



Southern California Drosophila Conference September 11, 2009, 9:15 - 6:30

Schedule of Speakers

9:15 - 9:50	Continental Breakfast – Microscopy and Imaging Exhibits Open	
9:50 - 10:00	Organizers	<i>“Introductory Remarks”</i>
10:00 - 10:30	Ethan Bier – UCSD	<i>“Using flies to gain insights into human host-pathogen interactions”</i>
10:30 - 11:00	Taosheng Huang – UCI	<i>“A Drosophila model for optic atrophy”</i>
11:00 - 11:30	Mahtab Jafari – UCI	<i>“Rhodiola rosea and lifespan extension”</i>
11:30 - 12:00	David Walker – UCLA	<i>“Mitochondrial modulation of lifespan”</i>
12:00 - 1:30	Lunch	
1:30 - 2:00	Kavita Arora – UCI	<i>“Activin signaling in neuronal development”</i>
2:00 - 2:30	Diane O’Dowd – UCI	<i>“Cellular mechanisms regulating network activity”</i>
2:30 - 3:00	Anandasankar Ray – UCR	<i>“Inhibition of CO2 avoidance in Drosophila: A novel paradigm for behavior modification”</i>
3:00 - 3:30	Coffee Break	
3:30 - 4:00	Amy Kieger – UCSD	<i>“Phosphoinositide roles in membrane organization and cellular remodeling”</i>
4:00 - 4:30	Robert Drewell – Harvey Mudd	<i>“Promoter-enhancer interactions at the Drosophila Bithorax Complex”</i>
4:30 - 5:00	Jim Posakony – UCSD	<i>“A master of self-control: Negative autoregulation by neuralized”</i>
5:00 - 5:30	Sergey Nuzhdin – USC	<i>“Genomics of expression variation”</i>
5:30 - 6:30	Post Conference Reception Microscopy and Imaging Exhibits Open	

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