





# Developmental Control of Sex, Growth and Cellular Fate

Suzhou, China October 11 – 15, 2011

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We are pleased to announce the Cold Spring Harbor Asia conference on Developmental Control of Sex, Growth and Cellular Fate which will be held at the Suzhou Dushu Lake Conference Center in Suzhou, China. The conference will begin at 7:30pm on the evening of Tuesday October 11, and will conclude after lunch on Saturday October 15, 2011.

This conference retains the essence of the prestigious Cold Spring Harbor NY meetings series, a program now in its 76th year. The conference will include eight oral sessions and one poster session covering the latest findings across many topics in developmental biology research. Many talks will be selected from the openly submitted abstracts on the basis of scientific merit and relevance.

#### Abstract:

We encourage abstracts to contain new and unpublished materials. The abstracts must be submitted electronically by the abstract deadline. Selection of material for oral and poster presentation will be made by the organizers.

#### Fellowship:

We are eager to have as many young people as possible attend since they are likely to benefit most from this meeting. A certain number of presentations by graduate students and postdocs in this conference will be selected as fellowship (USD \$100-\$500) awards. For more details, please visit http://www.csh-asia.org/stipends.html.

#### Major Topics:

- Sexual Dimorphic Development
- Germ Cell Development
- Stem Cells
- Pattern Formation
- Growth Control
- Cell Migration
- Cell Fate Determination
- Organ Formation
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## Keynote Speakers

Margaret Fuller, Stanford University School of Medicine, USA Patrick Tam, Children's Medical Research Institute, Australia

### **Invited Speakers**

Thomas Bosch, Christian-Albrechts-University Kiel, GERMANY Dahua Chen, Institute of Zoology, CAS, CHINA Shinichiro Chuma, Kyoto University, JAPAN **Thomas Cline**, University of California, Berkeley, USA Lixin Feng, Jiaotong University School of Medicine, CHINA Jin Jiang, UT Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas, USA Hisato Kondoh, Osaka University, JAPAN Xinhua Lin, Institute of Zoology, CHINA Yasuhisa Matsui, Tohoku University, JAPAN Guo-li Ming, Johns Hopkins University, USA Toru Miyazaki, University of Tokyo, JAPAN Yoshitake Nagahama, Ehime University, JAPAN Satoshi Namekawa, Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center, USA **Brian Oliver**, National Institutes of Health, USA Yumiko Saga, National Institute of Genetics, Japan Nori Satoh, Okinawa Institute of Science and Technology, JAPAN Henry Sun, Academia Sinica, TAIWAN Tadashi Uemura, Kyoto University, JAPAN Mark Van Doren, Johns Hopkins University, USA Hongyan Wang, Duke-NUS Graduate Medical School, SINGAPORE Rongwen Xi, National Institute of Biological Sciences, China Bo Xiao, Sichuan University, CHINA Hong Zhang, National Institute of Biological Sciences, CHINA Yong-Lian Zhang, Shanghai Institute for **Biological Sciences, CHINA**