

EPIGENETIC THERAPIES AND BIOMARKERS

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Epigenetics 2017

Hotel Grand Chancellor,
Brisbane

29th October - 1st November 2017



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SUNDAY 29th OCTOBER

5.00 – 7.00pm Registration Open
Meet and Greet

MONDAY 30th OCTOBER

8.00 – 9.00am Registration Open

9.00 – 9.10am Conference Welcome – Prof Susan Clark

9.10 – 11.00am **Session 1: Epigenetics Mechanisms**

9.10 – 9.50am **Keynote Speaker: Prof Stephen Baylin, John Hopkins University**

9.50 – 10.10am A/Prof Jose Polo, Monash University

10.10 – 10.30am Prof Susan Clark, Garvan Institute of Medical Research

10.30 – 10.45am Free Abstract

10.45 – 11.00am Free Abstract

11.00 – 11.30am Morning Tea

11.30 – 1.00pm **Session 2: Functional Epigenomics and Transcriptomics**

11.30 – 12.00pm **Keynote Speaker: TBC**

12.00 – 12.20pm A/Prof Carl Walkley, St Vincent's Institute of Medical Research

12.20 – 12.35pm Free Abstract

12.35 – 12.50pm Free Abstract

12.50 – 1.30pm Fast forward poster abstracts – 10 posters with 2 minutes each

1.30 – 3.00pm Lunch & Poster Presentations

3.00 – 4.30pm **Session 3: Cancer Epigenetics**

3.00 – 3.20pm Dr Heather Lee, University of Newcastle

3.20 – 3.40pm A/Prof Vicki Whitehall, QIMR Berghofer Medical Research Institute

3.40 – 4.00pm A/Prof Pilar Blancafort, University of Western Australia

4.00 – 4.15pm Free Abstract

4.15 – 4.30pm Free Abstract

4.30 – 5.00pm Afternoon Tea

5.00pm Bus transfer to QIMR Berghofer Medical Research Institute

5.30 – 6.30pm Public lecture at QIMR Berghofer Medical Research Institute - Prof Peter Jones
"Epigenetics – The Next Hope for Cancer Treatments"

6.30 – 7.30pm Welcome reception at QIMR Berghofer Medical Research Institute

7.30pm Bus transfer with optional stops in Fortitude Valley, the City, South Bank and
Hotel Grand Chancellor

Free Evening

TUESDAY 31st OCTOBER

7.30am Registration Open

7.30 – 8.30am **Sponsored Breakfast Session (TBC)**

9.00 – 10.30am **Session 4: Bioinformatics**

9.00 – 9.20am Prof Terry Speed, Walter and Eliza Hall Institute of Medical Research

9.20 – 9.40am Dr Allan McRae, University of Queensland

9.40 – 9.55am Free Abstract

9.55 – 10.10am Free Abstract

10.10 – 10.25am Free Abstract

10.25 – 11.00am Morning Tea

11.00 – 12.30pm **Session 5: Epigenomics**

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11.00 – 11.40am	Prof Fei Lan, Fudan University
11.40 – 12.00pm	Invited Speaker (TBC)
12.00 – 12.15pm	Free Abstract
12.15 – 12.30pm	Free Abstract
12.30 – 1.00pm	Fast forward poster abstracts – 10 posters with 2 minutes each
1.00 – 2.30pm	Lunch & Poster Presentations
2.30 – 4.00pm	Session 6: Neuroepigenetics
2.30 – 2.50pm	A/Prof Anne Voss, Walter and Eliza Hall Institute of Medical Research
2.50 – 3.10pm	Dr Timothy Bredy, University of Queensland
3.10 – 3.30pm	Professor Geoffrey Faulkner, University of Queensland
3.30 – 3.45pm	Free Abstract
3.45 – 4.00pm	Free Abstract
4.00 – 4.30pm	Afternoon Tea
4.30 – 5.30pm	Session 7: Young Investigators Awards Session
4.30 – 4.45pm	Free Abstract
4.45 – 5.00pm	Free Abstract
5.00 – 5.15pm	Free Abstract
5.15 – 5.30pm	Free Abstract
5.30 – 6.30pm	AEPiA Committee Meeting (members only)
7.00 – 11.00pm	Conference Dinner at the Grand Chancellor
WEDNESDAY 1ST NOVEMBER	
07.30am	Registration Open
7.30 – 8.30am	Sponsored Breakfast Session (TBC)
9.00 -11.00am	Session 8: Development and Aging
9.00 – 9.20am	Prof Ryan Lister, University of Western Australia
9.20 – 9.40am	Invited Speaker (TBC)
9.40 – 10.00am	Dr Peter Molloy, CSIRO
10.00 – 10.15am	Free Abstract
10.15 – 10.30am	Free Abstract
10.30 – 11.00am	Morning Tea
11.00 – 12.30pm	Session 9: Epigenetic Biomarkers
11.00 – 11.20am	Dr Yuen Yee Cheng, University of Sydney
11.20 – 11.40am	Prof Sudha Rao, University of Canberra
11.40 – 12.00pm	Prof Greg Goodall, University of South Australia
12.00 – 12.15pm	Free Abstract
12.15 – 12.30pm	Free Abstract
12.30 – 1.30pm	Lunch
1.30 – 3.00pm	Session 10: Cancer Genetics and Therapy
1.30 – 2.10pm	Keynote Speaker: Prof Peter Jones, Van Andel Institute
2.10 – 2.30pm	Dr Ozren Bogdanovic, Garvan Institute of Medical Research
2.30 – 2.45pm	Free Abstract
2.45 – 3.00pm	Free Abstract
3.00 – 3.30pm	Awards and Conference Close
3.30 – 4.00pm	Afternoon Tea