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FACULTÉ DE MÉDECINE



Programme for the 4th Geneva Diabetes Centre Symposium

November 9th, 2017; Louis-Jeantet Auditorium (Chemin Rieu 17, Geneva)

Organizing committee: Valérie Schwitzgebel, Charna Dibner, Mirko Trajkovski, Roberto Coppari, Michelangelo Foti

Meeting chairs: Mirko Trajkovski and Roberto Coppari

8.30 – 09.00 Poster setup

09.00 – Opening remarks: Valérie Schwitzgebel

09.05 – 12.25 Morning session - Chair: Roberto Coppari

09.05 – 09.50 Invited Speaker: Kei Sakamoto (Nestlé Institute of Health Sciences/EPFL)

09.50 – 10.20 Franco Negro (Geneva University Hospitals)

10.20 – 10.40 Coffee

10.40 – 11.10 Pierre Maechler (University of Geneva)

11.10 – 11.40 Emmanouil Dermitzakis (University of Geneva)

11.40 – 12.25 Invited Speaker: Bernard Thorens (University of Lausanne - Switzerland)

12.25 – 13.20 Lunch over poster viewing

13.20 – 14.00 Posters + exhibitors

14.00 – 17.20 Afternoon session - Chair: Mirko Trajkovski

14.00 – 14.45 Invited Speaker: Lluís Fajás Coll (University of Lausanne - Switzerland)

14.45 – 15.15 Pedro Herrera (University of Geneva)

15.15 – 16.00 Invited speaker: Patrick Collombat (Inserm, CNRS, Nice - France)

Beer/wine served

16.20 – 17.20 Selected short talks by students and postdocs

16.20 – 16.35 Selected talk 1

16.35 – 16.50 Selected talk 2

16.50 – 17.05 Selected talk 3

17.05 – 17.20 Selected talk 4

Award for the best short talk (and poster)

Music and drinks!

Talks by the UNIGE PIs will last 25 min, followed by 5 min discussion. Talks by the invited speakers will last <40min, followed by 5 min discussion. Selected talks from the PhD students and postdocs will last 10 min (sharp), followed by max 2 short questions (the whole slot is 15 min, allowing introduction and setup for the next presenter).