

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Sunday 14th July

Welcome Introduction: Conference Organizers

Keynote Address: Juan Carlos Belmonte, Altos Labs

Opening reception

Monday 15th July

- Breakfast and Meet the Speakers
- **Session 1 – Molecular regulation of muscle stem cells – part I**

Amy Wagers, Harvard University

Tom Cheung, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Natasha Chang, McGill University

Talks selected from abstracts

- Lunch and Meet the Speakers or Career Workshop 1
- **Session 2 – Molecular Regulation of muscle stem cells – part II**

Faye Mourkioti, University of Pennsylvania

Graziella Messina, University of Milan

Talks selected from abstracts

- Poster Blitz, Poster Session I, Dinner

Tuesday 16th July

- Breakfast and Meet the Speakers
- **Session 3 – Muscle stem cell aging**

Brad Olwin, University of Colorado at Boulder

Helen Blau, Stanford University

Pura Munoz-Canoves, Altos Labs

Talks selected from abstracts

- Lunch and Meet the Speakers or Career Workshop 2
- **Session 4 – Transcriptional states of muscle stem cells**

Benjamin Cosgrove, Cornell University

Carlos Aguilar, University of Michigan

Fabio Rossi, University of British Columbia

Talks selected from abstracts

- **Session 5 – Competition for Helen Blau Skeletal Muscle Research Prize for Early Career Investigators**
- Poster Blitz, Poster Session II, Dinner

Wednesday 17th July

- Breakfast and Meet the Speakers
- **Session 6 – Engineering and translating muscle stem cells**

Rita Perlingeiro, University of Minnesota

Woojin Han, Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai

Francesco Saverio Tedesco, University College London

Talks selected from Abstracts

- Lunch and Meet the Speakers or Career Workshop 3
- **Session 7 – Muscle stem cell states and dynamics of muscle regeneration**

Michael Rudnicki, University of Ottawa

Fred Relaix, INSERM

Jeff Dilworth, University of Wisconsin, Madison

Talks selected from abstracts

- Business meeting
- Poster Blitz, Poster Session III, Dinner

Thursday 18th July

- **Session 8 – Muscle stem cell activation and fusion**

Elizabeth Chen, University of Texas-Southwestern

Pete Currie, Monash University

Mary Baylies, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center

Talks Selected from Abstracts

- Lunch and Meet the Speakers
- **Session 9 – Muscle stem cells and friends during exercise and growth**

Charlotte Peterson, University of Kentucky (W)

Katrien DeBock, ETH Zurich (W, I)

Remi Mounier, Institut NeuroMyoGene (I)

Marco Sandri, Venetian Institute of Molecular Medicine (I)

- Banquet and Announcement and Celebration of Awards

Friday 19th July

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