

Nutrition and Human Health: From Molecules to Man

Aberdeen Exhibition & Conference Centre, 24th March 2017

Registration now open

Molecular Epidemiology Group UK (MEGUK) Spring Meeting



Further information

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Programme Outline

10.15 Registration

10.45 Welcome Professor Paul Hagan, Robert Gordon University, Aberdeen UK.

Session 1. Chairs Susan Duthie and Andrew Collins

11.00 Invited speaker: ‘Dietary intervention in Norwegian colorectal cancer survivors’. Professor Rune Blomhoff, Oslo University Hospital, Norway.

11.30 Invited speaker: “Folate & HPV-linked cancers: from the epidemiology to the molecular”. Professor Hilary Powers, The University of Sheffield, UK.

12.00-12.30 Proffered oral communications x2:

12.30 Poster session and lunch

Session 2. Chairs Sabine Langie and Andrew Povey

13.45 Invited speaker: ‘The Microbiome, Diet & Gut Health’. Dr Wendy Russell, Rowett Institute, University of Aberdeen, UK.

14.15-15.15 Proffered oral communications x4:

15.15 tea/coffee break

Session 3. Chairs March Gunter and Andrew Collins

15.45 Invited speaker: ‘Dietary Agents as Epigenetic Modulators in Human Health & Disease’. Dr Clarissa Gerhauser, DKFZ, Heidelberg, Germany.

16.15-16.45 Proffered oral communications x2:

16.45 Prize announcements and closing remarks

Registration

Registration (includes tea/coffee & lunch)

UKEMS members	£40
Non members	£60
Postgraduate students	£25

Registration and payment is online through the MEGUK website (www.meguk.org).

The deadline for registration is the 6th of March 2017.

Young Scientist Presentations & Prizes

We cordially invite participants to present their work either as a short oral communication or as a poster. Submissions from early career researchers are particularly encouraged. Submitted abstracts will be published online in the journal *Mutagenesis*.

The abstract submission form can be downloaded via the MEGUK website (www.meguk.org). Please direct inquiries to Dr Sabine Langie (sabine.langie@vito.be).

The deadline for submitting an abstract is the 17th of February 2017. Authors will be advised by February 27th 2017 if abstracts have been accepted and in what format they will be invited to present their work.

Prizes will be awarded to young scientists [PhD students and postdocs (<5 years)] for the best oral and poster presentations. Participants selected for oral communications will be entered into the oral presentation competition which will be judged at the workshop. To be eligible to win the poster prize, you must submit a PDF of your poster by March 13th 2017.

Travel Bursaries

A small number of travel bursaries are available for PhD students and postdocs (<5 years) to present at this workshop; bursaries are limited to one applicant per group and/or Institute. Bursaries will comprise £100 towards registration fee, economy class travel and/or hotel accommodation. For information on how to submit an application, contact Professor Andrew Collins (a.r.collins@medisin.uio.no).

You must apply for a travel bursary before the 17th of February 2017. Those awarded a travel bursary will still be required to register and to make a registration fee payment. Please note that all bursary payments/refunds will only be made after the workshop upon submission of original receipts (tickets etc.). Further details will be provided at the workshop.

Venue, travel & accommodation

The conference is being held at the Aberdeen Exhibition and Conference Centre (AECC). Details on how to get there are on the AECC website. (<https://www.aecc.co.uk/your-event/getting-here/>). Preferential rates for accommodation are offered through the Holiday Inn (<https://www.ihg.com/holidayinn/hotels/gb/en/aberdeen/abzec/hoteldetail>) and the Holiday Inn Express (<https://www.ihg.com/holidayinnexpress/hotels/gb/en/aberdeen/abzex/hoteldetail>) both located at the AECC. Delegates will also be entitled to free car parking at the venue.

Please note that participants must make their own travel and accommodation arrangements.

Additional information for participants visiting Aberdeen and the surrounding countryside is available at the VisitAberdeen website (<http://www.visitabdn.com/>).