





Protein Homeostasis in Health & Disease

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We are pleased to announce the Cold Spring Harbor Asia conference on Protein Homeostasis in Health & Disease which will be held at the Suzhou Dushu Lake Conference Center in Suzhou, China. The conference will begin at 7:00pm on the evening of Monday September 26, and will conclude after lunch on Friday September 30, 2011.

This conference retains the essence of the prestigious Cold Spring Harbor NY meetings series, a program now in its 76th year. The conference will include eight oral sessions and one poster session covering the latest findings across many topics in protein homeostasis. Many talks will be selected from the openly submitted abstracts on the basis of scientific merit and relevance. Social events throughout the conference provide ample opportunity for informal interactions.

Abstract:

We encourage abstracts to contain new and unpublished materials. The abstracts must be submitted electronically by the abstract deadline. Selection of material for oral and poster presentation will be made by the organizers.

Fellowship:

A certain number of presentations by graduate students and postdocs in this conference will be selected as fellowship (USD \$100-\$500) awards. For more details, please visit http://www.csh-asia.org/stipends.html.

Major Topics:

- The Protein Folding Problem
- Protein Biogenesis and Sensing Proteotoxic Stress
- Protein Misfolding in Aging and Disease
- Proteostasis and Stress Responses
- Organellar Protein Homeostasis
- Clearance Mechanisms
- Therapeutic Strategies for Conformational Diseases

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Keynote Speaker

F. Ulrich Hartl,

Max-Planck-Institute for Biochemistry, GERMANY

Invited Speakers

William Balch,

The Scripps Research Institute, USA

Anne Bertolotti,

MRC Laboratory of Molecular Biology, UK

Bernd Bukau,

ZMBH, University of Heidelberg, GERMANY Andrew Dillin, The Salk Institute, USA Lila Gierasch,

University of Massachusetts, USA

Aaron Gitler, University of Pennsylvania, USA

Carol Gross.

University of California at San Francisco, USA Manajit Hayer-Hartl, Max Planck Institute of Biochemistry, GERMANY

Koreaki Ito,

Kyoto Sangyo University, JAPAN

Randal Kaufman,

HHMI/University of Michigan, USA

Shalesh Kaushal,

University of Massachusetts Medical School, USA

Jeffery Kelly,

The Scripps Research Institute, USA

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