

Cell proliferation, differentiation and carcinogenesis  
March 27-29, 2009 Estoril, Portugal

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

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Friday March 27, 2009

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- 08:30 - 08:45      **Introduction**  
Geoff Laurent (London, GB)
- 08:45 - 09:30      **Opening Lecture**  
Cell differentiation, proliferation and carcinogenesis - clues from mouse models  
Anton Berns (Amsterdam, NL)
- 09:30 - 11:30      **Session I: Development and clues to disease pathogenesis**
- 09:30 - 10:00      **Lung development, disease and repair**  
    Edward Morrissey (Pennsylvania, US)
- 10:00 - 10:15      **Short talk chosen from submitted abstracts**
- 10:15 - 10:45      *Coffee*
- 10:45 - 11:15      **Wnt and TGF $\beta$  signaling in lung development**  
    Parviz Minoo (Los Angeles, US)
- 11:15 - 11:30      **Short talk chosen from submitted abstracts**
- 11:30 - 13:00      **Session II: Endothelial homeostasis and repair**
- 11:30 - 12:00      **Signalling systems in lung vascular disease**  
    Nicholas Morrell (Cambridge, GB)
- 12:00 - 12:15      **Short talk chosen from submitted abstracts**
- 12:15 - 12:45      **Stem cells for lung vascular repair**  
    Duncan J. Stewart (Toronto, CA)
- 12:45 - 13:00      **Short talk chosen from submitted abstracts**
- 13:00              *Lunch*
- 14:30 - 16:30      **Session III: Epithelial homeostasis and response to injury**
- 14:30 - 15:00      **Bronchiolar regenerative mechanisms**  
    Barry R. Stripp (Durham, US)
- 15:00 - 15:15      **Short talk chosen from submitted abstracts**
- 15:15 - 15:45      **Wnt signalling and parenchymal fibrosis**  
    Oliver Eickelberg (Giessen, DE)
- 15:45 - 16:00      *Coffee*
- 16:00 - 16:30      **Short talk chosen from submitted abstracts**
- 16:30 - 18:15      **Poster discussion sessions**
- 18:45              *Reception, followed by the Evening Pre-Dinner Talk & Dinner*
- 19:00 - 19:30      **Evening Pre-Dinner Talk**  
Delivering as a clinician scientist  
Duncan J. Stewart (Toronto, CA)

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## Saturday March 28, 2009

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08:45 - 11:15	<b>Session IV: Tissue matrix and epithelial homeostasis</b>
08:45 - 09:15	<b>Epithelial-fibroblast interaction and disease</b> Rachel C. Chambers (London, GB)
09:15 - 09:30	<b>Short talk chosen from submitted abstracts</b>
09:30 - 10:00	<b>Matrix interaction with the epithelium - basic mechanisms</b> William Parks (Seattle, US)
10:00 - 10:15	<b>Short talk chosen from submitted abstracts</b>
10:15 - 10:45	<i>Coffee</i>
10:45 - 11:15	<b>Matrix interaction with the epithelium - clinical outcomes</b> Steven D. Shapiro (Pittsburgh, US)
11:15 - 13:00	<b>Young Investigator Award Session</b>
13:00 - 13:15	<i>Group picture (with all participants)</i>
13:15	<i>Lunch</i>
15:30	<i>Afternoon activity</i>

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## Sunday March 29, 2009

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08:45 - 12:00	<b>Session V: The steps to cancer - clues for therapies</b>
08:45 - 09:15	<b>Cell adhesion, cell survival and response to therapy</b> Tariq Sethi (Edinburgh, GB)
09:15 - 09:30	<b>Short talk chosen from submitted abstracts</b>
09:30 - 10:00	<b>Proteomics analysis in lung cancer - challenges and opportunities</b> David Carbone (Nashville, US)
10:00 - 10:15	<b>Short talk chosen from submitted abstracts</b>
10:15 - 10:45	<i>Coffee</i>
10:45 - 11:15	<b>The pathogenesis of pre-invasive lesion development</b> Elisabeth Brambilla (Grenoble, FR)
11:15 - 11:30	<b>Short talk chosen from submitted abstracts</b>
11:30 - 12:00	<b>Surrogate predictive biomarkers and response to biological therapies</b> Federico Cappuzzo (Rozzano, IT)
12:00 - 12:30	<b>Awards Ceremony and conclusion</b>
12:30	<i>Lunch &amp; Departure</i>