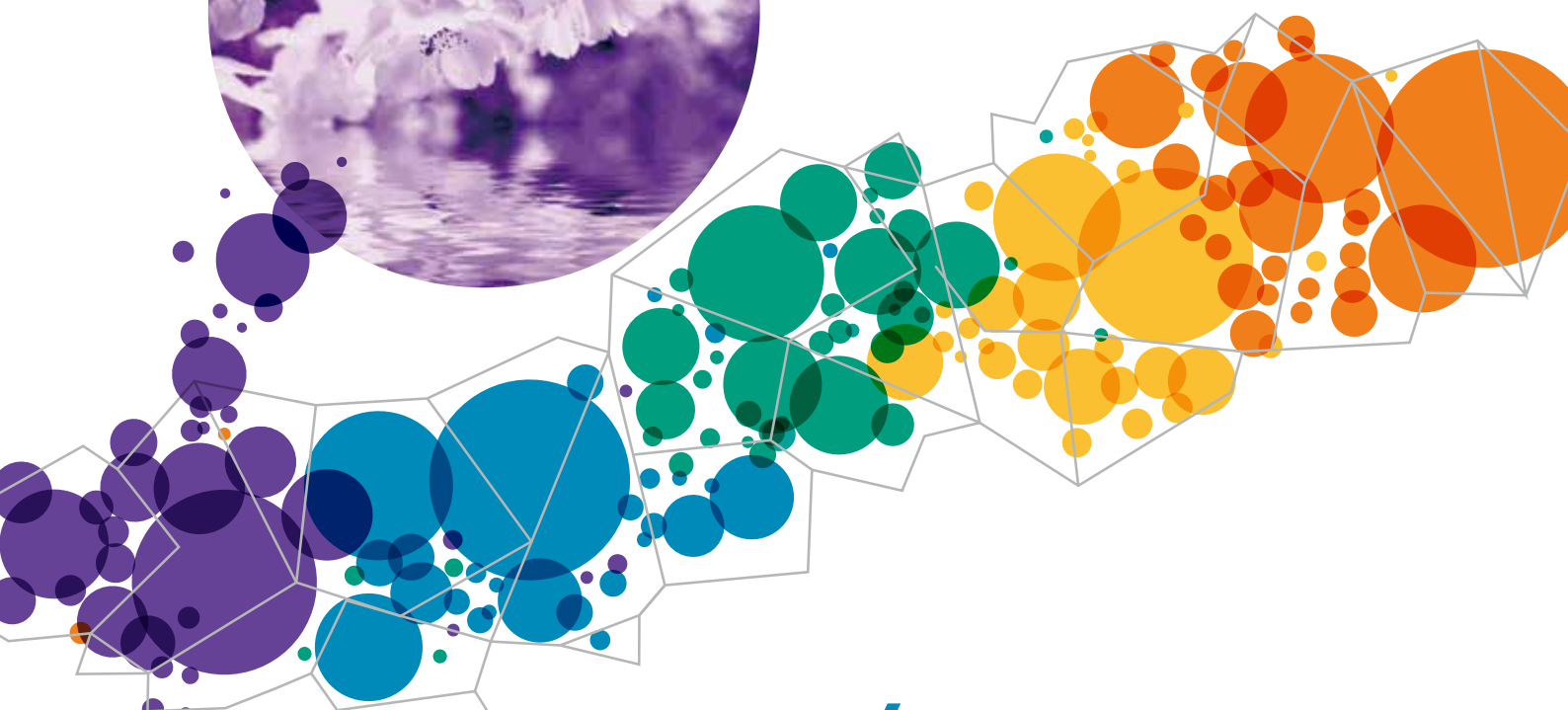




KYOTO JAPAN 2016

22-24 MARCH



CiRA/ISSCR 2016 International Symposia

Pluripotency: From Basic Science to Therapeutic Applications
Celebrating 10 years of iPS Cell Technology

Venue

Kyoto University
Clock Tower Centennial Hall

Call for Abstracts

1 November - 31 December, 2015

Pre-Registration

1 November, 2015 - 31 January, 2016

SESSION TOPICS

- | CELL DIFFERENTIATION AND DISEASE MODELING
- | MECHANISMS OF PLURIPOTENCY
- | EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES
- | THERAPEUTIC APPLICATIONS

SPECIAL LECTURE

Shinya Yamanaka, MD, PhD
CiRA, Kyoto University

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

Austin G. Smith, PhD, FRS, FRSE
Wellcome Trust/MRC

Richard Young, PhD
Whitehead Institute for Biomedical Research, MIT



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Program (tentative)

Day 1 Tuesday, 22 March

13:30	Opening
13:40	Opening Special Lecture Shinya Yamanaka, MD, PhD CiRA, Kyoto University
14:25	Session 1: Emerging technologies in pluripotent stem cell fields Cynthia Dunbar, MD NHLBI, National Institute of Health Hiromitsu Nakauchi, MD, PhD Stanford University School of Medicine Feng Zhang, PhD McGovern Institute for Brain Research, MIT Hirohide Saito, PhD CiRA, Kyoto University
17:25	Poster session 1

Day 2 Wednesday, 23 March

09:00	Session 2: Therapeutic application 1 Luc Douay, MD, PhD CDR Saint-Antoine Koji Eto, MD, PhD CiRA, Kyoto University Charles Murry, MD, PhD University of Washington Hideyuki Okano, MD, PhD Keio University School of Medicine Masayo Takahashi, MD, PhD Riken CDB
14:00	Keynote Lecture 1 Austin G. Smith, PhD, FRS, FRSE Wellcome Trust/MRC
14:45	Session 3: Mechanism of pluripotency George Q. Daley, MD, PhD Harvard University Rudolf Jaenisch, MD Whitehead Institute for Biomedical Research, MIT Kathrin Plath, PhD UCLA School of Medicine Jose Maria Polo, PhD Monash University
18:00	Poster session 2
19:00	Reception

Day 3 Thursday, 24 March

09:00	Session 4: Therapeutic application 2 Allan J. Robins, PhD ViaCyte Hans-Willem Snoeck, MD, PhD Columbia University Jun Takahashi, MD, PhD CiRA, Kyoto University Hideki Taniguchi, MD, PhD Yokohama City University Noriyuki Tsumaki, MD, PhD CiRA, Kyoto University
14:30	Session 5: Cell differentiation and disease modeling Andrew George Elefanty, MB BS, FRACP, PhD Murdoch Children's Research Institute Gordon M. Keller, PhD University of Toronto Ryuichi Nishinakamura, MD, PhD IMEG, Kumamoto University
17:00	Keynote Lecture 2 Richard Young, PhD Whitehead Inst. for Biomedical Research, MIT
17:45	Closing

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Important Dates

- 1 November, 2015: Abstract submission & pre-registration open
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