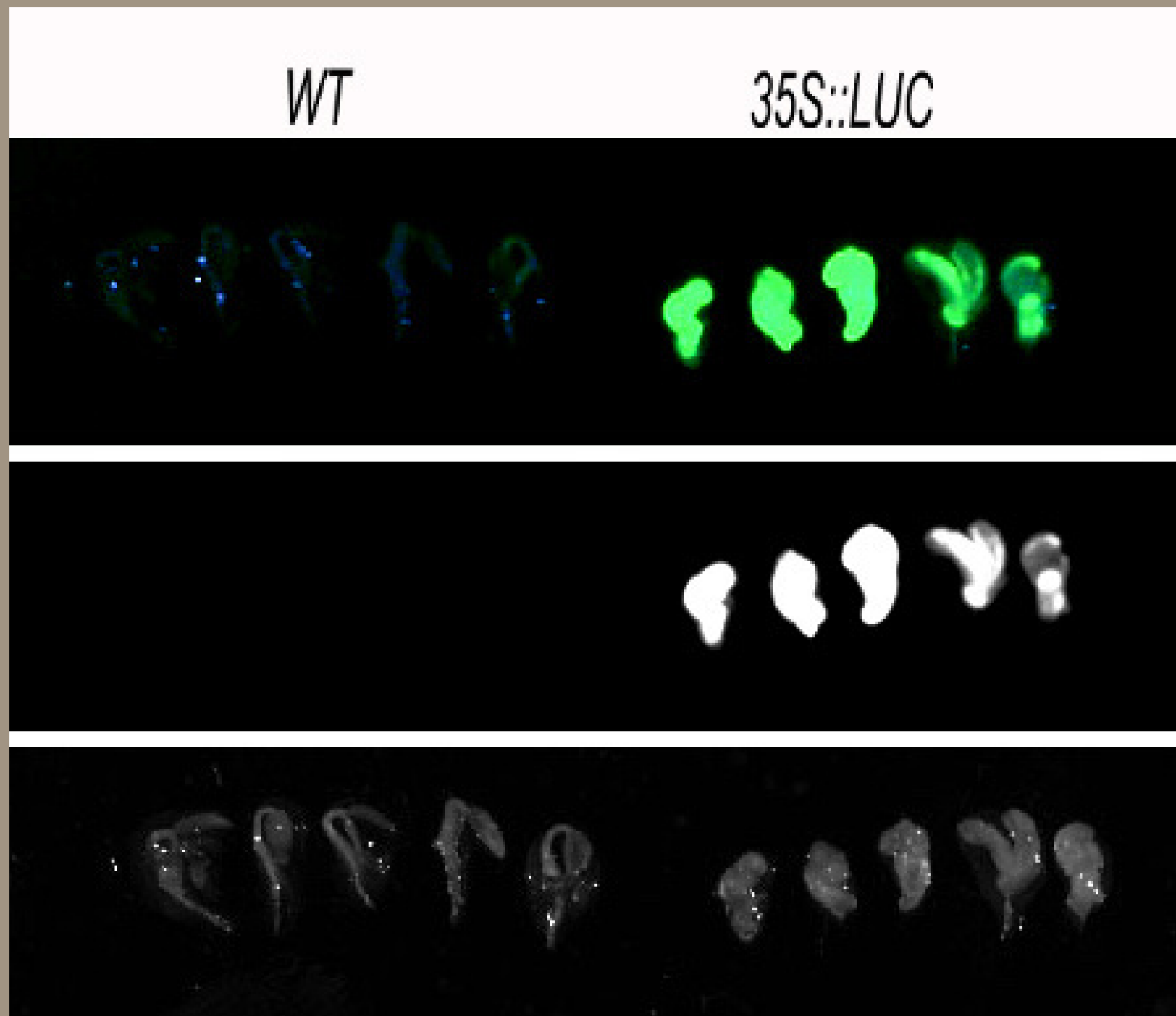
**Dolores Gutierrez Alanis**

Cross section showing *de novo* shoot induction in cotton callus.



**Dolores Gutierrez Alanis**

Phenotype of transgenic tobacco seeds.



Dolores Gutierrez Alanis  
Tobacco transgenic seedlings.

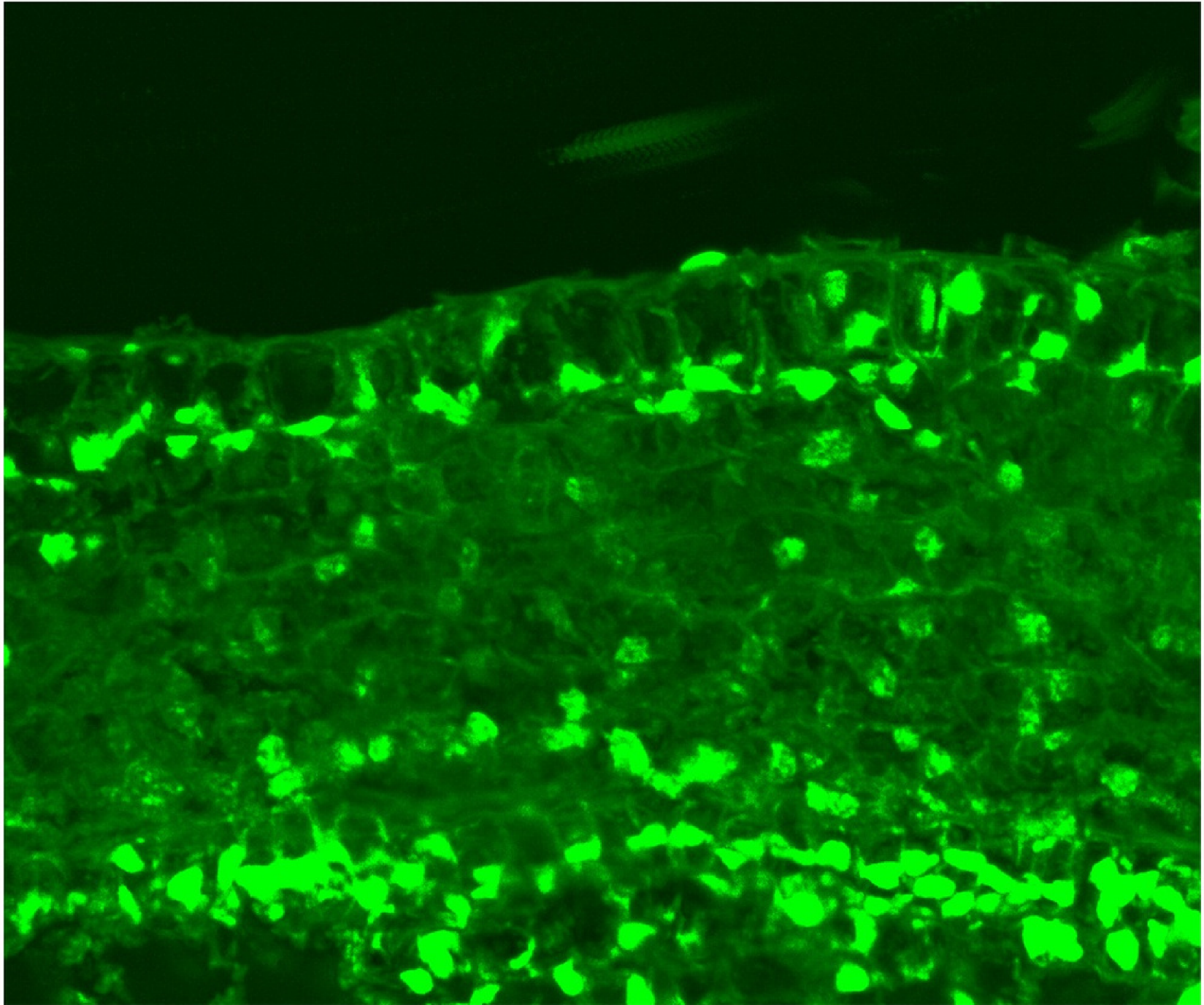




**Dolores Gutierrez Alanis**

Tobacco *de novo* shoot induction at early stages of development.

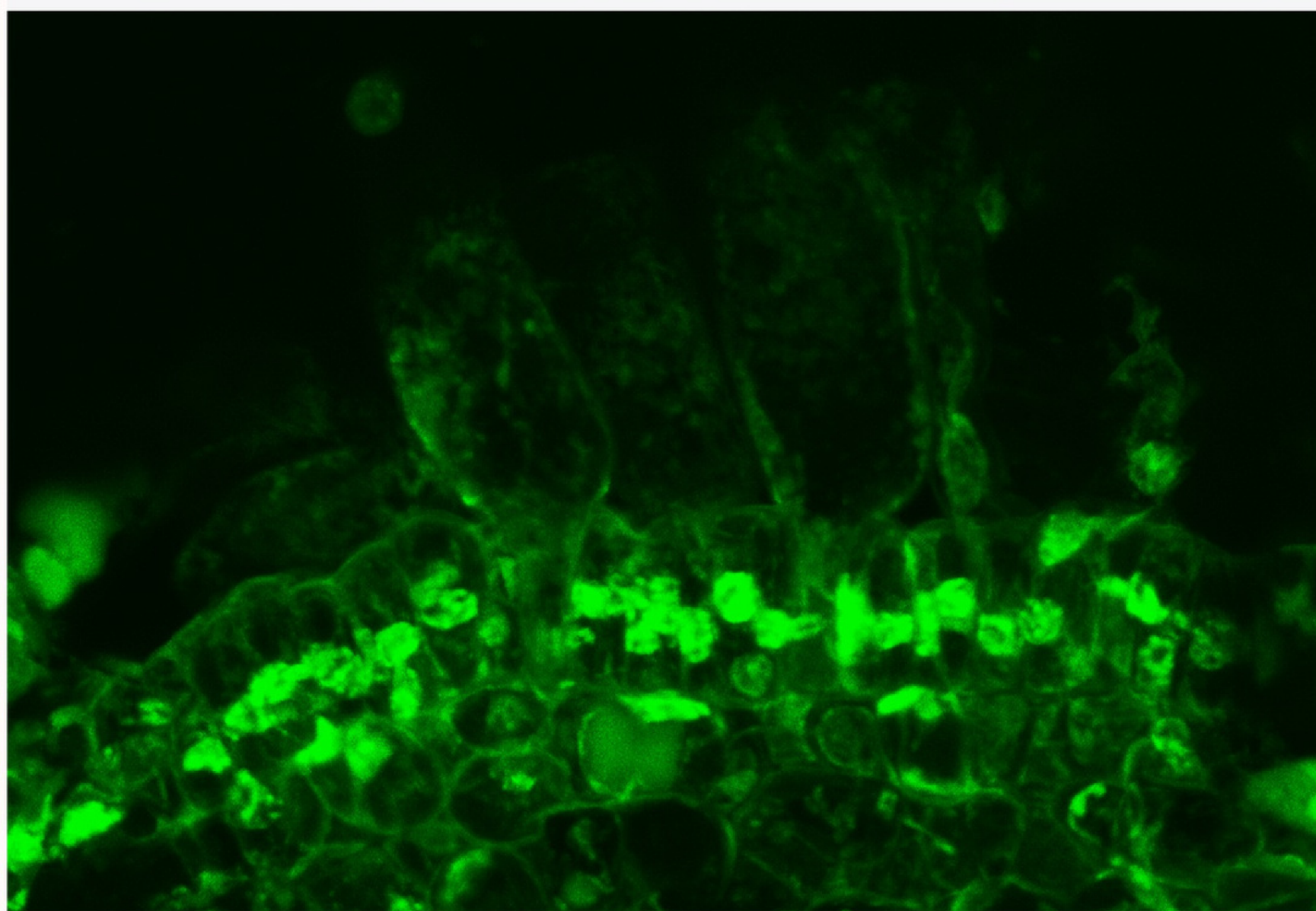




**Lenin Yong**

*The calm before the storm*

Cotton fiber cell initials.

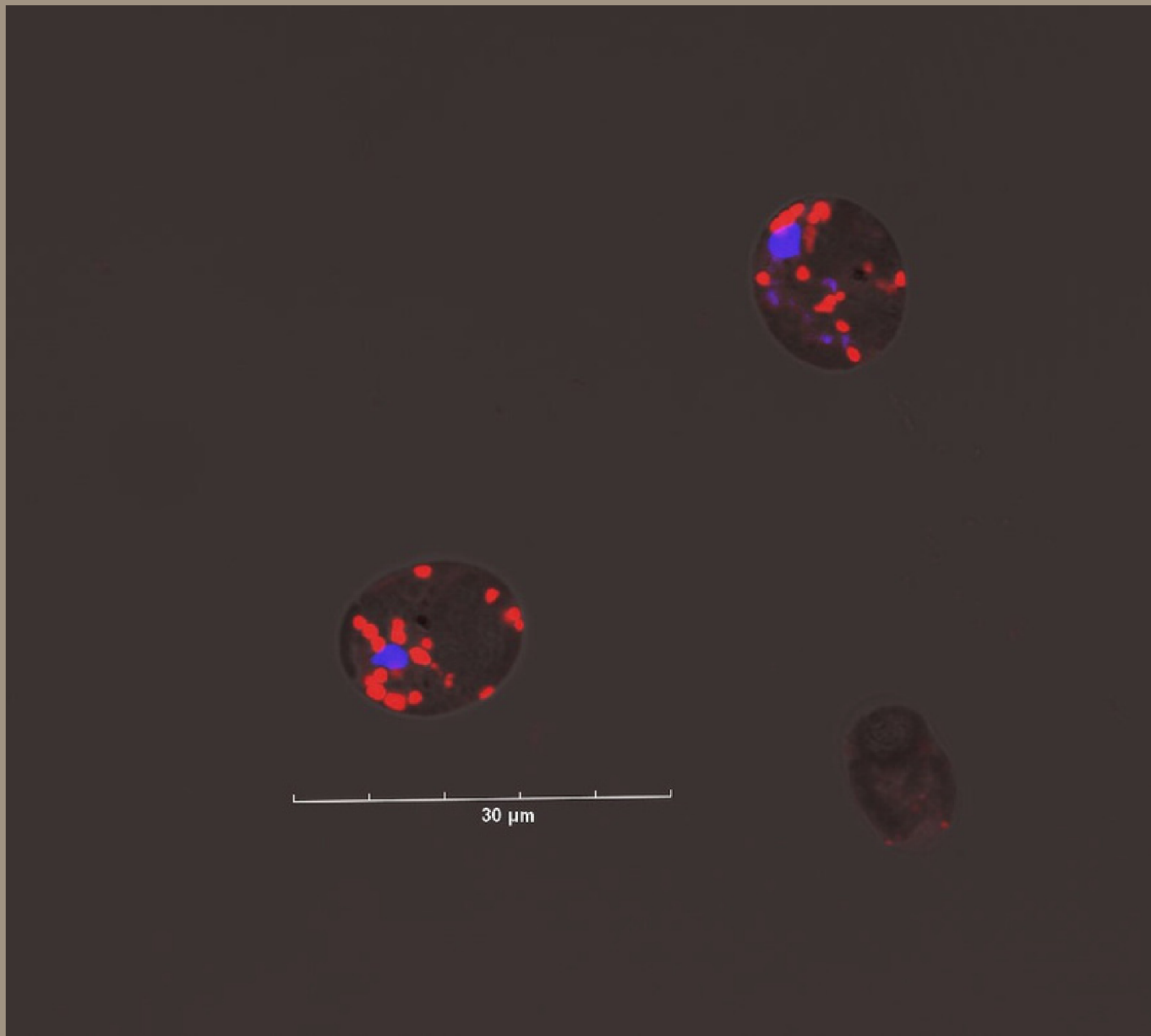


**Lenin Yong**

*Rise of the living thread*

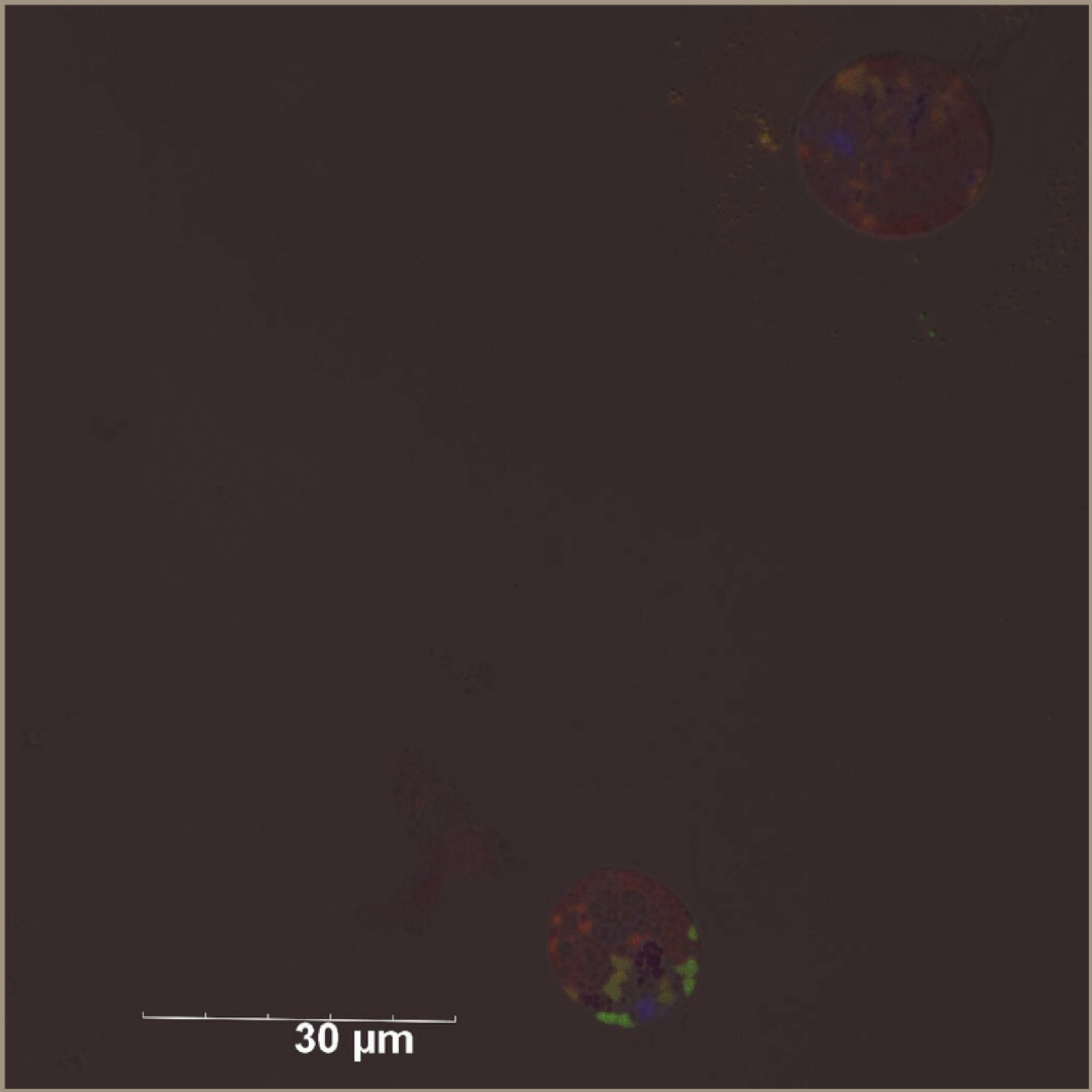
Emerging cotton fibers.





**Matteo Tosoni**

*Wt mile red 2dd n- 60x.*



**Matteo Tosoni**  
*WT724C.*



**Mylea Lovell**

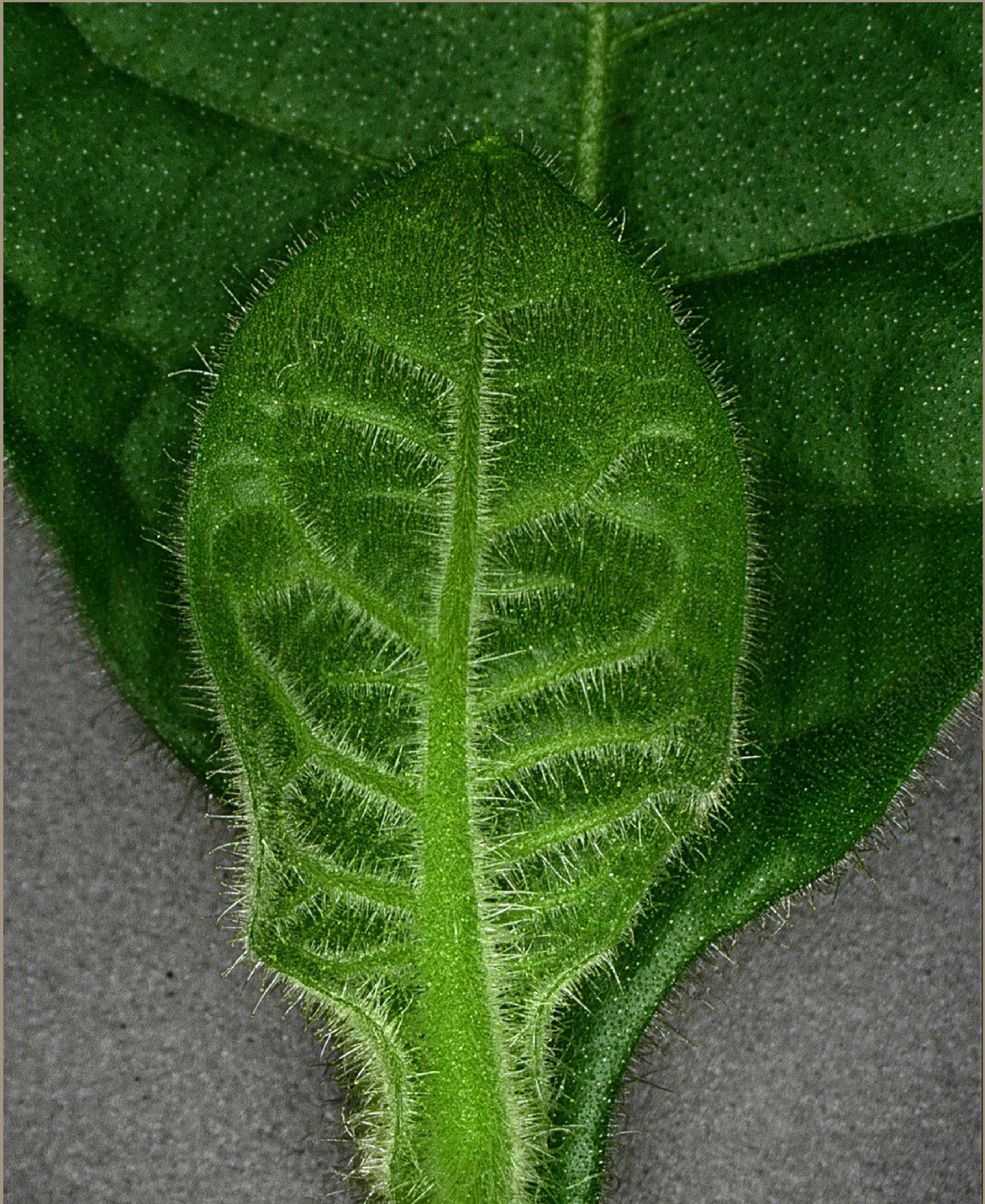
Sugarcane aphid from sorghum.





**Mylea Lovell**  
Whitefly on Soybean.





**Héctor Rogelio Nájera**

Adaxial and Abaxial sides of the leaf .





**Héctor Rogelio Nájera**  
Tobacco trichomes.





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Vitrified *Arabidopsis thaliana* 1.

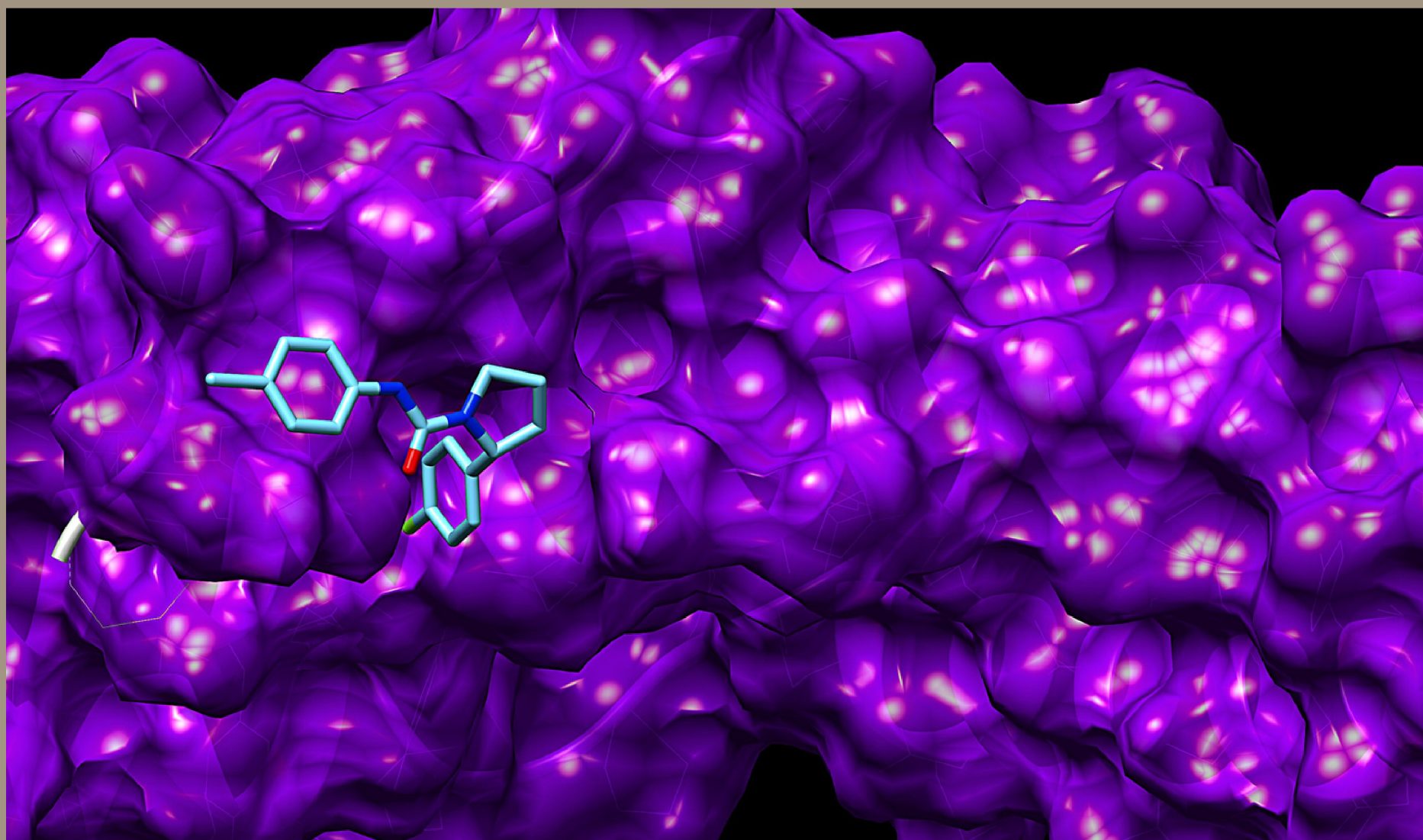




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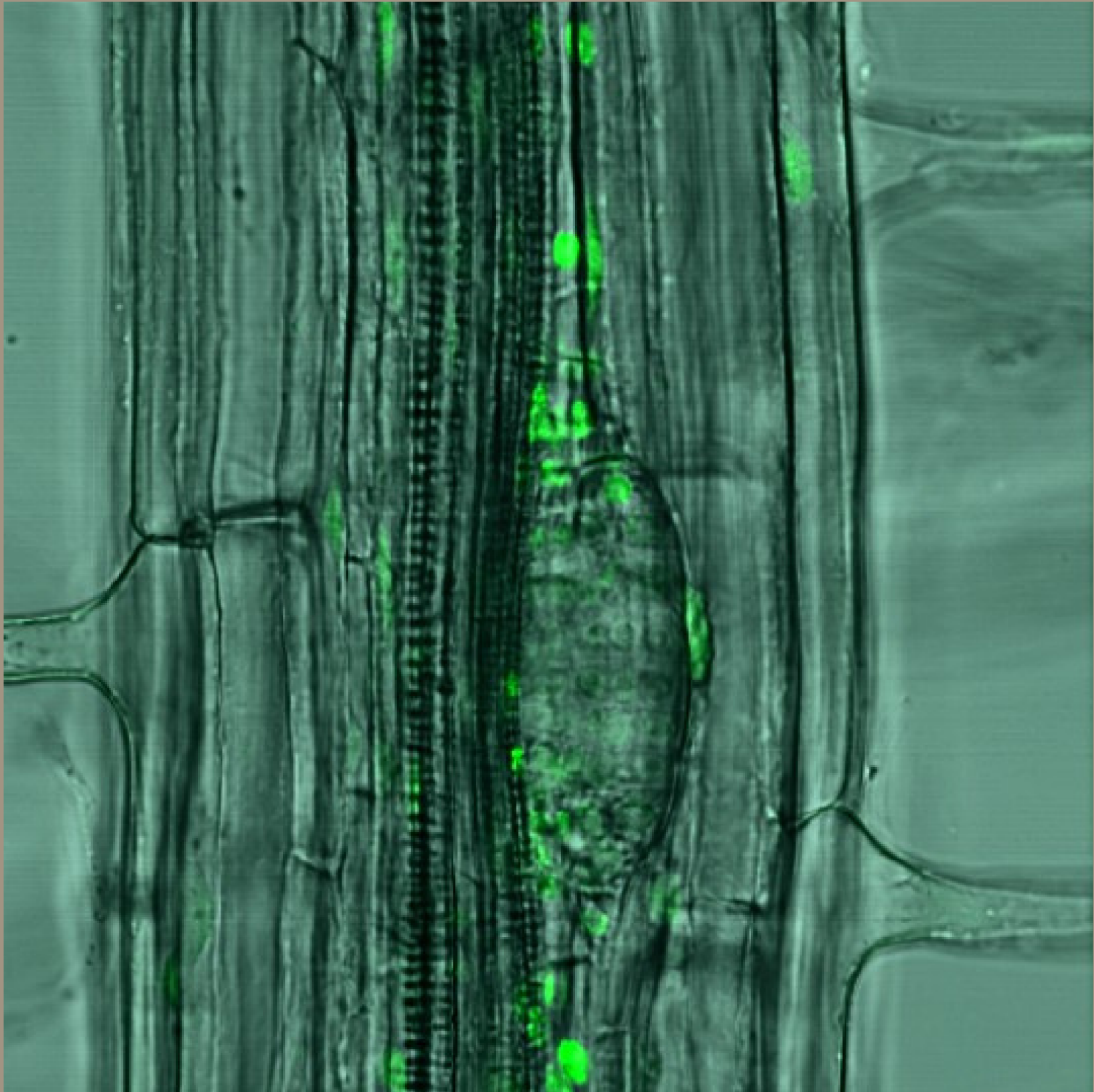




**Héctor Rogelio Nájera**

Molecular Docking.





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GFP in roots.



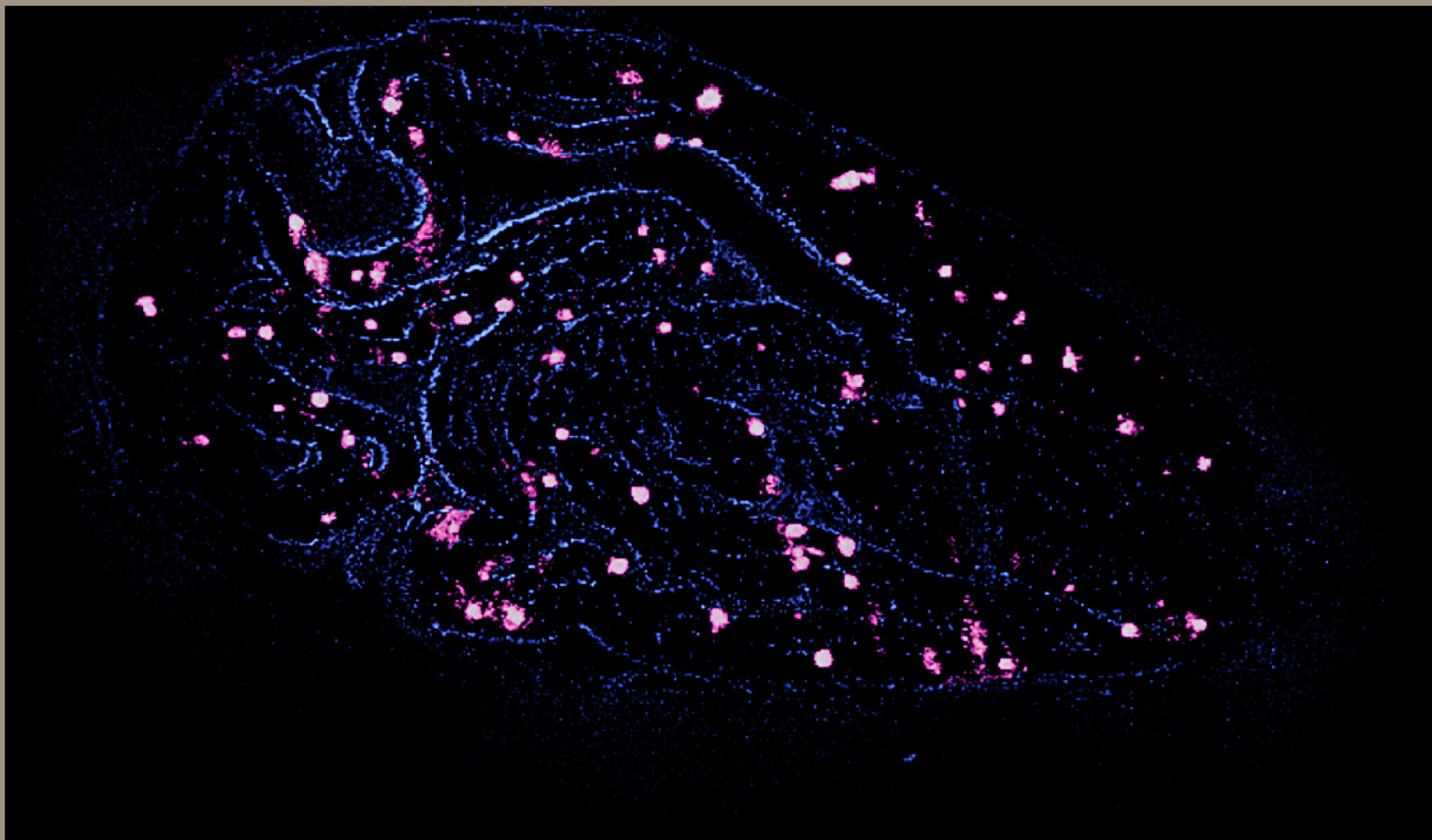
**Héctor Rogelio Nájera**

MALDI-Imaging of citric acid in roots.



**Héctor Rogelio Nájera**  
GFP seeds.





**Héctor Rogelio Nájera**

MALDI-Imaging of gossypol in cotton seed section.



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