



THE AUTUMN BSMB KEELE 2007

MONDAY 3RD & TUESDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER



SHAPING AND SENSING THE EXTRACELLULAR MATRIX

Organisers: Dr Nikki Kuiper (Keele), Dr John Wardale (AstraZeneca) & Professor Alicia El Haj (Keele)

MONDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER

11am onwards	<i>Registration & room key pick up, Medical School Foyer</i>
12pm	<i>Refreshments, Medical School Foyer</i>
12.50pm	<i>Welcome, Medical School Lecture Theatre</i> <i>Dr Nikki Kuiper, University of Keele</i>
1pm	SHAPING THE ECM <u>Session 1: Influence of Physical Environment</u> <i>Chair person: Prof Alicia El Haj, University of Keele</i>
1.30pm	Prof David Lee, Queen Mary, University of London, UK
1.45pm	Poster presentation:
2pm	Dr Jim Ralphs, University of Cardiff, UK
2.30-3pm	<i>Refreshments, Medical School Foyer</i>
3-3.45pm	YOUNG INVESTIGATOR AWARD <i>Chair person: Prof Anthony Hollander, University of Bristol</i>
3.45pm	SHAPING THE ECM <u>Session 2: Tissue Regeneration</u> <i>Chair person: Dr Sally Roberts, University of Keele</i>
4.15pm	Prof Brian Johnstone, Oregon Health & Science University, USA
4.30pm	Poster presentation:
4.45pm	Dr Peter Roughley, McGill University, Canada <i>The role of hyaluronan synthase 2 (HAS2) in cartilage formation</i>
5.15-7pm	<i>Posters, Medical School, 1st Floor, Rms 1.35-1.38</i>
7.15pm	<i>Conference Dinner at The Comus Restaurant, Keele Campus (Le Café Bar open until 1am)</i>

TUESDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER

8-9am *BSMB Committee Meeting, Ground floor, Rm 0.2*

9.15am ***SENSING THE ECM***
Session 3: Awareness and Sensation of Pain
Chair person:

9.45am Prof Bruce Kidd, Barts & London Queen Mary's, UK
10am Poster presentation:
10.15am Poster presentation:

10.45-11.15am *Refreshments, Medical School Foyer*

11.15- 12.45pm ***BSMB SOCIETY SESSION***
Chair person: Prof Bruce Caterson, Cardiff University

12.45-2pm *Lunch, Medical School Foyer*

2pm ***SENSING THE ECM***
Session 4: Biomarkers of Tissue Metabolism
Chair person: Dr John Wardale, Astrazeneca

2.30pm Prof Anna Plaas, RUSH, Chicago, USA
2.45pm Poster presentation:
3pm Poster presentation:
Dr Rose Maciewicz, Astrazeneca, UK
Translational activities in osteoarthritis: where research and development meet.

3.30pm *Close of meeting*