# CSH Asia

# COLD SPRING HARBOR ASIA CONFERENCE

# RNA Biology

Suzhou, China October 8-12, 2012

#### **Organizers:**

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The Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory (CSHL) aims to contribute to the advancement of science in Asia and to foster worldwide scientific exchange through an elaborated Program of scientific meetings and courses. The CSH Asia meeting on RNA Biology will feature cutting-edge advances in the field of RNA and will cover a broad range of topics, from RNA processing to translation, from non-coding RNA to RNA networks and therapeutics. Recognized experts in the field of RNA will share their most recent advances in the historic city of Suzhou, 60 miles west of Shanghai, from October 8-12, 2012

## Registration remains open until October 8, 2012

Rates vary for corporate/industry, academic (PhD, MD, staff scientists) and student (up to PhD) attendees. Endowed student package costs as low as USD250/CNY1530 before July 27, 2012.

#### Abstracts due July 27, 2012

We encourage abstracts to contain new and unpublished materials. Selection results for short talks (10-20) and poster presentations will be made by the organizers on the basis of scientific merit and relevance.

#### **Major Topics:**

- RNA processing
- Short and long non-coding RNA
- RNA-protein interactions
- RNA structure
- RNA networks
- RNA therapeutics
- RNA in development
- RNA export
- Translation
- RNA interference
- RNA catalysis
- Viral RNA regulation
- RNA and metabolism
- RNA and disease

#### **Keynote Speakers:**

Gregory Hannon, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory, USA

### **Invited Speakers:**

Maria Barna, University of California, San Francisco, USA Douglas Black, HHMI/University of California, Los Angeles, USA Alfredo Castello, European Molecular Biology Laboratory, Germany

Stephen Cohen, A\*STAR, Singapore

Paul Fox, Cleveland Clinic, USA

Xiang-Dong Fu, University of California, San Diego, USA

Sunjoo Jeong, Dankook University, Korea

Yoon Ki Kim, Korea University, Korea

Ulrike Kutay, Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, Switzerland Mofang Liu, Institute of Biochemistry and Cell Biology, China

Raúl Méndez, Institute for Research in Biomedicine, Spain John Rinn, Broad Institute of MIT / Harvard Medical School, USA

Davide Ruggero University of California San Francisco USA

Tsutomu Suzuki. University of Tokyo. Japan

Yukihide Tomari, University of Tokyo, Japan

Woan-Yuh Tarn, Academia Sinica, Taiwan

Rui-ming Xu, Institute of Biophysics, CAS, China

Chaolin Zhang, The Rockefeller University, USA

Zhi-Ming Zheng, from the National Cancer Institute, USA



