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Saturday, June 15

8:30 – 22:00 Satellite Symposium (independently organized) Hyatt Regency - Estrellas B
Making and Breaking the Left-Right Axis: Laterality in Development and Disease
Co-organizers: Marnie Halpern (Carnegie Institution for Science, USA) and Oliver Hobert (Columbia U, USA)
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Sunday, June 16

8:00 – 12:00 Satellite Symposium Hyatt Regency – Estrellas B
Continuation

12:00 – 18:00 ICDB Registration Cancun Convention Center (CCC) Ground Floor Foyer
12:00 – 18:00 Poster Session I and All Exhibitors – Set Up Gran Cancun 1, 2 & 3. CCC 3rd floor

14:30 – 18:30 Presidential Symposium Gran Cancun 5, A & 4. CCC 3rd floor
On Growth and Form Sponsored by Developmental Dynamics and genesis, Wiley
14:30 – 14:40 Opening Introductions (by society presidents): José Xavier Neto (LASDB), Adriana Garay (SMBD), Vivian Irish (SDB), Claudio Stern (ISDB)
Chair: Vivian Irish
14:40 – 15:20 Alejandro Sanchez Alvarado (Stowers, USA). On planarian regeneration and stem cells
15:20 – 16:00 Celeste Nelson (Princeton, USA). Role of biomechanics in tissue growth
16:00 – 16:40 Elly Tanaka (CRTD, Germany). Evolutionary changes in the cellular sources for limb regeneration
16:40 – 17:10 Coffee break at Exhibits Gran Cancun 1, 2 & 3. CCC 3rd floor

Chair: Claudio Stern
17:10 – 17:50 The EMBO Lecture - Elliot Meyerowitz (Caltech, USA). Mechanical force controls chemical signals in creating plant pattern
17:50 – 18:30 James Sharpe (CRG, Spain). Correct 3D shaping of the vertebrate limb

18:30 – 20:00 Dinner on your own

20:00 – 22:00 Poster Session I and Welcome Reception Gran Cancun 1, 2 & 3. CCC 3rd floor
Poster themes: Education – Transcription and gene regulation – Growth control – Germ cells, gametogenesis and fertilization – Morphogenesis – Genome level approaches
Monday, June 17

8:00 – 18:00  ICDB Registration  
Foyer.  CCC 3rd floor

8:30 – 14:00  Poster Session I viewing  
Gran Cancun 1, 2 & 3.  CCC 3rd floor

8:30 – 10:30  Plenary Session 1  
Chair:  Eddy DeRobertis  
Gran Cancun 5, A & 4.  CCC 3rd floor

8:30 – 9:00  John Gurdon (Cambridge, UK).  
Nuclear transplantation and developmental biology

9:00 – 9:30  Angela Nieto (Inst. Neuroc. Alicante, Spain).  
Epithelial plasticity in embryonic development and metastatic colonization

9:30 – 10:00  Peter Holland, Ferdinand Marletaz, Laura Ferguson, Jordi Papas, (Oxford, UK), Fei Xu (Chinese Academy of Science, China), Willie Taylor (NIMR, UK), Pete Olson (Nat Hist Museum London, UK).  
Unusual patterns of Hox cluster evolution

10:00 – 10:30  Coffee break at Exhibits  
Gran Cancun 1, 2 & 3.  CCC 3rd floor

10:30 – 12:30  Concurrent Sessions 1

1.1  Molecules to cells – Epigenetics and Chromatin Structure  
Chair:  Elly Tanaka  
Gran Cancun 4.  CCC 3rd floor

10:30 – 11:00  Jean Philippe Vielle-Calzada (CINVESTAV, Mexico).  
Epigenetic control of apomixis in plants: Learning from sexual experience

11:00 – 11:15  Megan Jane Wilson (Univ. of Otago, New Zealand).  
Regulation of gene expression by RNA polymerase II promoter pausing during mouse embryonic development

11:15 – 11:30  Tim Thomas, Andrew Kueh, Anne Voss (Inst. of Medical Research, Australia).  
The lysine acetyltransferase HBO1 is essential for maintaining the poised chromatin state of neural stem cells

11:30 – 12:00  Alvaro Rada Iglesias (Univ. of Cologne, Germany).  
Characterization of human developmental enhancers: from whole genomes to single SNPs

12:00 – 12:15  Alistair Boettiger, Xiaowei Zhuang (Harvard, USA).  
Super-resolution imaging of regulatory chromatin dynamics in developing embryos

12:15 – 12:30  Marie Kmita (IRCM, Canada).  
HoxA genes regulation in developing limbs: From long-range control to cross-regulation

1.2  Cells to organs – Tissue Formation  
Chair:  Patrick Lemaire  
Gran Cancun A.  CCC 3rd floor

10:30 – 11:00  Matteo Rauzi, Uros Krzic, Timothy Saunders, Lars Hufnagel, Maria Leptin (EMBO, Germany).  
Cell shape and morphogenesis: sub cellular and supra-cellular mechanisms

11:00 – 11:15  George Gentsch, Nick Owens, Stephen Martin, Michael Gilchrist, James Smith (NIMR, UK).  
Functionally co-operating T-box transcription factors define neuro-mesodermal bipotency during vertebrate axial elongation

11:15 – 11:30  Alain Vincent, Hadi Boukhatmi, Laurence Dubois, Mathilde De Taffin, Jean-Louis Frendo, Laetitia Bataillé, Michèle Crozatier (CNRS - Univ. de Toulouse, France).  
Transcriptional coding of muscle identity in Drosophila

11:30 – 12:00  Guillermo Oliver (St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital, USA).  
Transcriptional control of lymphatic vasculature development

12:00 – 12:15  Dibyendu Dutta, Thomas Marose, Calli Merkel, Thomas Carroll (UT Southwestern Med. Ctr., USA).  
Beta-catenin expression in Wolffian ducts is essential for Müllerian duct development during female sexual differentiation

12:15 – 12:30  Philippa H. Francis-West, Sana Zakaria (King’s College London, UK); Yaopan Mao (Rutgers,
1.3 Organs to organisms – Models of Human Diseases

Gran Cancun 5. CCC 3rd floor
Chair: Christophe Marcelle

10:30 – 11:00 EMBO Young Investigator Lecture - Bruno Reversade (Inst. of Med. Biol., Singapore). Anti-ageing proline, Because you're worth it!

11:00 – 11:15 13 Semil P. Choksi, Deepak Babu (IMCB, Singapore); Malgorzata Szczepaniak, Rim Hjeij (Univ. Hosp. Muenster, Germany); Doreen Lau, Xianwen Yu (IMCB, Singapore); Petra Pennekamp, Claudius Werner, Niki T. Loges (Univ. Hosp. Muenster, Germany); Karsten Häffner (Univ. Hosp. Freiburg, Germany); Shunzhen Chen, Kangli Noel Wong (IMCB, Singapore); Gerard Dougherty (Univ. Hosp. Muenster, Germany); Ronald Roepman (Radboud Univ., Netherlands); Heymut Omran (Univ. Hosp. Muenster, Germany); Sudipto Roy (IMCB, Singapore). Systematic discovery of novel cilia and ciliopathy genes through functional genomics in the zebrafish

11:15 – 11:30 14 Mai Har Sham, Carly Leung, Mei Zhang, Hon Man Sit (U Hong Kong, China). Sox10 regulates enteric neural crest cell migration in the developing gut

11:30 – 12:00 Eldad Tzahor (Weizmann Inst, Israel). More surprises in head muscle development

12:00 – 12:15 15 Lindsay Marjoram, Michel Bagnat (Duke, USA). Epigenetic regulation of intestinal inflammation in zebrafish

12:15 – 12:30 16 Debora Sinner, John Snowball, Richard Lang, Jeff Whitsett (Cincinnati Children's Med. Ctr., USA). Paracrine endodermal signaling promotes tracheal cartilage development

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch on your own

12:30 – 13:30 Latin American Society for Developmental Biology Board Meeting NEW Tulum. CCC 2nd floor

14:00 – 16:00 Poster Session I – Tear Down Gran Cancun 1, 2 & 3. CCC 3rd floor

14:00 – 16:00 Concurrent Sessions 2

2.1 Molecules to cells – Transcriptional Control

Gran Cancun 4. CCC 3rd floor
Chair: Hisato Kondoh

14:00 – 14:30 594 Romaric Bouveret, Mirana Ramialison, Reena Singh, Nicole Schonrock (Victor Chang Cardiac Res. Inst., Australia); Antoine Bondu (U Libre de Bruxelles, Belgium); Li Xin, Gavin Chapman, Sally L. Dunwoodie (Victor Chang Cardiac Res. Inst., Australia); Cedric Blanpain (U Libre de Bruxelles, Belgium); Richard P. Harvey (Victor Chang Cardiac Res. Inst., Australia). Cardiac gene regulatory networks in health and disease

14:30 – 14:45 17 Justin Crocker, David Stern (HHMI Janelia, USA). TALE-mediated modulation of transcriptional enhancers

14:45 – 15:00 18 Jongmin Nam (Rutgers, USA). Reunion after more than 700 million years of separation: fish transcription factors met sea urchin DNAs

15:00 – 15:30 99 Alex Schier (Harvard, USA). Nodal morphogen interpretation

15:30 – 15:45 19 Scott Barolo (U Michigan, USA). The weak shall lead the strong: The role of transcription factor binding affinity in morphogen gradient responses and enhancer evolution


2.2 Cells to organs – Cell-cell Signaling and Induction

Gran Cancun A. CCC 3rd floor
Chair: Nancy Papalopulu

14:00 – 14:30 Eddy DeRobertis (UCLA, USA). Embryonic induction by the BMP/Chordin morphogen gradient

14:30 – 14:45 21 Krzysztof B. Wicher, Maria Skamagki, Agnieszka Jedrusik (Gurdon Inst., UK); Sujoy Ganguly
Asymmetric localization and segregation of Cdx2 transcripts at the 8-cell stage facilitates development of pluripotent cell lineage of mouse embryos

14:45 – 15:00 22 Yoshio Wakamatsu, Noriko Osumi, Hiroko Shida (Tohoku U, Japan). Involvement of Notch-mediated lateral inhibition and subsequent planar cell migration of Delta1-expressing cells in avian otic placode formation

15:00 – 15:30 23 James Dutko, Megumi Hashiguchi, Joe Zinski, Mary Mullins (U Penn, USA). BMP signaling in dorsoventral axial patterning


15:45 – 16:00 25 Aimée Zuniga, Emanuele Pignatti, Frédéric Laurent, Sumit Jaiwal, Javier Lopez-Rios, Rolf Zeller (U of Basel, Switzerland). Integrating BMP and SHH signalling with the regulation of the chromosomal landscape of the BMP antagonist GREM1

2.3 Organs to organisms – Growth Control

Chair: Phil Ingham

14:00 – 14:30 14 James Briscoe (NIMR, UK). Hedgehog signaling and neural tube patterning

14:30 – 14:45 26 Abraham Fainsod, Avi Leibovich, Hadas Leibovich-Kot (Hebrew U, Israel); Danny Ben-Zvi, Naama Barkai (Weizmann Inst of Science, Israel). ADMP scales the BMP gradient through enlargement and restriction of the organizer

14:45 – 15:00 27 Amrita Das (UT Southwestern, USA). Stromal-epithelial crosstalk regulates nephron progenitor cell fate

15:00 – 15:30 28 Christophe Marcelle (Monash U, Australia). Muscle growth and morphogenesis in vertebrates

15:30 – 15:45 Kenneth Irvine, Venu Reddy, Gongping Sun, Veronica Codelia (HHMI/Rutgers, USA). Regulation of Hippo signaling by MAPK pathways

15:45 – 16:00 350 Peng-Fei Xu, Karine Ferri, Christine Thisse, Bernard Thisse (University of Virginia, USA). Building a Vertebrate Embryo Using a Combination of Morphogenetic Gradients.

16:00 – 16:30 Coffee break at Exhibits

16:00 – 19:00 Poster Session II – Set Up

16:30 – 18:30 ISDB Harrison Medal Lecture

Chair: Claudio Stern

16:30 – 17:30 Janet Rossant (Sick Children Hosp, Canada). Embryos and stem cells: Developing together

17:30 – 18:30 ISDB Harrison Medalists awards

18:30 – 20:00 Dinner on your own

20:00 – 22:00 Poster Session II

Poster themes: Development and evolution – Cell-cell signaling – Morphogen gradients and patterning – Organogenesis – Tissue regeneration – Oncogenesis

20:00 – 21:00 Odd Number Poster Board Authors Presentation

21:00 – 22:00 Even Number Poster Board Authors Presentation

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Tuesday, June 18

8:00 – 18:00 ICDB Registration

8:30 – 14:00 Poster Session II viewing

8:30 – 10:30 Education Symposium Sponsored by SDB

Embryological Responses to Environmental Challenges - A Contemporary Teaching Approach

8:30 – 8:45 Scott Gilbert (Swarthmore, USA; U Helsinki, Finland). Toxic environments: How economic development challenges biological development
8:45 – 9:15  30  Michael Barresi  (Smith, USA).  *From deep water to deep learning: Modeling the teratogenic impacts of the Deepwater Horizon oil spill*

9:15 – 9:45  31  Tyrone Hayes  (UC Berkeley, USA).  *From silent spring to silent night: A tale of toads and men*

9:45 – 10:15  32  Diana Darnell  (U Arizona, USA).  *How can you use environmental issues to make Dev Bio relevant to today’s students*

10:15 – 10:30  Audience discussion

8:30 – 10:30  **Round table**  Gran Cancun 4.  CCC 3rd floor

*Succeeding in research in a competitive environment: lessons from the Masters*  Gran Cancun 4.  CCC 3rd floor

Facilitator:  Claudio Stern (UCL, UK)

Panelists:  Marianne Bronner (Caltech, USA), Eddy De Robertis (UCLA, USA), Maria Leptin (EMBO, Germany), Janet Rossant (U Toronto, Canada), Masatoshi Takeichi (RIKEN, Japan)

10:30 – 11:00  Coffee break at Exhibits  Gran Cancun 1, 2 & 3.  CCC 3rd floor

11:00 – 13:00  **Concurrent Sessions 3**

3.1  **Molecules to cells – Non-coding RNA, Post-translational Control**  Gran Cancun 4.  CCC 3rd floor

Chair:  Alex Schier

11:00 – 11:30  33  Ramiro Rodríguez, Juan Debernardi, Uciel Chorostecki, Carla Schommer, Javier Palatnik  (Inst. Biol. Molec. y Cel. de Rosario, Argentina).  *Control of leaf size and shape by microRNAs in plants*

11:30 – 11:45  34  Laura S. Gammill, Corrine L. Fairchild, Joseph P. Conway  (U Minnesota, USA).  *Tetraspanin18 maintains Cadherin6B protein to antagonize cranial neural crest epithelial to mesenchymal transition*

11:45 – 12:00  35  Phillip Grote, Lars Wittler  (Max Plunck Inst for Molec. Genetics, Germany); David Hendrix  (MIT, USA); Frederic Koch, Bernhard Herrmann  (MPI Molec Genet., Germany).  *The tissue-specific IncRNA Fendrr is an essential regulator of heart and body wall development in the mouse*

12:00 – 12:30  Nancy Papalopulu  (U Manchester, UK).  *mir-9 controls ultradian oscillations of gene expression in neural progenitors*

12:30 – 12:45  36  L. Daniel Rios-Barrera, Juan R. Riesgo-Escovar  (UNAM, Mexico).  *Identification of a non-coding RNA as a negative regulator of JNK signaling during Drosophila dorsal closure*

12:45 – 13:00  37  Labib Roubana, Jennifer Weiss, Phillip Newmark  (U IL at Urbana-Champaign, USA).  *Regulation of histone mRNA by PIWI homologs in planarian stem cells*

3.2  **Cells to organs – Neural Development**  Gran Cancun A.  CCC 3rd floor

Chair:  Marianne Bronner

11:00 – 11:30  38  Philipp Keller  (HHMI- Janelia, USA).  *System level reconstruction of brain development and function with light-sheet microscopy*

11:30 – 11:45  39  Inés Carrera, Nikolaos Stefanakis, Oliver Hobert  (Columbia, USA).  *Regulatory logic of pan-neuronal gene expression*

11:45 – 12:00  40  Béatrice Durand, Hugo Juraver-Geslin  (IBENS/CNRS, France); José Luis Gómez-Skarmeta  (CSIC/ Univ Pablo de Olavide, Spain).  *Coexpression of the homeogenes barhl2, otx2 and irx3 specifies the identity and properties of the Mid-Diencephalic Organizer*

12:00 – 12:30  Johan Ericson  (Karolinska Inst., Sweden).  *Cell diversity in the CNS*

12:30 – 12:45  41  Ankur Saxena, Marianne Bronner  (Caltech, USA).  *Dual placode/neural crest origin of olfactory sensory neurons*

12:45 – 13:00  42  Mary Green, Richard Wingate  (King’s College of London, UK).  *The roles of Atoh1 in the developing cerebellum under the influence of multiple organisers*

3.3  **Organs to organisms – Emerging Model Systems**  Gran Cancun 5.  CCC 3rd floor

Chair:  Detlev Arendt

11:00 – 11:30  43  Shigeru Kuratani  (RIKEN, Japan); Hiroshi Nagashima  (Niigata U, Japan); Naoki Irie  (RIKEN, Japan).  *Evolutionary origin of the turtle body plan from genomic, anatomical and developmental perspectives*

11:30 – 11:45  320  Michael Layden, Mark Martindale, (Whitney Lab for Marine Bioscience, USA).  *Bidirectional...*
Notch-Delta signaling in Nematostella vectensis suggests that Delta activation is a key component to this signaling pathway in animals.

11:45 – 12:00 45 Stephan Schneider, Benjamin Bastin, Margaret Pruitt, Edward Letcher, Hsien-chao Chou (Iowa St U, USA). Transcriptional inputs and outputs of reiterative beta-catenin switches in a spiral-cleaving embryo

12:00 – 12:30 Patrick Lemaire (CNRS, France). Making similar tunicate embryos with divergent genomes

12:30 – 12:45 46 Robert Drewell (Harvey Mudd College, USA). Investigating genomic imprinting in the honeybee methylome

12:45 – 13:00 47 Nanette M. Nascone-Yoder, Mandy Womble, Cris Ledon-Rettig, Adam Davis, Mike Dush (North Carolina St U, USA). Budget’s frog: a new vertebrate model for morphogenesis at multiple biological scales

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch on your own

13:00 – 14:30 ISDB Board meeting

New location ➔ Tulum, CCC 2nd floor

14:00 – 16:00 Education Discussion Session

Scientist to Teacher Initiative

Sponsored by SDB

Gran Cancun 5. CCC 3rd floor

Discussants: Sally G. Shuler (WISE Consortium, USA), William Anderson (Harvard, USA)

14:00 – 16:00 Poster Session II – Tear Down

Gran Cancun 1, 2 & 3. CCC 3rd floor

Free afternoon / evening

Wednesday, June 19

8:00 – 18:00 ICDB Registration

Foyer. CCC 3rd floor

8:00 – 10:00 Poster Session III – Set Up

Gran Cancun 1, 2 & 3. CCC 3rd floor

9:00 – 10:00 LASDB Prize Lecture

Chair: José Xavier Neto

Roberto Mayor (University College London, UK). Neural crest migration: mesenchymal and collective behavior

10:00 – 10:30 Coffee break at Exhibits

Gran Cancun 1, 2 & 3. CCC 3rd floor

10:00 – 20:00 Poster Session III viewing

Gran Cancun 1, 2 & 3. CCC 3rd floor

10:30 – 12:30 Concurrent Sessions 4

4.1 Molecules to cells – Gene Regulatory Networks

Chair: Kathy Cheah

10:30 – 11:00 48 Isabelle Peter, Eric Davidson (Caltech, USA). Modeling regulatory systems for sea urchin development

11:00 – 11:15 49 Veronica Frances Hinman, Brenna McMauley (Carnegie Mellon, USA). A gene regulatory network for endomesodermal specification in a basal deuterostome

11:15 – 11:30 50 Maneeshi Prasad, (Northwestern, USA). Gene regulatory network of neural crest development

11:30 – 11:45 51 Edward Eivers, Marilyn Rios, Abigail Aleman, Daniel Lee, Matthew Juarez, Keristineh Vartanpour (CSU Los Angeles, USA). The phosphorylation state of Drosophila Mad determines its choice between BMP and Wingless signaling

11:45 – 12:00 52 Steven Vokes, Qiang Li, Jordan Lewandowski, Marian Powell, Seung Hee Cho, Jacqueline Norrie (UT Austin, USA). Gli activators and repressors regulate distinct transcriptional responses through a common cis regulatory module that is required for robust repression of Gremlin
12:00 – 12:15 53 Filipa Alves (Gulbenkian Inst, Portugal). Modelling and classifying variation in butterfly wings
12:15 – 12:30 153 Hisato Kondoh, Kazunari Matsuda, Tatsuya Takemoto (Osaka U, Japan) Importance of inhibitory mechanisms for deriving specific somatic lineages from the epiblast

4.2 Cells to organs – Cell Migration
Chair: Anna-Katerina Hadjantonakis

10:30 – 11:00 Yoshiko Takahashi (Kyoto U, Japan). Morphogenesis of neural crest cells
11:00 – 11:15 54 Peter Lwigale, Chelsea McKenna (Rice, USA). Angioblast migration and vascularization of the embryonic cornea are inhibited by lens-derived Semaphorin3A signaling
11:15 – 11:30 55 Miguel Concha, German Reig, Carolina Figueroa, Valeria Larenas, Steffen Hartel (U Chile, Chile). An E-cadherin mediated piggyback mechanism drives tissue spreading during epiboly
11:30 – 11:45 56 Paul M. Kulesa (Stowers, USA); Frances Lefcort (Montana St U, USA); Jennifer C. Kasemeier-Kulesa, (Stowers, USA). Dorsal migration and formation of the secondary chain of sympathetic ganglia
11:45 – 12:00 57 Sandra Zimmerman, Celeste Berg (U Washington, USA). Regulation of cell migration during dorsal appendage morphogenesis
12:00 – 12:15 58 Alvaro Glavic, Vicente Cataldo (U Chile, Chile). p-53 related protein kinase (PRPK) is required for lamellipodia formation and proper cell shape maintenance in Drosophila hemocytes
12:15 – 12:30 521 Megan Martik, David McClay (Duke, USA) Mechanisms of primordial germ cell migration in the sea urchin, Lytechinus variegatus

4.3 Organs to Organisms – Evolution and Development
Chair: Shigeru Kuratani

10:30 – 11:00 Detlev Arendt (EMBL, Germany). Evolution of the nervous system in Bilateria
11:00 – 11:15 59 Rolf Zeller (U Basel, Switzerland); Amandine Duchesne (Jouy en Josas, France); Sepziale Dario (Basel, Switzerland); Guillaume Andrey (Lausanne, Switzerland); Erkan Uenal, Christian Basel (Basel, Switzerland); Benoit Robert (Paris, France); Carol Wickling (Brisbane, Australia); Denis Duboule (Lausanne, Switzerland); Javier Lopez-Rios (Basel, Switzerland). Alterations in Ptch1 Cis-regulation underlie loss of antero-posterior identity and digit reductions in bovine limbs
11:15 – 11:30 60 Dorit Hockman (U Cambridge, UK); Alan Burns (Univ College London Inst of Child Health, UK); Alessandro Mongera (Max-Planck Institut für Entwicklungsbiologie, Germany); Shannon Fisher (U Pennsylvania, USA); Knapik, Ela (Vanderbilt, USA); Robert Kelsh (U of Bath, UK); Clare Baker (U Cambridge, UK). The development and evolution of Oxygen-sensing cells
11:30 – 12:00 593 Martin Cohn (U Florida, USA). Development and evolution of vertebrate external genitalia
12:00 – 12:15 61 Barbara A. Ambrose, Alejandra Vasco, Tynisha Smalls, Robbin Moran (NY Botanical Garden, USA). The evolution and development of leaves in lycophytes and ferns
12:15 – 12:30 62 Billie J. Swalla (U Washington, USA); Elijah Lowe (Michigan St U, USA); Max Maliska, Ceri Weber (U Washington, USA); Kanchan Pavangadkar, C. Titus Brown (Michigan St U, USA). Transcriptome sequencing reveals heterochronic shift of Chordate gene networks in Molgulid Ascidians

12:30 – 13:00 LASDB General Assembly

13:00 – 14:00 Technical Tutorial
A New Imaging Tool for Developmental Biology - Light Sheet Fluorescence Microscopy
Scott Olenych, Carl Zeiss Microscopy GmbH, Germany

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch on your own

14:00 – 16:00 Concurrent Sessions 5

5.1 Molecules to cells – Cell Shape and Cytoskeleton
Chair: Juan Riesgo Escobar

14:00 – 14:30 Maithreyi Narasimha (TIFR, India). Cellular reorganization during morphogenesis
14:30 – 14:45 29 Anna Kicheva, Ana Ribeiro, Helena Perez Valle, James Briscoe (NIMR, UK). Coordination of patterning and growth in the spinal cord
14:45 – 15:00 64 Magdalena Zernicka-Goetz, Ivan Bedzhov (Gurdon Inst, UK). Pluripotency versus
differentiation during the first cell fate decision in the mouse embryo

15:00 – 15:30 65 Olivier Hamant (U de Lyon, France). Mechanical signals at the shoot apical meristem and the robustness of plant morphogenesis

15:30 – 15:45 66 Asako Shindo, John Wallingford (UT Austin, USA). Planar Cell Polarity directs Septin-mediated compartmentalization of cortical actomyosin

15:45 – 16:00 67 Yara Elena Sanchez Corrales, Matthew Hartley (John Innes Ctr, UK); Jop van Rooij (Utrecht U, Netherland); Enrico Coen, Stan Marée, Verônica Grienesein (John Innes Ctr, UK). The dynamic puzzle of cell shape and polarity in plant morphogenesis

5.2 Cells to organs – Organogenesis

Chair: José Xavier Neto

14:00 – 14:30 68 Marian Ros, Endika Haro, Irene Delgado (U de Cantabria, Spain); Yoshihiko Yamada (NIH, USA); Ahmed Mansouri (MPI for Biophysical Chemistry, Germany); Kerby Oberg (Loma Linda U, USA). Sp6 and Sp8 transcription factors are necessary mediators of WNT/β-Catenin function in the limb ectoderm

14:30 – 14:45 69 Tiffany Cook, Mark Charlton-Perkins, John Mast (Cincinnati Children's Hosp., USA); Elke Buschbeck (UCincinnati, USA). Coordinating organogenesis: Insights from the Drosophila eye

14:45 – 15:00 70 Wendy Knosp (NIDCR/NIH, USA); Sarah Knox, Gail Martin (UCSF, USA); Matthew Hoffman (NIDCR/NIH, USA). A nervous embrace: WNT signaling initiates the neuronal-epithelial communication essential for submandibular gland organogenesis

15:00 – 15:30 71 Kathy Cheah (U Hong Kong, China). Rewriting concepts on the ontogeny of bone cells

5.3 Organs to organisms – Environment and Development

Chair: Miguel Concha

14:00 – 14:30 Sally Dunwoodie (Victor Chang Res Inst, Australia). Gene-environment impacts on embryo morphogenesis

14:30 – 14:45 73 Antoine Zalé, Revital Rattenbach, Frédéric Relaix (UPMC-Paris, France). Pax3 and Pax7 regulate cranial neural crest cell growth and maintenance through an unexpected environmental stress response pathway

14:45 – 15:00 74 Teiya Kijimoto, Armin Moczek (Indiana U, USA). The molecular basis of development and diversification of beetle horns

15:00 – 15:30 Cliff Tabin (Harvard, USA). Variation underlying morphological evolution


15:45 – 16:00 497 Jamie Nichols, Charles Kimmel (U Oregon, USA). mef2ca controls the choice to make ligaments versus bones.

16:00 – 16:30 Coffee break at Exhibits

16:30 – 18:30 SDB Award Lectures

Chair: Vivian Irish

16:30 – 17:10 76 Bill Wood (U Colorado-Boulder, USA). Viktor Hamburger Outstanding Educator Prize. Changing the way we teach: how we should and why we must!

17:10 – 17:50 Marianne Bronner (Caltech, USA). Edwin G. Conklin Medal. Riding the crest!

17:50 – 18:30 John Fallon (U Wisconsin-Madison, USA). Developmental Biology-SDB Lifetime Achievement Award. The limb and I. The evolution of the study of limb development.

18:30 – 20:00 Dinner on your own

20:00 – 22:00 Poster Session III

20:00 – 21:00  Even Number Poster Board Authors Presentation
21:00 – 22:00  Odd Number Poster Board Authors Presentation

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Thursday, June 20

8:00 – 18:00  ICDB Registration        Foyer.  CCC 3rd floor
8:00 – 10:00  Poster Session III – Tear Down  Gran Cancun 1, 2 & 3.  CCC 3rd floor
8:30 – 10:00  Plenary Session 2  Gran Cancun 5, A & 4.  CCC 3rd floor
  Chair:  Peter Holland
  8:30 – 9:00  Martin Chalfie (Columbia U, USA).  TBA
  9:00 – 9:30  Patricia Beldade (Inst. Gulbenkian, Portugal).  The genetic and developmental basis of phenotypic variation
  9:30 – 10:00  Ben Scheres (U Utrecht, The Netherlands).  Arabidopsis root development
10:00 – 10:30 Coffee break at Exhibits  Gran Cancun 1, 2 & 3.  CCC 3rd floor
10:00 – 12:00 Best Student Poster Competition Finalists – Set Up  Gran Cancun 1, 2 & 3.  CCC 3rd floor
10:30 – 12:30  Concurrent Sessions 6
6.1  Molecules to cells – Signal Transduction  Gran Cancun 4.  CCC 3rd floor
  Chair:  Stefan Schulte-Merker
  10:30 – 11:00 77  Michael Schubert (Lab Biol Dev de Villefranche sur Mer, France).  Evolutionary origin and functional diversification of retinoid signaling in development
  11:00 – 11:15 78  Juan Miguel Escobar-Restrepo, Andrea Haag, Peter Gutierrez, Alessandra Bühler (U of Zurich, Switzerland); Maéva Langouët (Inst. Descartes, U, France); David Krätker (Swedish U of Agricultural Sciences, Sweden); Erika Fröhli, Christina Herrmann, Alex Hajnal, (U of Zurich, Switzerland).  In vivo receptor localization and expression screen identifies a novel mechanism of EGFR regulation through Ezrin/Radixin/Moesin proteins
  11:15 – 11:30 79  Iryna Shnitsar, Miriam Barrios-Rodiles, Mikhail Bashkurov, Eduardo Aguiar, Laurence Pelletier (Mount Sinai Hospital, Canada); Rudolf Winklbauer (U of Toronto, Canada); Jeffrey Wrana (Mount Sinai Hospital, Canada).  The role of PTEN in the regulation of ciliogenesis
  11:30 – 12:00 80  Phil Ingham (IMCB, Singapore).  Mechanisms and roles of Hedgehog signaling in the Zebrafish
  12:00 – 12:15 81  Magdalena Cardenas-Rodriguez, Florencia Irigoin (Inst. Pasteur de Montevideo, Uruguay); Daniel P.S Osborn (Univ College London, UK); Cecilia Gascue (Inst. Pasteur de Montevideo, Uruguay); Nicholas Katsanis (Duke, USA); Philip L. Beales (Univ College London, UK); Jose L. Badano (Inst. Pasteur de Montevideo, Uruguay).  CCDC28B is a novel protein involved in ciliogenesis that modulates mTORC2 function and interacts with SIN1 to control cilia length
12:15 – 12:30 82  Dominic Maier, Shuofei Cheng, David Hipfner (IRCM, Canada).  Molecular Mechanism of Gprk2-dependent Smoothed regulation in Drosophila

6.2  Cells to organs – Stem Cells, Regeneration  Gran Cancun A.  CCC 3rd floor
  Chair:  Magdalena Zernicka-Goetz
  10:30 – 11:00  Juan Larraín (PUC, Chile).  Spinal cord regeneration in Xenopus
  11:00 – 11:15 83  Ed Lauper, Salma Begum, Alex Goldberg, Alex Paul (Columbia, USA).  Identification and regulation of adreno cortical stem cells
  11:15 – 11:30 84  Saori L. Haigo (UCSF, USA); Aida Rodrigo-Albors, Akira Tazaki, Elly M. Tanaka (DFG Ctr.
11:30 – 12:00 85 Anna Katerina Hadjantonakis (Sloan Kettering Inst., USA). *Guts and gastrulation: cell dynamics and the morphogenesis of the early mouse embryo*

12:00 – 12:15 86 Estefania Lozano-Velasco, Alejandra Contreras, Daniel Vallejo, Ana Soriano, Diego Franco, Amelia Aránega Jimenez (U Jaen, Spain). *Piix2 regulates proliferation in skeletal muscle cells and modulates muscle regeneration*

12:15 – 12:30 87 Shoshoni Caine, Kelly McLaughlin (Tufts, USA). *Renal repair post mechanical injury in Xenopus laevis tadpoles*

### 6.3 Organs to organisms – Morphogenesis

Gran Cancun 5. CCC 3rd floor

**Chair:** Yoshiko Takahashi

10:30 – 11:00 88 David McClay (Duke, USA). *Molecular controls governing morphogenesis of the sea urchin embryo*

11:00 – 11:15 89 Ajay Chitnis, Damian Dalle Nogare, Katherine Somers, Swetha Rao (NICHD/NIH, USA). *A synergistic role for chemokine and FGF signaling in directing collective migration of the lateral line primordium: insights from models and experiments*

11:15 – 11:30 90 Christa Merzdorf, Daniel Van Antwerp, Kelly Christensen (Montana State, USA). *Aquaporin3b is required during neural tube closure and gastrulation*

11:30 – 12:00 91 Antonio Jacinto (IMM-U Lisboa, Portugal). *Mitotic cell rounding accelerates invagination of the Drosophila tracheal placode*

12:00 – 12:15 92 Anna Katerina Hadjantonakis (Sloan Kettering Inst., USA). *Early insights into the morphogenesis of the activated zone for regeneration or repair in the axolotl and in the mouse*

12:15 – 12:30 93 Estefania Lozano-Velasco, Alejandra Contreras, Daniel Vallejo, Ana Soriano, Diego Franco, Amelia Aránega Jimenez (U Jaen, Spain). *Piix2 regulates proliferation in skeletal muscle cells and modulates muscle regeneration*

12:30 – 13:00 SDB Business Meeting

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch on your own

12:30 – 16:00 Best Student Poster Competition Finalists - Viewing

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14:00 – 15:45 Concurrent Sessions 7

### 7.1 Molecules to cells – Plasticity, Apoptosis and Cell Death

Gran Cancun 4. CCC 3rd floor

**Chair:** Mario Zurita

14:00 – 14:30 92 Rosa Navarro, Laura Láscarz-Lagunas, Carlos Silva-García, Tzventanka Dinkova (UNAM, Mexico). *The C. elegans RB protein LIN-35 induces germ cell apoptosis under starvation conditions*

14:30 – 14:45 93 Christopher P. Dillon (St. Jude Children’s Res Hosp, USA); Andrew Overst (Seattle, USA); Ricardo Weinlich, Laura Janke, Douglas Green (St. Jude Children’s Res Hosp, USA). *Caspase-8 regulates hematopoiesis at two distinct stages during embryonic development*

14:45 – 15:00 94 Tsung-Yuan Hsu, Hsiao-Han Hsieh (National Taiwan U, Taiwan). *Characterization of integrins function in specific cells for cell-corpses engulfment in Caenorhabditis elegans*

15:00 – 15:30 Alfredo Varela-Echavarria (UNAM, Mexico). *Ascending midbrain dopaminergic axons require descending GAD65 axon fascicles for normal pathfinding*

15:30 – 15:45 95 Ana María Macias, Gimena Fussero, Carolina Arias, Marcelo Zacharonok (U Nacional de Cordoba, Argentina). *Morphogenetic apoptosis/ compensatory proliferation at the borders of DPP expression in the genital disc of Drosophila*

### 7.2 Cells to organs – Long Range Signaling, Pattern Formation

Gran Cancun A. CCC 3rd floor

**Chair:** Angela Nieto

14:00 – 14:30 96 Andy Groves (Baylor Coll Med, USA). *"Audio, Video Disco" - Establishing the cellular pattern of the Organ of Corti*

abdominal-B and Planar Cell Polarity in controlling Left-Right asymmetry establishment and morphogenesis in Drosophila

14:45 – 15:00  
**Cynthia Bradham**, Finnegan Hewitt, Michael Piacentino, Christy Li, Jia Yu, Evan Bardot, David Lee, Hajerah Hameeduddin, Arlene Reyna, Oliver Chung, James Chaves, Patrick Ferrell, Ian Murray, Matthew Tse, Ah Ra Cho, Amanda Core, Jasmin Coulomb-Huntington (Boston U, USA); Albert Poustka (Max-Planck Inst. Molec Genet, Germany). *A gradient of sulfated proteoglycans is required for dorsal-ventral skeletal patterning in sea urchin embryos*

15:00 – 15:15  
**Florence L. Marlow**, Amanda Heim, Odelya Hartung, Sophie Rothhämel, Andreas Jenny (Albert Einstein Coll. Med., USA). *Bucky ball interacts with RNA binding proteins to pattern the oocyte and follicle cells in zebrafish*

15:15 – 15:30  
**Jaime Rivera-Perez**, Giovane Tortelote, Tingting Huang (UMass, USA); Maki Wakamiya (UT-Galveston, USA); Anna-Katerina Hadjantonakis (Sloan Kettering Institute, USA); Richard Behringer (MD Anderson-UT Houston, USA). *Axial specification in mice is controlled by an extra-embryonic Wnt3 signaling event*

### 7.3 Organs to organisms – Systems Approaches

**Chair:** James Sharpe

14:00 – 14:30  
**Angela DePace** (Harvard, USA). *Mechanism and evolution of gene expression in Drosophila embryos*

14:30 – 14:45  
**Marcos Nahmad**, Arthur Lander (UC Irvine, USA). *Target-specific robustness to Hedgehog production levels in the Drosophila wing disc*

14:45 – 15:00  
**Jacqueline Dresch**, Daniel Bork, Adam Brown (Harvey Mudd, USA); Chichia Chiu, David Arnosti (Michigan St U, USA); Robert Drewell (Harvey Mudd, USA). *Deciphering the cis-regulatory grammar behind enhancer architecture using a dynamic mathematical model*

15:00 – 15:30  
**Luis Covarrubias**, José-Manuel Baizabal (IBT- UNAM, Mexico); Omar Collazo-Navarrete (IFC-UNAM, Mexico); Celina García (IBT- UNAM, Mexico); Magdalena Guerra-Crespo, Gilda Guerrero-Flores (IBT-UNAM, Mexico); Maya-Espinosa, Guadalupe (IFC-UNAM, Mexico); Jorge Landgrave-Gómez, Niurka Trujilloo-Paredes, Concepción Valencia (IBT-UNAM, Mexico). *Regulation of neural precursor cell plasticity during neuronal dopaminergic differentiation in the mouse midbrain*

15:30 – 15:45  
**Naoki Irie** (RIKEN, Japan); Guojie Zhang (Shenzhen, China), Shigeru Kuratani (RIKEN, Japan). *Vertebrate phylotypic period as a source of basic body plan*

16:00 – 17:00  
**Best Student Poster Competition – Tear Down**

19:00 – 23:00  
**Closing reception, Awards banquet and Entertainment**

### Friday, June 21

**Departure**

8:00 – 15:00  
**SDB Board Meeting**

**Hyatt Regency – Arena**

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POSTER SESSION ASSIGNMENTS

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**Poster Session I**
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**Poster themes:** Education – Transcription and gene regulation – Growth control – Germ cells, gametogenesis and fertilization – Morphogenesis – Genome level approaches – Induction

**Education**

105 B1 withdrawn

106 B2 Developing a research-based molecular biology course for freshman students. Merzdorf, Christa (MSU - Bozeman, USA)

107 B3 Evolution of vertebrate animal design, from the top down. Thorn, Judith M. (Knox College, USA)

108 B4 Exploiting Nematode Diversity to Teach Advanced Techniques in Bioinformatics, Molecular Evolution and Fluorescence and Electron Microscopy. Howell, Carina Howell (Lock Haven University, USA)

109 B5 The History of Biology and Medicine in Britain: A Study Abroad Course at Central Michigan University. Hertzler, Philip Lamar; Swanson, Bradley (Central Michigan Univ, USA)

**Transcription and Gene Regulation**

110 B6 Regulation of the Meis2 homeobox gene. Barrett, Cody; Nelson, Kyle; Zerucha, Ted (Appalachian State University, USA)

111 B7 Identification and embryonic expression of a highly conserved Meis-linked gene. Williams, Zachary Scott; Cochrane Anna; Carpenter, Brandon; Graham, Brantley; Zerucha, Ted (Appalachian State University, USA)

112 B8 Dual activator and repressor roles for NKX2-5 in heart development. Dupays, Laurent; Shang, Catherine; Wilson, Robert; Kotecha, Surendra; Towers, Norma; Mohun, Timothy (London, UK)

113 B9 Regulatory specificity of different Sox transcription factors during neuro- and gliogenesis. Klum, Susanne (KI, USA); Zaouter, Cecile (Solna, Sweden); Ramsköld, Daniel; Bergsland, Maria (Stockholm, Sweden)

114 B10 Investigating direct targets of mSOX3 in neural progenitor cells. McNinch, Dale (University of Adelaide, Australia); Rogers, Nick; Thomas, Paul (Adelaide, Australia)

115 B11 SOX9 directly modulates cell cycle regulators during post-EMT heart valve development. Garside, Victoria C.; Cullum, Rebecca; Hoodless, Pamela (BC Cancer Agency, Terry Fox Labs, Canada)

116 B12 Modulation of SoxE function in the Neural Crest by the SoxD family protein, Sox5. Nordin, Kara Marie (Northwestern University, USA)

117 B13 The Levels of Sox21 Alter its Function in Neurogenesis. Whittington, Niteace C.; Cunningham, Doreen; Casey, Elena Silva (Georgetown University, USA)

118 B14 Transcriptional Elongation is Important in the Regulation of Neural Crest Development. Hatch, Victoria; Ford, Chris; Barber, Amanda; Tomlinson, Matt; Wheeler, Grant (Norwich, UK)

119 B15 MiRNA regulators of prickly pear fruit development. Rosas Cárdenas, Flor de Fatima (Langebio, CINVESTAV-IPN, Mexico); Cruz Hernandez, Andres (Universidad Autonoma de Querétaro, Mexico); Marsch Martinez, Nayelli (Cinvestav-IPN, Mexico); de Folter, Stefan (Langebio, CINVESTAV-IPN, Mexico)

120 B16 Role of miRNAs in Drosophila melanogaster during development and under stress. Narvaez Padilla, Veronica, (UAEM, USA); Sanchez Diaz, Ivan; Peregrina Garcia, Jose Emmanuel; Reynaud, Enrique (Instituto de Biotecnologia, UNAM, Cuernavaca, Mexico)

121 B17 Shared cis-regulatory modules regulate transcription of evolutionarily conserved and bidirectionally transcribed miRNA-opsin gene pairs in the medaka retina. Daido, Yutaka; Kusakabe, Takehiro G. (Kobe, Japan)

122 B18 microRNAs expression during the development of the external ear in mouse. Juárez Figueroa, Ulises; Torres Maldonado, Leda (Instituto Nacional de Pediatría, Mexico); García Segura, Laura; Miranda Rios, Juan (Instituto de
School of Medicine, USA); Bothe, Ingo (Sloan Kettering Institute, USA); Coutinho, Luiz (Universidade de São Paulo, Brazil); Dietrich, Susanne (University of Portsmouth, UK)  
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B27  Dynamic of p8 and p52 during early embryonic development and spermatogenesis of Drosophila melanogaster. Mandy; Cruz, Grisel; Zurita, Mario (Instituto de Biotecnología (UNAM), Mexico)  
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B28  Paused Pol II Coordinates Tissue Morphogenesis in the Drosophila Embryo. Bothma, Jacques; Lagha, Mouria; Juarez Esposito, Emilia; Ng, Samuel (Univ of California-Berkeley, USA); Stefanik, Laura (Philadelphia, USA); Tsui, Chiahao (Univ of California-Berkeley, USA); Johnston, Jeffrey; Chen, Kai (Stowers Institute for Medical Research, USA); Gilmour, David (Philadelphia, USA); Zeitlinger, Julia (Stowers Institute for Medical Research, USA); Levine, Michael (Univ of California-Berkeley, USA)  
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B29  cis-acting transcriptional repression establishes a sharp boundary in chordate embryos. Imai, Kaoru; Daido, Yutaka; Kusukabe, Takehiro; Satou, Yutaka (Kyoto, Japan)  
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B30  Role of the MADS-box gene AGL19 in the cellular homeostasis of Arabidopsis thaliana root: its cellular and molecular functions and epigenetic regulation. Hernandez Marroquin, Victor Rogelio; Garay Arroyo, Adriana (Instituto de Ecologia, UNAM, Mexico)  
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B31  The SWI2/SNF2 Chromatin Remodeling Factor CHR9 Regulates Floral Meristem Identity in Cooperation with LEAFY. Lamb, Rebecca S.; Kovach, Jeffrey; Habina, Matthew; Siriwardana, Nirodhihi (Ohio State University, USA)  
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B32  Paternal contributions to early embryogenesis of Arabidopsis thaliana: A functional genetic approach. Del Toro, Gerardo Del Toro; Garcia-Aguilar, Marcelina; Gillmor, Stewart (CINVESTAV-IPN, Mexico)  
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B33  Expression of Aminopeptidase N Genes During Sea Urchin Development. Ingersoll, Eric P.; Drab, Diana L. (Penn State, USA)  
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B34  Repulsive guidance molecules expression pattern during chicken embryogenesis suggested new roles for these molecules during notochord formation, somitogenesis and myogenesis. Jorge, Erika; Ahmed, Mohi (Mount Sinai School of Medicine, USA); Bothe, Ingo (Sloan Kettering Institute, USA); Coutinho, Luiz (Universidade de São Paulo, Brazil); Dietrich, Susanne (University of Portsmouth, UK)  
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B35  The transcription factor cScratch2 is an early marker for post-mitotic neural precursors. Viecelli, Felipe; Kanno, Tattiane (Universidade de São Paulo, Brazil); Simões-Costa, Marcos; Bronner, Marianne (California Institute of Technology, USA); Yan, Irene (Universidade de São Paulo, Brazil)  
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B36  Cell-type specific analysis of chromatin modifications at the Drosophila shavenbaby gene. Preger-Ben Noon, Ella; Preger-Ben, Lemire, Andrew; Stern, David (Howard Hughes Medical Institute, USA)  
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B37  Zac1 controls cell cycle exit of neural progenitors through direct regulation of cyclin-dependent kinase inhibitor expression along the entire rostrocaudal axis of the developing central nervous system. Rraklli, Vilma (Ludwig Institute For Cancer Research, Sweden)  
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B38  Transcription regulation of anterior hypothalamic development. Mahmud, Abdullah Al (University of Montreal, Canada); Michaud, Jacques (CHU Sainte Justine, Canada)  
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B39  Do disruptions of a ZIC2 Non-coding Conserved Element cause Holoprosencephaly? Barratt, Kristen S. (The Australian National University, Australia); Hu, Ping (National Human Genome Research Institute, USA); Garrett, Lisa (Transgenic Core Facility, NIH, USA); Roessler, Erich; Muenke, Maximilian (National Human Genome Research Institute, NIH, USA); Arkell, Ruth (The Australian National University, Australia)  
144  
B40  A novel approach to study modulators of Wnt/beta-catenin pathway using Wnt reporter transgenic Xenopus and tailored-TALENs mutagenesis. Tran, Hong Thi; Van Imschoot, Griet; Van Roy, Frans; Vleminkx, Kris (Ghent University, Belgium)
B41  Ets-1 is an Essential Regulatory Factor of Neural Crest Formation in Xenopus. Geary, Lauren (Northwestern University, USA)

B42  Tgfβ3 signals through Twist1 and then Snail1 to down regulate E-cadherin expression during epithelial-mesenchymal transition (EMT) in the palate. Svoboda, Kathy K. (Texas A&M Univ Baylor College of Dentistry, USA); Yu, Wenli (University of California-San Francisco, USA); Ruest, L-Bruno (Texas A&M Baylor College of Dentistry, Dallas, USA)

B43  The Transcriptional Regulation of Muscle Development in Drosophila melanogaster. Brunetti, Tonya; Duong, Sandy; Cripps, Richard (University of New Mexico, USA)

B44  withdrawn

B45  Alteration of MMP9 and TIMP1 expression by high glucose in mouse blastocysts is dependent on oxidative stress. Sánchez Santos, Alajandra; Martínez Hernández, María Guadalupe; Baiza Gutman, Luis Arturo (FES Iztacala, UNAM, Mexico)

B46  Spalt major directly regulates seven-up expression in Drosophila oocytes. Ryan, Kathryn M.; Mason, Grace; Cripps, Richard (University of New Mexico, USA)

B47  A Genetic and Chemical Genetic Approach to Study Cell Fate Decisions via JAK/STAT Attenuation. Monahan, Amanda J.; Soley-Radkte, Katherine; Starz-Gaiano, Michelle (Univ of Maryland-Baltimore, USA)

B48  Comparative transgenic analysis of enhancers near the human and mouse short-stature genes SHOX and Shox2. Cobb, John A.; Rosin, Jessica; Abassah-Oppong, Samuel (University of Calgary, Canada)

B49  Move to short talk Concurrent Session 4.1

B50  Single-cell RNA-Seq reveals dynamic, random monoallelic gene expression in mammalian cells. Deng, Qiaolin, (, Sweden), Ramsköld, Daniel; Reinus, Björn; Sandberg, Rickard (Stockholm, Sweden)

B51  Molecular mechanisms underlying sex determination and reprogramming in the mouse. Sekido, Ryohei; Lovell-Badge, Robin (MRC National Institute for Medical Research, UK)

B52  Systematic Identification of Ftz and Ftz-F1 Responsive Target Genes and Their Enhancers. Field, Amanda; Anderson, Ray; Xiang, Jie; Pick, Leslie (College Park, USA)

B53  E74A overexpression induces BhC4-1-lacZ expression in the salivary gland of transgenic Drosophila. Monesi, Nadia (FCFRP-USP, Brazil); de F. Oliveira, Lucas; G. Sanchez, Danilo (Ribeirao Preto, Brazil)

B54  Quantitative and simultaneous determination of the transcriptional dynamics of two promoters at single cell level by bioluminescent reporters. Fuentes-Jiménez, Daniel (Instituto de Biotecnología, Mexico); Ohmiya, Yoshihiro (Biomedical Research Institute, Japan); Covarrubias, Luis; Wood, Christopher D. (Instituto de Biotecnología, Mexico)

B55  Characterization of murine KLF10 5'-flanking region. Lee, Woon Kyu; Kim, Dong Hwa; Jang, Hae Jung; Jung, Jae Hun (Inha University, Korea)

B56  Identification of Ryk target genes in regulating Xenopus gastrulation. Shin, Eun-Young; Park, Edmond Changkyun; Kim, Gun-Hwa (Korea Basic Science Institute, Korea)

Growth Control

B57  Identification of cellular and molecular mechanisms regulated by Sonic Hedgehog/Gli2 signaling during cerebellum development. Wojcinski, Alexandre; Joyner, Alexandra (Sloan-Kettering Institute, USA)

B58  The retina influences Wnt signaling and growth in the optic tectum. Rouse, Hannah (University College London, UK), Cerveny, Kara (Reed College, USA); Wilson, Steve (London, UK)

B59  Size regulation of dorsal root ganglia occurs in axolotls with an undersupply or an oversupply of neural crest. Zarzosa, Ana Lucia; Grassme, Kathrin; Taniguchi, Yuka; Tanaka, Elly; Epperlein, Hans-Henning (TU Dresden, Germany)

B60  withdrawn

B61  JAIBA, a class II HD-ZIP transcription factor involved in the regulation of meristematic activity and important for correct gynoeicum and fruit development in Arabidopsis. Zuñiga, Victor; Marsch Martinez, Nayelli; de Folter, Stefan (LANGEBIO, CINVESTAV-IPN, Mexico)

B62  withdrawn

B63  A transfer RNAs (tRNAs) post-transcriptional modification and cell growth in Drosophila. Rojas, Diego; Glavic, Alvaro (University of Chile, Santiago, Chile)

Germ Cells, Gametogenesis and Fertilization

B64  Characteristic patterns of the incorporation of BrdU during DNA replication in different cells of the seminiferous epithelium of the rat. Ortiz, Rosario; Muñoz, Israel; Echeverría, Olga; Vazquez-Nin, Gerardo (Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico, Mexico)

B65  Immunodetection of SYCP1 and SYCP3 during the first spermatogenic wave Wistar rat. Valenzuela, Yunuen; Ortiz, Rosario; Echeverría, Olga; Vazquez-Nin, Gerardo (Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico, Mexico)
Morphogenesis

181 B77 Claudins are essential regulators of morphogenesis. Ryan, Aimee K. (McGill University / RI-MUHC, Canada), Baumholtz, Amanda; Collins, Michelle; Simard, Annie; Khairallah, Halim (McGill University, Montreal, Canada); El Andalousi, Jasmine; Gupta, Indra (RI-MUHC, Montreal, Canada)

182 B78 Asymmetric division of luminal cells drives normal and ErbB2 induced epithelial stratification. Huebner, Robert J. (Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, USA), Lechler, Terry (Durham, NC, USA); Ewald, Andrew J. (Johns Hopkins Medical School Baltimore, USA)

183 B79 Sox9 regulates branching morphogenesis during lung development. Rockich, Briana; Nagy, Melinda; Hyrcaj, Steven; Baker, Nicholas; Wellik, Deneen; Spence, Jason (University of Michigan, USA)

184 B80 Wnt9b regulates directed cell movement during kidney tubule diameter establishment. Carroll, Thomas J.; Pan, Xinchao; Schnell, Ulrike; Karner, Courtnie (UT Southwestern Med Ctr, USA)

185 B81 A Novel Non-cholinergic role for Acetylcholinesterase in Gut Morphogenesis. Pickett, Melissa Anne; Nascone-Yoder, Nanette (North Carolina State University, USA)

186 B82 C-Jun N-terminal Kinase (JNK) maintains tissue integrity during cell rearrangement in the gut. Dush, Mike; Nascone-Yoder, Nanette (North Carolina State University, USA)

187 B83 Integration of L-R Pitx2 transcription and Wnt signaling provides a mechanism for asymmetric gut morphogenesis. Kurpios, Natasza A.; Welsh, Ian; Afonso-Parra, Catalina; Gludish, David; Thomsen, Michael (Cornell University, USA); Bai, Yan; Martin, James (Baylor, USA)

188 B84 Polarized collective cell movements drive antero-posterior folding to form the avian hindgut. Nerurkar, Nandana; Tabin, Cliff (Harvard Medical School, USA)

189 B85 Gut morphogenesis involves changes in cell shape that require ZFP568 and Hand1. Ulmer, Barbel Maria; Garcia-Garcia, Maria J. (Cornell University, USA)

186 B86 ADAMTS9 is a highly conserved protease crucial for gastrulation, left-right symmetry, neurulation, craniofacial development and intrauterine growth. Nandadass, Sumedha; Nelson, Courtney; Somerville, Robert; Apte, Sunee (Cleveland Clinic Lerner Research Institute, USA)

188 B87 chem, a E3 ubiquitin ligase, is required for cell polarity and dorsal closure in Drosophila melanogaster. Zamudio-Arroyo, José Manuel; Riesgo-Escovar, Juan R. (UNAM, Mexico)

189 B88 A moving zone of actomyosin contractility drives epidermal zipperming and neural tube closure in ascidian embryos. Hashimoto, Hidetoshi; Robin, François; Sherrard, Kristin; Munro, Edwin (University of Chicago, USA)

189 B89 The Claudin Family of Tight Junction Proteins Plays a Role in the Morphogenetic Movements that Drive Neural Tube Closure in Chick. Baumholtz, Amanda; Simard, Annie; Collins, Michelle; Ryan, Aimee (McGill University, Canada)

190 B90 Control of apical constriction by dynamic calcium signaling during Xenopus neural tube closure. Suzuki, Makoto, (National Institute for Basic Biology, Japan); Hara, Yusuke; Sato, Masanao; Nagai, Takeharu (The Institute
of Scientific and Industrial Research, Japan); Campbell, Robert (University of Alberta, Canada); Ueno, Naoto (National Institute for Basic Biology, Japan)

195 B91 Coordination of mitosis and morphogenesis: Role of a prolonged G2 phase during chordate neural tube closure. Ogura, Yosuke (University of Tsukuba, Japan); Sakaua-Sawano, Asako (Brain Science Institute, RIKEN, Japan); Nakagawa, Masashi (University of Hyogo, Japan); Satoh, Nori (Okinawa Institute of Science and Technology Promotion Corporation, Japan); Sasakura, Yasunori (University of Tsukuba, Japan)

196 B92 A Proteomics Approach to Investigate Developmental Disturbances in Forebrain Formation of LRP2 Deficient Mice Using Mass Spectrometry. Paul, Fabian; Popp, Oliver; Dittmar, Gunnar; Hammes, Annette (Max Delbrueck Center for Molecular Medicine, Germany)

197 B93 SCG-spondin from embryonic cerebrospinal fluid is required for neurogenesis during early brain development. Vera, America; Stanic, Karen; Montecinos, Hernán; Caprile, Teresa (University of Concepcion, Chile)

198 B94 Ifit88 has an extracellular role during neural convergent extension. McFarland, Rebecca J.; Brewster, Rachel (University of Maryland-Baltimore, USA)

199 B95 Dysphagia and disrupted cranial nerve development in a mouse model of DiGeorge/22q11.2 Deletion Syndrome. Maynard, Thomas M.; Karpinski, Beverly; Fralish, Matthew (George Washington University, USA); Nuwayhid, Samer; Zohn, Irene (Children’s National Medical Center, USA); Wang, Xin; Mendelowitz, David; Moody, Sally (George Washington University, USA); LaMantia, Anthony (The George Washington Institute for Neuroscience, USA)

200 B96 PRDM12, histone methyltransferase factor is required for the regionalization of the trigeminal placode in Xenopus leavis. Matsukawa, Shinuya; Michie, Tatsu (The University of Tokyo, Japan)

201 B97 Morphogenesis of the vertebrate eye: cellular and molecular mechanisms. Norris, Anneliese; Streit, Andrea (King's College London, UK)

202 B98 Serotonin 2B receptor signaling is required for ocular morphogenesis in Xenopus. Ori, Michela; Marras, Giulia; Testa, Giovanna; De Lucchini, Stefania; Nardi, Irma (University of Pisa, Scuola Normale Superiore, Italy)

203 B99 Jitterbug(jbu)/Filamin is a Hindsight (Hnt) transcriptional target required for axon targeting and tendon cell adaptation to mechanical stress during Drosophila development. Olguín, Patricio; Molina, Claudia; López, Estefanía; Sieraltta, Jimena (Universidad de Chile, Chile); Oliva, Carlos (KU Leuven, Belgium)

204 B100 Molecular Characterization of Craniofacial Tendons in Zebrafish. Chen, Jessica W.; Tabin, Clifford J. (Harvard Medical School, USA); Galloway, Jenna L. (Center for Regenerative Medicine, Harvard Stem Cell Institute, Massachusetts General Hospital, USA)

205 B101 Analysis of craniofacial defects in Six1/Eya1-associated Branchio-Oto-Renal Syndrome. Zhang, Haoran; Wong, Elaine Yee-man; Tsang, Sze Lan (The University of Hong Kong, China); Xu, Pin-Xian (Mount Sinai School of Medicine, USA); Sham, Mai Har (The University of Hong Kong, China)

206 B102 A family of FOX genes determines precise spatial patterns of growth and differentiation within facial bone and cartilage precursors. Balczerzuki, Bartosz; Louie, Kristin; Crump, Gage D. (Univ of Southern California-LA, USA)

207 B102 Alx-related frontonasal dysplasia: developmental mechanisms and evolutionary implications. Takahashi, Tokiharu; Mills, Peter; Dee, Chris (University of Manchester, UK)

208 B104 Normalized Shape and Location of Perturbed Craniofacial Structures in the Xenopus Tadpole Reveal an Innate Ability to Achieve Correct Morphology. Vandenberg, Laura Vandenberg; Adams, Dany; Levin, Michael (Tufts University, USA)

209 B105 Morphogenetic Mechanisms Regulated by Non-Canonical Signaling in the Face. Geetha-Loganathan, Poongodi Geetha-Log (Life Sciences Institute, Canada); Nimmagadda, Suresh; Fu, Katherine; Richman, Joy (University of British Columbia, Canada)

210 B106 Fat-Dachsous signaling coordinates polarity and differentiation of the craniofacial skeleton in zebrafish. Le Pabic, Pierre; Ng, Carrie; Schilling, Thomas (University of California-Irvine, USA)

211 B107 Two novel mouse models of craniofacial dysmorphology. Miller, Kerry Ann (Murdock Childrens Research Institute, Australia); Tan, Tiong (Victorian Clinical Genetics Services, Australia); Welfare, Megan; Farlie, Peter (Murdock Childrens Research Institute, Australia)

212 B108 Fgf signaling in the control of craniofacial and tracheal gland development. May, Alison; Tucker, Abigail S. (King's College London, UK)

213 B109 Fox3 is an essential regulator of tooth development. Jussila, Maria; Shirokova, Vera; Aalto, Anne; Sanz Navarro, Maria (University of Helsinki, Finland); Ohyama, Takahiro; Groves, Andrew (Baylor College of Medicine, USA); Mikkola, Marja; Theisleff, Irma (Institute of Biotechnology, University of Helsinki, Finland)

214 B110 The Cadherin23, Harmonin, Myosin7aa, and Ifit88 Usher syndrome protein complex assembles at the ER and is required for Usher protein trafficking. Blanco-Sanchez, Bernardo Blanco-San; Clement, Aurelie; Fierro Jr., Javier; Washbourne, Phillip; Westerfield, Monte (University of Oregon, USA)

215 B111 Interaction of Grxcr1 with the Usher protein complex in inner ear mechanosensory hair cells. Clément, Aurélie; Blanco-Sanchez, Bernardo (University of Oregon, USA); Panfilio, Jennifer (University of Miami, USA); Westerfield, Monte (University of Oregon, USA)

216 B112 Expression of Wnt pathway genes coincides with processes of middle ear formation in chickens. Sienknecht, Ulrike J. (University Oldenburg, Germany); Fekete, Donna M. (Purdue University, USA)
217 B113 **Causes of Otitis Media in a New Mouse Model.** Fuchs, Jennifer (King's College London, UK); Linden, Jennifer (Ear Institute, UCL, UK); Tucker, Abigail S. (King's College London, UK)

218 B114 **Lfg regulates the synchronized oscillation of the mouse segmentation clock via trans-repression of Notch signalling.** Okubo, Yusuke, (National Institute of Health Sciences, Japan); Sugawara, Takeshi; Abe-Koduka, Natsumi (National Institute of Genetics, Mishima, Japan); Kanno, Jun (National Institute of Health Sciences, Japan); Kimura, Akatsuki; Saga, Yumiko (National Institute of Genetics, Japan)

219 B115 **Roles for Hoxa-5 in regulating chick cervical vertebral morphology.** Mansfield, Jennifer; Chen, Jessica; Zahid, Soombal; Shihts, Meghan; Habbsa, Samima; Aronowitz, Danielle; Rokins, Karimah; Weaver, Sara (Barnard College, Columbia University, USA)

220 B116 **A Novel Mechanism Underlies Growth Plate Cartilage Column Formation.** Romereim, Sarah M. (Northwestern University, USA)

221 B117 **Opposing tensile forces and migratory behaviour drive tissue convergence during zebrafish lateral organ development.** Pulgar, Eduardo; Santibañez, Felipe; Hârtel, Steffen; Concha, Miguel (ICBM - BNI, University of Chile, Chile)

222 B118 **Cell cycle synchrony is lost before midblastula transition in zebrafish embryos.** Mendieta Serrano, Mario; Schnabel, Denhi; Lomelí, Hilda; Salas-Vidal, Enrique (Instituto de Biotecnología, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, Mexico)

223 B119 **Loss of Dchs1b and Dchs2 leads to early developmental and cytoskeleton defects in the zebrafish embryo.** Li, Nanbing (Jade) (Washington University, USA); Kim, Seok-hyung (Vanderbilt University, USA); Ma, Taylor; Helde, Kathryn; Moens, Cecilia (Fred Hutchinson Cancer Res Ctr, USA); Solnica-Krezel, Lilianna (Washington University, USA)

224 B120 **Cell and Tissue Interactions Organise Apico-basal Polarity During Lumen Formation in vivo.** Ward, Laura, (King's College London, UK); Buckley, Clare; Clarke, Jon (King's College London, UK)

225 B121 **Developing a Staging Scheme for Monodelphis domestica embryos.** Nellet, Kolleen, (Oberlin College, USA); Morrison, Jeremy (Greensburg, PA, USA); Cruz, Yolanda P., (Oberlin College Sci Ctr, USA)

226 B122 **PLAS-like protein Zimp7 participates in the Nodal signaling pathway during dorsal mesoderm development in zebrafish.** Moreno, Roberto; Schnabel, Denhi; Salas, Enrique; Lomeli, Hilda (National Autonomous University of Mexico, Mexico)

227 B123 **Notochord vacuoles are lysosome-related organelles that function in embryonic axis elongation and spine morphogenesis.** Ellis, Kathryn Leigh; Bagwell, Jennifer; Bagnat, Michel (Duke University, USA)

228 B124 **CdX and Hox genes, and body axis extension of the mouse embryo.** Neijts, Roel; Monteiro, Ana-Rita; van Rooijen, Carina; Deschamps, Jacqueline (Hubrecht Institute and UMC Utrecht, Netherlands)

229 B125 **Morphogenesis in the sea urchin: linking dynamically remodeling network states to protease function in development of skeletogenic and non-skeletogenic mesoderm.** Lyons, Deirdre; Dougherty, Mark; Saunders, Lindsay; McClay, David (Duke, USA)

230 B126 **The Drosophila Z-disc protein Z(210) is an adult muscle isoform of Zasp52, which is required for normal myofibril organization in indirect flight muscles.** Chechenova, Maria B.; Bryantsev, Anton; Cripps, Richard (The University of New Mexico, USA)

231 B127 **Whole or Hole? Development of a Functional Diaphragm.** Merrell, Allyson; Kardon, Gabrielle (University of Utah, USA)

232 B128 **Rab11 plays an indispensable role in the differentiation and development of the adult muscles in Drosophila.** Singh, Divya; Roy, Jagat Kumar (Banaras Hindu University, India)

233 B129 **The gene regulation in skeletal myogenesis in medaka, Oryzias latipes.** Tani, Saori, (USA); Kusakabe, Rie; Inoue, Kunio (Kobe, Japan)

234 B130 **GTPase control of blood vessel morphogenesis.** Cleaver, Ondine B.; Koo, Yeon (UT Southwestern Medical Center, USA); Xu, Ke (Harvard University, USA); Davis, George (University of Missouri, USA)

235 B131 **MED23, a subunit of the global transcription complex, Mediator is essential for vascular remodeling and regulation of WNT signaling during cranial ganglia formation.** Bhatt, Shachi, (Stowers Institute for Medical Research, USA); Sandell, Lisa (Louisville, KY, USA); Youngwook, Ahn; Krumlauf, Robb; Trainor, Paul (Stowers Institute for Medical Research, USA)

236 B132 **Endoderm convergence controls myocardial migration.** Lin, Fang; Ye, Ding (The University of Iowa, USA)

237 B133 **A role for Claudin-10 in left-right axis patterning.** Collins, Michelle M.; Ryan, Aimee (McGill University, Canada)

238 B134 **Dynamic cell rearrangement driving early heart tube formation and looping.** Saijoh, Yukio; Kidokoro, Hinako (University of Utah, USA); Tamura, Koji (Tohoku University, Japan); Okabe, Masataka (The Jikei University School of Medicine, Japan); Schoenwolf, Gary (University of Utah, USA)

239 B135 **Importancia de microRNAs en la embriogénesis del tracto de salida ventricular derecho, estudio en el embrión de pollo.** Sanchez Gomez, Concepcion, (Hosp Infantil Federico Gomez, Mexico); Perez, Carmen (UNAM, Mexico)

240 B136 **The Cellular Basis of Limb bud Initiation.** Gros, Jerome, (Institut Pasteur, France); Tabin, Cliff (Harvard Medical School, USA)

241 B137 **Gene regulation that initiates Sonic hedgehog expression in the limb bud.** Tamura, Koji, (Tohoku University, Japan), Matsubara, Haruka; Yokoyama, Hitoshi (Tohoku University, Japan)
242 B138 Expression and functional analysis of transcription factor AP-2β in limb development. Seki, Ryohei (MRC National Institute for Medical Research, UK); Suzuki, Takayuki (Nagoya University, Japan); Yokoyama, Hitoshi; Tamura, Koji (Graduate School of Life Sciences, Japan)

243 B139 Role of transcription factor EVI-1 in chondrogenesis. Cela, Petra; Balkova, Simona (Institute of Animal Physiology and Genetics, Czech Republic); Horakova, Dana; Buchtova, Marcela (University of Veterinary and Pharmaceutical Sciences, Czech Republic); Richman, Joy M. (Life Sciences Institute, University of British Columbia, Canada)

244 B140 Effects of homocysteine on mesenchymal cells during limb development on chick embryos. Bourchhardt, Gilian; Kobus, Karoline; Cecchini, Manuela; Müller, Yara; Ammar, Dib; Nazari, Evelise (Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina (UFSC), Brazil)

245 B141 Inhibition of Hedgehog Signaling is Necessary for β-Catenin-Regulated Interzone Differentiation and joins Morphogenesis. Rockel, Jason; Yu, Chunying; Whetstone, Heather (The Hospital for Sick Children, Canada); Craft, April (University Health Network, Canada); Reilly, Katherine; Alman, Benjamin (The Hospital for Sick Children, Canada)

246 B142 Characterizing gene expression dynamics between Shox2 and Hox genes during limb development. Neufeld, Stanley John (University of Calgary, Canada); Scott, Alexandra; Wang, Fan (Durham, USA); Cobb, John (University of Calgary, Canada)

247 B143 Interdigital mesoderm acts as a signaling center instructing digit joint formation. Huang, Bau-Lin (National Cancer Institute-Frederick, USA); Koyama, Elki; Pacifici, Maurizio (Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, USA); Mackem, Susan (National Cancer Institute-Frederick, USA)

248 B144 Interdigit BMP signaling is essential for programmed cell death and is implicated in digit formation. Kalcheva, Maria M.; Pajni-Underwood, Sangeeta (National Cancer Institute-Frederick, USA); Harfe, Brian (University of Florida College of Medicine, USA); Lewandoski, Mark (National Cancer Institute-Frederick, USA)

249 B145 Tramtrack69 regulates epithelial tube expansion in the Drosophila ovary through Paxillin and the homeobox protein Mirror. Peters, Nathaniel C.; Berg, Celeste (University of Washington, USA)

250 B146 Embryonic and uterine changes during mouse embryo implantation observed using a clearing technique. Baiza Gutman, Luis Arturo; Sánchez Santos, Alejandra; Gómez Jiménez, Jaime; Martínez Hernández, María Guadalupe (FES Iztacala, UNAM, Mexico)

251 B147 Directional rearrangement of planar polarised cells underlies the elongation of Drosophila renal tubules. Saxena, Aditya; Denholm, Barry (University of Cambridge, UK); VijayRaghavan, K (National Centre for Biological Sciences, India); Skaer, Helen (University of Cambridge, UK)

252 B148 Towards a common model of symmetry breakage: 'early determinants' act in the context of cilia-driven leftward flow. Blum, Martin; Walentek, Peter; Tisler, Matthias (University of Hohenheim, Germany); Danlichik, Michael (Oregon Health & Science Univ, USA); Schweickert, Axel (University of Hohenheim, Germany)

253 B149 The Congenital Heart Disease gene, GALNT11, glycosylates Notch to orchestrate cilia type and left-right asymmetry. Yuan, Shiaulou; Boskovski, Marko T. (Yale, USA); Pedersen, Nis Borbye; Goth, Christoffer Knak (University of Copenhagen, Denmark); Makova, Svetlana (Yale, USA); Clausen, Henrik (University of Copenhagen, Denmark); Brueckner, Martina; Khokha, Mustafa K. (Yale, USA)

254 B150 N-cadherin locks left-right asymmetry by ending the leftward movement of Hensen's node cells. Saude, Leonor; Mendes, Raquel V. (Inst de Med Molec, Portugal); Martins, Gabriel G. (Ctro de Biologia Ambiental, Portugal)

255 B151 Novel complementary asymmetric gene expression of linked genes at the Pitx2 locus establishes a role for chromatin regulation of L-R patterning. Welsh, Ian Christophe; Chen, Frances; Kurpios, Natasa (Cornell University, USA)

256 B152 RhoA GTPase Signaling During Development of the Left-Right Body Axis. Amack, Jeffrey D.; Wang, Guangliang (State University of New York Upstate Med Univ, USA)

257 B153 Fritz Governs Cilogenesis in Xenopus laevis. Kim, Su Kyoung (Univ of Texas-Austin, USA); Park, Tae Joo (Ulsan Metropolitan City, Korea); Abitua, Phil B. (University of California-Berkeley, USA); Wallingford, John B. (Univ of Texas-Austin, USA)

258 B154 Molecular basis of principles of regeneration: distalization and intercalation. Agata, Kiyokazu, (Kyoto University, Japan)

Genome Level Approaches

259 B155 GXD: A Gene Expression Resource for Developmental Biologists. Smith, Constance M.; Finger, Jacqueline H.; Hayamizu, Terry F.; McCright, Ingeborg J.; Xu, Jingxia; Eppig, Janan T.; Kadim, James A.; Richardson, Joel E.; Ringwald, Martin (Jackson Lab, USA)

260 B156 The Sanger mouse genetics project: High throughput recessive lethality and DMDD screens. Galli, Antonella; Ramirez-Solis, Ramiro; Estabel, Jeanne; White, Jacqui; Tuck, Elizabeth; Jones, Catherine; Green, Angela; Hooks, Yvette; Souter, Luke; Ryder, Edward; Adams, David (Wellcome Trust Sanger Institute, UK); Mohun, Tim; Wilson, Robert (MRC, UK)

261 B157 MMAPPBR: Mutation Mapping Analysis Pipeline for Pooled RNA-seq. Hill, Jonathon T.; Demarest, Bradley; Bisgrove, Brent; Gorsi, Bushra; Su, Yi-Chu; Yost, H. Joseph (University of Utah, USA)
262 B158 The Role of Long Noncoding RNAs in Regulating Chicken Limb Patterning. Schwartz, Matthew G., (Harvard Medical School, USA); Ulitsky, Igor; Bartel, David P. (Whitehead Institute for Biomedical Research, MIT, Howard Hughes Medical Institute, USA); Tabin, Clifford J. (Harvard Medical School, USA)

263 B159 Genome-wide approaches reveal dynamic Foxh1-mediated gene regulation during mesendoderm specification in Xenopus tropicalis. Le, Rebekah Le; Chiu, William; Blitz, Ira; Cho, Ken (University of California-Irvine, USA)

264 B160 A whole genome approach to explore the gene regulatory network controlling germ layer patterning in the Xenopus tropicalis gastrula. Paraiso, Kitt; Blitz, Ira; Chiu, William; Cho, Ken W.Y. (University of California-Irvine, USA)

265 B161 Coordinating neurogenesis: Roles of REST and Hoxb1 binding modules integrating neural fate determination. De Kumar, Bony De Kumar; Parrish, Mark; Paulson, Ariel; Gottschalk, Aaron; Scott, Carrie; Conaway, Ron; Krumlauf, Robb (Stowers Institute for Medical Research, USA)

266 B162 Moved to Poster Session III, Board B140

267 B163 Microarray analysis of the embryonic skull vault. Barrell, William; Healy, Christopher (Craniofacial Development and Stem Cell Biology, UK); Ota, Masato (Section of Molecular Craniofacial Embryology, Japan); Ohazama, Atushi (Craniofacial Development and Stem Cell Biology, UK); Dionne, Marc (Centre for the Cellular and Molecular Biology of Inflammation, UK); Liu, Karen (Craniofacial Development and Stem Cell Biology, UK)

**Induction**

268 B164 Interactions Between Organizer Genes and Early Neural Ectodermal. Klein, Steven L. (National Science Foundation, USA); Moody, Sally; Neilson, Karen (George Washington University, USA)

269 B165 To be or not to be - mutually exclusive neural and non-neural ectodermal competence territories are established at the neural plate border. Schlosser, Gerhard (National University of Ireland), Pieper, Mareike; Ahrens, Katja (Brain Research Institute, University of Bremen, Germany)

**Poster Session II**

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**Development and Evolution**

270 B1 Comparative analysis of the promoter sequences of the MADS-Box Gene APETALA3 from the homeotic flower Lacandonia schismatica and its sister taxon, Triuris brevistyris (Triuridaceae). Rodriguez Mega, Emiliano (UNAM, Mexico); Piñeyro Nelson, Alma (UC Berkeley, USA); Garay Arroyo, Adriana (UNAM, Mexico); Álvarez-Buylla, Elena (UC Berkeley, USA)

271 B2 Investigating the role of MADS-box protein networks in the establishment of the floral meristem of Lacandonia schismatica and Triuris brevistyris. Herrera Martinez, Joel (UNAM, Mexico); Piñeyro-Nelson, Alma (UC Berkeley, USA); Garay-Arroyo, Adriana; Álvarez-Buylla, Elena (Instituto de Ecologia, UNAM, Mexico)

272 B3 The Floral Organ Cell Fate Determination Gene Regulatory Network: A Network-level Molecular Evolutionary Analysis Across 18 Angiosperm Genomes. Davila-Velderrain, Jose (Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico, Mexico); Servin-Marquez, Andres (Universidad Autonoma de Nuevo Leon, Mexico); Alvarez-Buylla, Elena R. (Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico, Mexico)

273 B4 Of Butterfly Wings and Hopeful Monsters: the loci of discrete evolution. Martin, Arnaud (Cornell Univ, USA); Papa, Riccardo (Univ of Puerto Rico-Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico); Orgogozo, Virginie (CNRS, France); McMillan, Owen (Smithsonian Tropical Research Inst, Puerto Rico); Reed, Robert (Cornell Univ, USA)

274 B5 The role of toolkit genes in the evolution of complex wing, thorax, and abdominal color patterns in Drosophila guttifera. Werner, Thomas (Michigan Technological University, USA); Shigeyuki, Koshikawa (U of Wisconsin-Madison, USA) Williams, Thomas (Univ of Dayton, USA); Bollepogu Raja, Komal Kumar (Michigan Technological Univ, USA); Carroll, Sean (Univ of Wisconsin-Madison, USA)

275 B6 Insights into origin of new elements in the Dorsal-Ventral patterning network in diptera. Hodar, Christian; Cambiazo, Veronica (INTA - Universidad de Chile - CRG, Chile)

276 B7 The arthropod segmentation clock and what it tells us about the origin and evolution of segmented body plans. Peel, Andrew (Univ of Leeds, UK); Sarrazin, Andres (Pontificia Universidad Catolica de Valparaiso, Chile); Averof, Michalis (Institut de Genomique Fonctionnelle de Lyon, France)
277 B8 Actin-based cytokinetic twist breaks Left-Right symmetry in C. elegans. Tiongson, Michael; Bao, Zhirong (Memorial-Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, USA)

278 B9 Non-stochastic assignment of asymmetry in the vertebrate ancestral brain. Boutet, Agnès (Centre de Biochimie, France); Lagadec, Ronan; Laguerre, Laurent; Godart, Benoît; Mazan, Sylvie (CNRS UPMC, France)

279 B10 Early, nonciliary role for microtubule proteins in left–right patterning is conserved across kingdoms. Lobikin, Maria (Tufts University, USA); Wang, Gang; Xu, Jingsong (Univ of Illinois College of Medicine, USA); Hsieh, Yi-Wen; Chuang, Chiou-Fen (Cincinnati Children's Hospital Research Foundation, USA); Lemire, Joan; Levin, Michael (Tufts University, USA)

280 B11 Evolution of Placode-Derived Neurons Assessed by Cell Type-Specific Transcriptional Profiling. Shimeld, Sebastian; Patthey, Cedric (University of Oxford, UK)

281 B12 SeaBase – A new tool to analyze RNAseq data and a big step on our way toward a Nematostella gene interaction network. Fischer, Antje (MBL, USA); Cosentino, Carlo (Università degli Studi Magna Graecia Catanzaro, Italy); Smith, Joel (MBL, USA)

282 B13 Evolutionary Origins of the Vertebrate “New Head”. Abitura, Philip; Wagner, Eileen; Levine, Mike (UC Berkeley, USA)

283 B14 Your Inner Inner Fish: Analysis of Pharyngeal Segmentation in Vertebrates. Shone, Victoria; Graham, Anthony (MRC Centre for Developmental Neurobiology, UK)

284 B15 In vivo evidence for a novel and direct role of Cdx proteins in trunk neural crest cell development. Sanchez, Oraly; Pilon, Nicolas (UQAM, Montreal, PQ, Canada)

285 B16 Endothelin Signaling Balances Identity of Neural Crest Cells in the First Pharyngeal Arch. Tavares, Andre Luiz Pasqu; Clouthier, David (Univ. of Colorado at Denver, USA)

286 B17 Craniofacial Ontogeny in Turtles: putative role of bone morphogenetic proteins in the lack of palatal shelves. Abramyan, John; Leung, Kelvin; Richman, Joy (University of British Columbia, Canada)

287 B18 Expression timing of Gdf11 reveals positional diversity of the hindlimb in vertebrates. Suzuki, Takayuki; Matsubara, Yoshiyuki (Nagoya University, Japan); Hattori, Ayumi; Ogura, Toshihiko (Tohoku University, Japan); Se-Jin, Lee (Johns Hopkins Univ, USA); Kuroiwa, Atsushi (Nagoya University, Japan)

288 B19 The participation of Wnt/Ca+ signaling and the Wnt antagonists DKK and SFRP in digit formation during limb development. Farrera Hernandez, Alejandro ; Bustamante, Marcia; Flores-Hernández, Erick; Robles-Flores, Martha; Orozco-Hoyuela, Gabriel; Chimal-Monroy, Jesús (UNAM, Mexico)

289 B20 The Origin of the Thumb Patterning System. Tanaka, Mikiko; Onimaru, Koh (Tokyo Institute of Technology, Japan)

290 B21 Developmental genetics of evolved tooth gain in sticklebacks. Cleves, Phillip; Jimenez, Monica (UC Berkeley, USA); Nunez, Stephanie (Univ. of Michigan, USA); Schluter, Dolph (University of British Columbia, Canada); Kingsley, David (Stanford U. and HHMI, USA)

291 B22 The Roles of Canonical Wnt Signaling in Developing Teeth of Polyphyodont Lizards. Holmes, Scott N.; Richman, Joy (University of British Columbia, Canada)

292 B23 Dlx2 overexpression disrupt the development of teeth in mouse. Dai, Jiewen (Shanghai Ninth People’s Hospital, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China); Wang, Xudong (Shanghai Ninth People’s Hospital, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, Shanghai Key Laboratory of Stomatology, China); Chen, Guofang (Shanghai Ninth People’s Hospital, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China)

293 B24 Natural “experiments” and Sonic hedgehog in the evolution of odontogenesis. Greco, Theresa (UC Berkeley, USA)

294 B25 Endless pigeons most colorful: genetics and development of feather pigment diversity among domestic rock pigeons. Domyan, Eric; Kronenberg, Zev; Guernsey, Michael; Vickrey, Anna; Cassidy, Pamela; Shapiro, Michael (University of Utah, USA)

295 B26 Developmental basis of phallus reduction during bird evolution. Herrera, Ana M; Shuster, Simone (University of Florida, USA); Perriton, Claire (University of Reading, UK); Cohn, Martin (Howard Hughes Medical Institute, USA)

296 B27 The evolution of external genitalia: sexual reproduction on dry land. Tschope, Patrick; Sherratt, Emma; Sanger, Thomas; Groner, Anna; Aspiras, Ariel (Harvard U., USA); Pourquier, Olivier (Strasbourg Univ. Medical School, France); Gros, Jerome (Institut Pasteur, France); Tabin, Clifford (Harvard U., USA)

297 B28 Molecular mechanisms control cytoskeletal activities during inner ear invagination. Sai, Xiaorei (Riken CDB, Japan)

298 B29 Convergent evolution of cellular immunity in jawless fish. McCurley, Nathanael; Guo, Peng; Cooper, Max (Emory University, USA)

299 B30 Comparative analysis of the colon in the vertebrate lineage. Theodosiou, Nicole; Wechter, Todd; Jain, Meaghan (Union College, USA)

300 B31 The role of Ibx1 during Xenopus and Nematostella embryogenesis – a comparative study of myogenesis in metazoans. Strobl, Anna-Christina (NIMR MRC, UK) Steinmetz, Partick; Fredman, David; Technau, Ulrich (University of Vienna, Austria); Smith, Jim (NIMR MRC, UK)
301 B32 *The TLR co-receptor TRIL is required for Spemann organizer function in Xenopus.* Xie, Yuanyuan (University of Utah, USA); Mimoto, Mizuho; Kwon, Sunjong (Oregon Health & Science University, USA); McKnite, Autumn; Christian, Jan (University of Utah, USA)

302 B33 *Fuz mutant mice reveal shared mechanisms between ciliopathies and FGF related syndromes.* Tabler, Jacqueline Marie (UT Austin, USA); Liu, Karen (King’s College London, UK); Wallingford, John (UT Austin, USA)

303 B34 *SUMOylated Sox3 is associated with chromatin and affects Sox3 function during zebrafish development.* Lam, Chi Man; Laghari, Zulfiqar Ali; Shih, Yu-Huan; Kuo, Cheng-Liang; Struebing, Silke; Scotting, Paul John (University of Nottingham, UK)

304 B35 *Determining the role of an uncharacterized tubulin in the development of multiciliated epithelial cells in Xenopus laevis.* Wills, Airon (University of Texas, Austin, USA); Turk, Erin (Stanford, USA); Sedzinski, Jakub (University of Texas, Austin, USA); Howes, Stuart; Nogales, Eva (UC Berkeley, USA); Stearns, Tim (Stanford, USA); Wallingford, John (University of Texas, Austin, USA)

305 B36 *Misregulation of osteoblast differentiation underlies abnormal skull growth and suture formation in sp7 mutants.* Kague, Erika; Fisher, Shannon (University of Pennsylvania, USA)

306 B37 *Evolution of a tissue-specific silencer underlies diversification of paralogous genes.* Haruki, Ochi (Yamagata University, Japan); Kawaguchi, Akane (Nara Institute of Science and Technology, Japan); Ogino, Hajime (Nagahama Institute of Bio-Science and Technology, Japan)

307 B38 *Temporal and Spatial Expression of the Wnt Gene Complement in a Spiral-Cleaving Embryo.* Pruitt, Margaret M.; Letcher, Edward; Bastian, Benjamin; Chou, Hsien-chao; Schneider, Stephan (Iowa State Univ, USA)

308 B39 *Mechanistic Diversification of the Hedgehog Signaling Pathway.* Warner, Jacob (Duke University, USA); McCarthy, Ali; Morris, Robert (Wheaton College, USA); McClay, David (Duke University, USA)

309 B40 *Sexually dimorphic fin development: Implications for the evolution of intercourse.* O'Shaughnessy, Katherine; Dahn, Randall; Cohn, Martin (Univ of Florida, USA)

310 B41 *Comparison of the developmental transcriptomes of three marine Spiralians reveals the evolution of trophophore.* Xu, Fei. (Institute of Oceanology, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China), Fan, Dingding (BGI-Shenzhen, China); Domazet-Loso, Tomislav (Ruder Boškovic Institute, Croatia); Li, Li (Institute of Oceanology, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China); Fang, Xiaodong (BGI-Shenzhen, China); Zhang, Guofan (Institute of Oceanology, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China)

311 B42 *Glomerular development process in the Chinese experimental miniature pig.* Xie, Yuansheng; Li, Xuyan; Shen, Shanshan; Cui, Shaoyuan; Li, Qinggang; Bai, Xueyuan; Chen, Xiangmei (Chinese PLA General Hospital, China)

312 B43 *Embryonic origin of cartilaginous elements of the axolotl visceral skeleton.* Davidian, Asya (St. Petersburg State Univ, Russian Federation), Epperlein, Hans-Henning; Tanaka, Elly (Technical University Dresden, Germany); Malashichev, Yegor (St. Petersburg State Univ, Russian Federation)

313 B44 *Transgenic axolotls (Ambystoma mexicanum) as an emerging system for the study of organ and tissue embryonic origin.* Malashichev, Yegor, (St. Petersburg State University, Russian Federation)

Cell-Cell Signaling

314 B45 Withdrawn

315 B46 *Identification of a novel embryonic signaling peptide essential for mesendoderm migration.* Pauli, Andrea; Ma, Jiao; Mitchell, Andrew; Gagnon, James (Harvard, USA); Joung, Keith (Massachusetts General Hospital, USA); Saghatelian, Alan; Schier, Alexander (Harvard, USA)

316 B47 *Molecular pathogenesis of Joubert Syndrome and related disorders.* Caspary, Tamara; Mariani, Laura (Emory University, USA); Higginbotham, Holden (UNC School of Medicine, USA); Fritz, Julie (Emory University, USA); Anton, Eva (UNC School of Medicine, USA)

317 B48 *Invasive adhesion polarizes heart progenitor induction.* Davidson, Bradley (Swarthmore College, USA); Norton, Jennifer; Cooley, James (University of Arizona, USA); Cota, Christina (Swarthmore College, USA)

318 B49 *Dynamic membranes mediate heart progenitor induction in Ciona.* Cota, Christina (Swarthmore College, USA)

319 B50 *Multiple Catenins Contribute to Development: Emerging Roles of Plakophilin-3 Catenin.* Munoz, William; Miller, Rachel; Lee, Moonsup (MD Anderson Cancer Center, USA); Kloc, Malgorzata (The Methodist Hospital, USA); McCrea, Pierre (MD Anderson Cancer Center, USA)

600 B51 *The somites act as a signalling centre during the emergence of haematopoietic stem cells.* Aldo Ciau-Uitz; Philip Pinheiro; Catherine Porcher; Roger Patient (University of Oxford, UK)

321 B52 *Thermal stability regulates fibroblast growth factor signaling.* Krejci, Pavel; Vesela, Iva (Masaryk University, Czech Republic); Buchtova, Marcela; Zajickova, Renata (University of Veterinary and Pharmaceutical Sciences, Czech Republic); Zakrzewska, Malgorzata (University of Wroclaw, Poland); Wiedlocha, Antoni (University of Oslo, Norway); Martin, Jorge (Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, USA)

322 B53 *Trachea-derived Dpp controls adult midgut homeostasis in Drosophila.* Lin, Xinhua; Zhouhuan, Li; Zhang, Yan; Han, Lili; Shi, Lai (Chinese Academy of Sciences, China)

323 B54 *Drosophila glycicans Dally and Dally-like are essential regulators for JAK/STAT signaling and Unpaired distribution in eye development.* Lin, Xinhua (Cincinnati Children's Hospital, USA); Zhang, Yan (Chinese
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324 **B55** *The zebrafish diencephalic glial bridge is made up of a heterogeneous population of astroglial cells.* Zaman, Paula; Velez, Carla; Bashiruddin, Sarah; Dimova, Kalina; Alligood, Kristin; Doris, Rosemarie; Sinha, Risha; Husain, Tanya; Mahlanza, Tatenda; Devoto, Stephen; Barresi, Michael (Smith College, USA)

325 **B56** *Axial specification in mice is controlled by an extra-embryonic Wnt3 signaling event.* Rivera-Perez, Jaime A.; Tortelote, Giovane; Huang, Tingting (University of Massachusetts Medical School, USA); Wakamiya, Maki (The University of Texas-Galveston, USA); Hadjantonakis, Anna-Katerina (Sloan Kettering Institute, USA); Behringer, Richard (M. D. Anderson Cancer Center, UT-Houston, USA)

326 **B57** *Wnt5a and Wnt5b function redundantly via noncanonical pathways to extend the embryonic axis.* Barrow, Jeffery; Allen, John (Brigham Young University, USA); Long, Fanxin (Washington University in St. Louis, USA); McMahon, Andrew (University of Southern California, USA)

327 **B58** *Short-Range Wnt5 Signaling Specifies Posterior Ectodermal Fate in the Sea Urchin.* McIntyre, Daniel C. (Duke University, USA); Seay, Winn (Harvard Medical School, USA); Croce, Jenifer (Observatoire Océanologique de Villefranche-sur-Mer, France); McClay, David (Duke University, USA)

328 **B59** *Regulation of vertebrate Wnt secretion and gradient formation by Wntless.* Burrus, Laura W; Galli, Lisa (San Francisco State Univ, USA); Szabo, Linda (Stanford Univ, USA); Sean, Allen (San Francisco State Univ, USA); Li, Lydia (Johns Hopkins Univ, USA); Htai, Yin Min (Roseman University of Health Sciences, USA)

329 **B60** *Primary cilium-mediated signalling is essential for normal gut patterning.* Delalande, Jean Marie; Campbell, Alison; Thapar, Nikhil; Burns, Alan J (UCL - Institute of Child Health, UK)

330 **B61** *The dynamic right-to-left translocation of Cerl2 is involved in the regulation and termination of Nodal activity in the mouse node.* Belo, José A.; Inácio, José M.; Marques, Sara (Universidade do Algarve, Portugal); Nakamura, Tetsuya; Shinhara, Kyosuke (Osaka University, Japan); Meno, Chikara (Kyushu University, Japan); Hamada, Hiroshi (Osaka University, Japan)

331 **B62** *Cilia, Flow Sensing, and Polycystins: How the Embryo Determines Left From Right.* Grimes, Daniel T. (Princeton University, USA); Keynton, Jennifer; Beunavista, Maria (MRC Harwell, UK); Hamada, Hiroshi; Shinhara, Kyosuke (Osaka University, Japan); Norris, Dominic (MRC Harwell, UK)

332 **B63** *Sp5l is a novel transcription factor involved in the establishment of left-right asymmetry in early zebrafish development.* Inglis, Rachael (University of Cambridge, UK); Nelson, Andrew; Soong, Daniel (King's College London, UK); Amack, Jeffrey (SUNY Upstate Medical University, USA); Wardle, Fiona (King's College London, UK)

333 **B64** *ATRX function during zebrafish early development.* Ibarra Morales, Dafne Andrea; Schnabel Peraza, Denhi; Salas Vidal, Enrique; Tovar, Soto (Instituto de Investigaciones Biomédicas UNAM, Mexico)

334 **B65** *Irx1 and Irx2 are Coordinately Expressed and Regulated by Retinoic Acid, TGFbeta, and FGF Signaling during Chick Hindlimb Development.* Díaz-Hernández, Martha; Bustamante, Marcia; Galván-Hernández, Claudio; Chimal-Monroy, Jesús (Instituto de Investigaciones Biomédicas UNAM, Mexico)

335 **B66** *Application of TGFβ leads to enhanced chondrogenesis and impairment of posterior element formation in the developing chick limb.* López-Bayghen, Bruno; Medina-Vázquez, Georgina; García-Cruz, Carla; Chimal-Monroy, Jesús (UNAM, Mexico)

336 **B67** *Retinoic acid effectors functions during axolotl limb regeneration.* Correa Gallegos, Donovan; Chimal Monroy, Jesús (UNAM, Mexico)

337 **B68** *Visualizing endogenous morphogen gradients and their modulation in vivo.* Sosnik, Julian; Zheng, Likun; Digman, Michelle; Nie, Qingshan; Gratton, Enrico; Schilling, Thomas (UC Irvine, USA)

338 **B69** *Retinoic acid regulates musculoskeletal patterning in the zebrafish head.* McGurk, Patrick; Swartz, Mary; Eberhart, Johann (University of Texas-Austin, USA)

339 **B70** *Identifying the mechanism of action for Dispatched-mediated Hedgehog ligand release.* Bodeen, William (Univ of TN HSC - St. Jude Children's Res Hosp, USA); Ogden, Stacey (St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, USA)

340 **B71** *Mapping the functional domains in LRP2, an auxiliary SHH receptor in the developing neuroepithelium.* Christa, Anna; Christ, Annabel; Hammes, Annette; Willnow, Thomas (Max-Delbrueck-Center for Molecular Medicine, Germany)

341 **B72** *LRP2 is an auxiliary SHH receptor required to condition the forebrain ventral midline.* Christ, Annabel; Christa, Anna; Willnow, Thomas; Hammes, Annette (Max-Delbrueck-Centrum, Germany)

342 **B73** *Transcriptional regulation of Shh target genes in the developing spinal cord.* Kurdiya, Sanja, KI; Oosterveen, Tony; Alekseenko, Zhanna; Uide, Christopher; Sandberg, Magnus; Andersson, Elisabet; Bergstrand, Maria; Dias, José; Muhr, Jonas; Ericson, Johan (Karolinska Institutet, Sweden)

343 **B74** *Following a transient dose, Sonic Hedgehog function in normal digit formation is dispensable and can be substituted entirely by enforced cell survival.* Mackem, Susan; Zhu, Jianjian (National Cancer Institute, USA)

344 **B75** *Shh is required to distally pattern mesenchyme to form digits.* Crawford, Derrick M.; Robertson, Christopher; Mayberry, Ryan; Martinez, Chad; Ford, Andrew; Barrow, Jeffrey (Brigham Young Univ, USA)
345  B76  **Noggin can mimic BMPs effects on early neural crest-derived mesenchyme.** Buchtova, Marcela (Univ of Veter and Pharmac Sci, Czech Republic); Cela, Petra (Inst of Animal Physiology and Genetics, Czech Republic); Balek, Lukas; Prochazkova, Jirina (Masaryk Univ, Czech Republic); Richman, Joy M (Univ of British Columbia, Canada)

346  B77  **A computational model suggests that diffusion alone does not account for BMP2/4 movement in sea urchin embryos.** Schatzberg, Daphne; Hardway, Heather; Ferrell, Patrick; Core, Amanda; Murray, Ian; Ross, Erik; Li, Christy; Kaper, Tasso; Bradham, Cynthia (Boston University, USA)

347  B78  **Notch2, BMP5-8 and Alk4/5/7 signaling are required for skeletal patterning in sea urchin embryos.** Piacentino, Michael L.; Patel, Vijeta; Hewitt, Finnegan; Ramachandran, Janani; Yu, Jia; Chaves, James; Reyna, Arlene; Hameeduddin, Hajerah; Bardot, Evan; Lee, David; Coulomb-Huntington, Jasmin; Heilbut, Adrian; Core, Amanda (Boston University, USA); Poustka, Albert (Max-Planck Institut fuer Molekulare Genetik, Germany); Bradham, Cynthia (Boston University, USA)

348  B79  **BMP signaling requires an inwardly rectifying K+ channel to pattern the developing fly wing.** Bates, Emily Anne (Brigham Young University, USA)

349  B80  **Axis determination in amniotes.** Bertocchini, Federica; Carrera, Lucia (IBBTEC, Spain)

350  B81  **Building a Vertebrate Embryo Using a Combination of Morphogenetic Gradients.** Xu, Peng-Fei; Ferri, Karine; Thissie, Christine; Thissie, Bernard (University of Virginia, USA) Also a talk in Concurrent Session 2.3

351  B82  **Role of FGF signaling in maintenance of cardiac chamber identity in zebrafish.** Pradhan, Arjana; Zeng, Xin-Xin (University of California, San Diego, USA); Marques, Sara (Skirball Institute of Biomolecular Medicine, NYU School of Med, USA); Chi, Neil; Yelon, Deborah (University of California, San Diego, USA)

352  B83  **Modulation of fungiform papillae patterning by Fgf signaling.** Prochazkova, Michaela (UCSF, USA), Häkkinnen, Teemu (University of Helsinki, Finland); Pradhan, Arjana; Zeng, Xin-Xin (University of California, San Diego, USA); Marques, Sara (Skirball Institute of Biomolecular Medicine, NYU School of Med, USA); Chi, Neil; Yelon, Deborah (University of California, San Diego, USA)

353  B84  **The Facial Neural Crest Controls Fore- and Midbrain patterning by Regulating Foxg1 Expression Through Smad1.** Creuzet, Sophie; Aguilar, Diego (CNRS- Institute of Neurobiology, France)

354  B85  **The specification of jaw identity in avian embryos.** Richman, Joy; Nimmagadda, Suresh; Geetha-Loganathan, Poongodi; Fu, Kathy (University of British Columbia, Canada)

355  B86  **Fibulin-7 is expressed in mouse early development and its C-terminal fragment shows anti-angiogenic activity.** Forcinito, Patricia (National Institutes of Health, USA); de Vega, Susana (Juntendo University Graduate School of Medicine, Japan); Yamada, Yoshihiiko (National Institutes of Health, USA)

356  B87  **Establishing the border between the Intermediate and Paraxial mesoderm during chick embryonic development.** Schneider, Jenny; Yelin, Ronit; Schultheiss, Thomas M. (Technion-Israel Institute of Technology, Israel)

357  B88  **Molecular characterization of the Arabidopsis twisted mutant.** Reyes, Iraepan; Escobar-Guzmán, Rocío (Langebio, Mexico); Chalfun-Junior, Antonio (Universida de Federal de Lavras, Brazil); Pereira, Andy (Virginia Bioinformatics Institute, USA); Angenent, Gerco C (Plant Research International, Netherlands); Marsch Martinez, Nayelli; de Folter, Stefan (Langebio, Mexico)

358  B89  **The phytohormone cytokinin defines and restores specific tissues of developing gynoecia and fruits in Arabidopsis.** Marsch-Martinez, Nayelli; Ramos-Cruz, Daniela (CINVESTAV-IPN Irapuato, Mexico); Reyes-Olalde, Iraepan; Lozano-Sotomayor, Paulina; Zuñiga-Mayo, Victor; de Folter, Stefan (CINVESTAV-IPN Irapuato, Langebio, Mexico)

359  B90  **Proteomics approaches to Identify the function of PI15, a putative embryonic morphogen.** Drain, Stephen; Nimmagadda, Suresh; Richman, Joy (University of British Columbia, Canada)

360  B91  **Differential Expression of Extracellular Matrix Proteins During Posterior Commissure Development.** Stanic, Karen; Gonzalez, Melissa; Montecinos, Hernán; Caprile, Teresa (Universidad de Concepcion, Chile)

361  B92  **The Ubiquitin ligase activator APC/C-Cdh1 (Rap/Fzr) regulates retinal axon targeting in the developing Drosophila eye.** Venkatesh, Tadmiri; Gronska, Marta (City College of New York, USA)

202  B93  **Cell-lineage analysis and localization of the embryonic sinoatrial node precursor cells during early mouse development.** Ori, Michela; Marras, Giulia (University of Pisa, Italy); Testa, Giovanna (University of Pisa; Scuola Normale Superiore, Pisa, Italy); De Lucchini, Stefania (Scuola Normale Superiore, Pisa, Italy); Nardi, Irma (University of Pisa, Italy)

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363  B94  **Cell-lineage analysis and localization of the embryonic sinoatrial node precursor cells during early mouse development.** Moro Abraham, Mª Magdalena; Franco, Diego; Aránea Jiménez, Amelia; Dominguez Macias, Jorge Nicolas (Universidad de Jaén, Spain)

364  B95  **Dissecting the roles of the proepicardium, Fgf10 and Fgf3 in cardiac development.** Urness, Lisa D; Bleyl, Steven B (University of Utah, USA); Moon, Anne M (Weiss Center for Research/Geisinger Clinic, USA); Mansour, Suzanne L. (Univ of Utah, USA)

365  B96  **Arid3b is required for the formation of heart poles and patterning of the atrioventricular canal (AVC).** Uribe Sokolov, Veronica; Badia-Careaga, Claudio (CINC, Spain); Casanova, Jesus (Monash University, Australia); Sanz-Ezkerro, Juan Jose (CNB, Spain)
B107 The Role of BMPs in Digit Number Regulation. Norrie, Jacqueline; Li, Qiang (University of Texas-Austin, USA); Boudlin, Courtney; Harfe, Brian (University of Florida, USA); Vokes, Steven (University of Texas-Austin, USA)

B108 Transient Inhibition of FGFR2b Signaling Leads to Irreversible Loss of Cellular Beta-Catenin Organization and Signaling in AER During Mouse Limb Development. Danopoulos, Soula; Al Alam, Denise; Parsa, Sara; Tabatabai, Reza; Belluscio, Saverio (USC/CHLA, USA)

B109 De-coupling the Hox-Shh-Fgf interaction reveals multiple inputs of Hox genes on pathways ensuring limb growth. Sheth, Rushikesh; Grégoire, Damien; Dumouchel, Annie; Scotti, Martina; My Trang Pham, Jessica; Nemec, Stephen (Institut de Recherches Cliniques de Montréal, Canada); Bastida, Maria Félix; Hos, Marian (Instituto de Biomedicina y Biotecnología de Cantabria, Spain); Kmita, Marie (Institut de Recherches Cliniques de Montréal, Canada)

B110 Zebrafish Thrombospondin4b is essential for myotendinous ECM organization and integrin signaling. Subramanian, Arul; Schilling, Thomas (University of California Irvine, USA)

B111 Phenotypic Analysis of a Novel Zebrafish Mutation Affecting Juvenile Bone Development. Anderson, Rebecca (Northwestern Univ Feinberg School of Med, USA); LeClair, Elizabeth (DePaul University, USA); Topczewska, Jolanta; Topczewski, Jacek (Northwestern University Feinberg School of Med, USA)

B112 Role of skeletal muscle in mandible development. Kablar, Boris; Rot, Irena (Dalhousie University, Canada)

B113 Amplitude of growth factor signaling tunes craniofacial morphology. Szabo-Rogers, Heather L.; Cusack, Brian (University of Pittsburgh, USA)

B114 The role of kinin-kallikrein signaling in craniofacial development. Jacox, Laura (Whitehead Institute- MIT & Harvard GSAS, USA); Sindelka, Radek; Sive, Hazel (Whitehead Institute, USA)

B115 Genetic and molecular characterization of the avian ciliopathic model Talpid2. Brugmann, Samantha A.; Chang, Ching-Fang; Schock, Elizabeth (Cincinnati Children's Hospital, USA); Robb, Elizabeth (UC Davis, USA); Snyder, Jon (Cincinnati Children's Hospital, USA); Dowdson, Jerry (Michigan State University, USA); Cheng, Hans (USDA-ARS, USA); Muir, William (Purdue University, USA); Delany, Mary (UC Davis, USA)

B116 Mortalin plays a protective role in cell survival through the regulation of the unfolded protein response pathway during mouse embryonic development. Frisdal, Aude (Stowers Institute, USA); Walker, Macie (University of Colorado-Denver, USA); Trainor, Paul (Stowers Institute, USA)

B117 Wnt signaling in mammalian craniofacial development. Zhou, Chengji; Stokes, Arjun; Wang, Yongping (UC Davis, USA)

B118 Growth of Meckel’s cartilage and mandibular ossification in the fuzzy mutant. Yannakoudakis, Basil; Economou, Andrew (King’s College London, UK); Tabler, Jacqueline (University of Texas-Austin, USA); Yeung, Yvonne; Green, Jeremy; Liu, Karen (King’s College London, UK)

B119 The Golgi associated protein Golgb1 is required for palate development. Lan, Yu; Liu, Han; Jiang, Rulan (Cincinnati Children's Hospital, USA)

B120 Smad-Dependent BMP Signaling Thought Type 1a Receptor in Cranial Neural Crest Cells Directs Their Cell Fate Towards Chondrocytes to Cause Craniosynostosis. Mishina, Yuri; Komatsu, Yoshihiro (University of Michigan, USA)

B106 Identification of Cell Motility Genes Specific to Primitive Myeloid Lineage in Xenopus laevis. Kenny, Alan; Jagpal, Amrita; Allbee, Andrew; Prewitt, Allison; Shifley, Emily; Zorn, Aaron (Cincinnati Children's Hospital, USA)

B104 Elucidation of the molecular mechanism of Rasip1 and Arghap29 in blood vessel development. Koo, Yeon (Univ of Texas Southwestern Med Ctr, USA); Xu, Ke (Harvard, USA); Davis, George (Univ. of Missouri, United States); Cleaver, Ondine (Univ of Texas Southwestern Med Ctr, USA)

B105 Annexin A3 is required for early blood vessel formation. Meadows, Stryder M.; Fletcher, Peter (UT Southwestern Medical Center, USA); Sacharidou, Anastasia; Davis, George (University of Missouri, USA); Cleaver, Ondine (UT Southwestern Medical Center, USA)

B101 The androgen receptor is differentially expressed in the atrium and ventricle tissue of mouse embryo. De Ita Ley, Marlon; Pedernera Astegiano, Enrique Antonio; Meneses Morales, Iván; Gómora Herrera, María José; Méndez Herrera, María del Carmen (UNAM, Mexico)

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B98 The role of Fosl2 in zebrafish Second Heart Field Development. Jahangiri, Leila; Guner-Ataman, Burcu; Adams, Meghan; Burns, Caroline E.; Burns, C. Geoffrey (MGH, Harvard Medical School, USA)

B99 Cadm4 restricts the production of cardiac outflow tract progenitor cells. Zeng, Xin-Xin I.; Yelon, Deborah (University of California, San Diego, USA)

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445 B13 *The effect of calcium activity perturbation on gene expression in the developing nervous system of Xenopus.* Rabe, Brian A.; Herbst, Wendy A.; Saha, Margaret (The College of William and Mary, USA)

446 B14 *RA induced primitive extraembryonic endoderm leads to increased reactive oxygen species and a shift from aerobic glycolysis to mitochondrial biogenesis.* Haw, Jason TK; Wen, Jason; Kelly, Gregory (U of Western Ontario, Canada)

447 B16 *Distinct roles for isoforms of Regulator of G-protein Signalling 3 (RGS3) throughout neuronal maturation.* Fleenor, Stephen (U of Oxford, UK)

448 B16 *Regulation of TNFa and COX2 by NFATc1 pathway during adipose commitment.* López-Victorio, Carlos J; Beltrán-Langarica, Alicia; Vellez-delValle, Cristina; Kuri-Harcuch, Walid (Cinvestav IPN, Mexico)

**Epigenetics Control of Development**

449 B17 *Importance of Intersectin1 isoforms during proper embryonic development of Xenopus laevis.* Cheng, Cheng; Jimenez, Oscar; Thorn, Judith (Knox College, USA)

450 B18 *Chromatin state transitions and epigenetic constraints during early Xenopus embryogenesis.* Veenstra, Gert Jan (Radboud Univ., Netherlands)

451 B19 *Defining mechanisms of imprinted expression at Igf2r/Airn during mouse gastrulation.* Marcho, Chelsea; Bevilacqua, Ariana; Veeramani, Swarna; Mager, Jesse (U Massachusetts-Amherst, USA)

452 B21 *The ATRX gene is separated in Drosophila: description of the xnp2 gene.* López Falcón Piza, Brenda Araceli; Meyer Nava, Silvia; Montero Barrera, Daniel; Hernández Rodríguez, Benjamín; Zurita, Mario (UNAM-Cuernavaca, Mexico)

453 B22 *The chromatin-remodelling factor CHD7 controls multiple processes during development of the cerebellum.* Basson, Michiel A.; Yu, Tian; Danielsen, Katrin; Shah, Apar (King's College London, UK); Marques, Ana (Oxford, UK); Bowler, Timothy (Monterfiore Med Ctr, USA); Ponting, Chris (Oxford, UK); Reinberg, Danny (HHMI/NYU, USA); Scambler, Peter (King's College London, UK)

454 B23 *Epigenetic mechanisms involved in temperature-dependent sex determination of the sea turtle Lepidochelys olivacea.* Venegas, Daniela; Marmolejo, Alejandro; Valdes-Quezada, Christian; Recillas-Targaga, Felix; Merchant-Larios, Horacio (UNAM-Mexico City, Mexico)

455 B24 *Polycomb/ Trithorax group proteins collaborate with Heterochromatin protein 1 to regulate Drosophila sex determination.* Rodriguez, Janel; Horabin, Jamila (Florida St U-Tallahassee, USA)
Polycomb determines responses to Smad2/3 signaling in embryonic stem cell differentiation and in reprogramming. Kuehn, Michael; Dahlé, Öyvind (National Cancer Inst, USA)

Quantifying the impact of blood flow on embryonic cardiac development in zebrafish. Garrity, Deborah M.; Johnson, Brennan M; Hammond, Sean L; Zeller, Molly J; Dasi, Lakshmi Prasad (Colorado St U-Fort Collins,USA)

Regulation of genome architecture during heart development. Gómez Velázquez, Melisa; Badia Careaga, Claudio (Ctr Nac de Investigaciones Cardiova.les, Spain); Galjart, Niels (Erasmus Med Coll, Netherlands); Gómez Skarmeta, José Luis (Ctr Andaluz de Biol del Desarrollo, Spain); Manzanare, Miguel (Ctr Nac de Investigaciones Cardiovasculares, Spain)

DNA demethylation confers competence on the genome for zygot genome activation in zebrafish embryos. Meng, Anning; Wu, Di; Jia, Shunji (Tsinghua U, China)

MicroRNA-30a regulates zebrafish myogenesis via targeting the Six1 homeoprotein. O'Brien, Jenean H.; Hernandez-Lagunas, Laura; Artinger, Kristin Bruk; Ford, Heide L. (UColorado-Denver,USA)

Retinaldehyde dehydrogenase 2 (Raldh2) and retinoic acid are crucial for nephron endowment. Li, Qingfang; Liu, Ying; Xie, Yuansheng; Chen, Xiangmei (Beijing, China)

Neural Crest to neuroblastomas: a two way street for lessons on development and cancer. Bajpai, Ruchi; Samanta, Soma; PeliKan, Richard (Uof Southern California, USA)

Cell Type Specification

Vgl4b is a new gene expressed in the ectoderm of Xenopus laevis. Barrionuevo, M.Guadalupe; Aybar, Manuel J.; Tribulo, Celeste (Univ Nac de Tucuman, Argentina)

maternal KLF2 regulates the expression of early pan-ectodermal activator, Foxi1e, in Xenopus development. Cha, Sang-Wook Cha; Shoemaker, Amanda; Wylie, Christopher; Kofron, Matthew (Cincinnati Children's Hospital, USA)

The WT1 protein expression in radial glia of human developmental cerebellum. Parenti, Rosalba; Puzzo, Lidia; Magro, Gaetano; Gulisano, Massimo (U of Catania, Italy)

A ribosomal biogenesis mutant reveals roles for BMP in asymmetric brain development. Gamse, Joshua T.; Wu, Simon (Vanderbilt, USA); Freed, Emily (Yale, USA); Leshchiner, Ignat; Goessling, Wolfram (Harvard Med Sch, USA); Baserga, Susan (Yale, USA)

Dynamic and asymmetric segregation of cells from the rhombic lip contributes to both neural tube and roof plate tissues in the zebrafish hindbrain. Campo-Paysaa, Florent (IGFL-ENS, France); Clarke, Jonathan; Wingate, Richard (King’s College London, UK)

Search for novel genes involved in hindbrain segmentation. Vazquez-Echeverria, Citlali; Escarcega, David (Inst Tecnol y Estudios Superiores de Monterrey, Mexico); Pujades, Cristina (Univ Pompeu Fabra, Spain)

Induction of Brn3a Through Ectopic Expression of Mash1, Ngn1, or Ptf1a. Landsberg, Rebecca L. ( Coll. of St Rose, USA); George, Angela (Springfield, USA)

Determination of neural precursor cell commitment into mesencephalic dopaminergic neurons. Guerrero, Gilda; Bastidas, Aimée; Covarrubias, Luis (UNAM-Cuernavaca, Mexico)

Loss of Dll1 affects the timing of neurogenesis in the midbrain dopaminergic niche. Valencia, Concepción; Trujillo-Paredes, Niurka; Guerrero, Gilda (UNAM-Cuernavaca, Mexico); Guerra-Crespo, Magdalena (UNAM-México city, Mexico); Baizabal, José Manuel; Covarrubias, Luis (UNAM-Cuernavaca, Mexico)

How neural cells acquire an identity: Role of calcium signaling and voltage-gated calcium channels in neuronal phenotype specification. Schleifer, Lindsay (Coll of William & Mary, USA); Lewis, Brittany B. (Cornell Med Coll, USA); Ng-Sui-Hing, Albert; Anastas, Volter; Saha, Margaret S. (Coll of William & Mary, USA)

The role of calcium activity in neuronal phenotype specification. Herbst, Wendy A.; Rabe, Brian A.; Saha, Margaret S. (Coll of William & Mary, USA)

Loss of plasticity of neural precursor cells of the mesencephalon in culture: influence of fibroblast growth factor 2. Landgrave-Gómez, Jorge; Guerrero, Gilda; García, Celina; Pérez-Estrada, José Raúl (UNAM-Cuernavaca, Mexico); Maya-Espinoza, Guadalupe; Guerra-Crespo, Magdalena (UNAM-México city, Mexico); Covarrubias, Luis (UNAM-Cuernavaca, Mexico)

Sensory diversity in the olfactory system: left-right neuronal asymmetry. Chuang, Chiou-Fen Chuang (Cincinnati Children's Research Foundation, USA)

Mechanism of myelin basic protein mRNA localization. Meireles, Ana; Talbot, William (Stanford, USA)

Chemical and genetic screening for factors that regulate myelination in zebrafish. Petersen, Sarah C.; Monk, Kelly R. (Washington U, USA)

RPE specification is mediated by surface ectoderm-derived BMP and Wnt signalling in the chick. Steinfeld, Jörg; Steinfeld, Ichie (Technische Universität Darmstadt, Germany); Steinfeld, Ichie (Nara Women's University, Japan); Coronato, Nicola; Layer, Paul G. (Technische Universität Darmstadt, Germany); Araki, Masasuke (Nara Women's University, Japan); Vogel-Höpker, Astrid (Technische Universität Darmstadt, Germany)

The role of BMPs in chick neural retina development. Coronato, Nicola; Steinfeld, Jörg; Steinfeld, Ichie; Layer, Paul G.; Vogel-Höpker, Astrid (Technische Universität Darmstadt, Germany)
481 B49 Pdmd1a directly activates foxd3 and tfap2a during zebrafish neural crest specification. Powell, Davaly R.; Hernandez, Laura; Lamonica, Kristi; Artinger, Kristin (U CO-Denver, USA)

482 B50 tfap2e is required for Neural Crest Migration and Neuronal Differentiation. Ruiz, Sofia; Lobanova, Anastasia; Eisen, Michael; Harland, Richard (UC Berkeley, USA)


484 B52 EYA1/SIX1 drive neuronal developmental program in cooperation with the SWI/SNF chromatin-remodeling complex and SOX2 in the mammalian inner ear. Xu, Pin-Xian; Ahmed, Mohi; Xu, Jinshu (Mount Sinai Sch Med, USA)

485 B53 Localization of Yap1 protein during blastocyst formation in the lab opossum. Spindler, Troy; Cruz, Yolanda (Oberlin College, USA)

486 B54 The Hippo pathway member Nf2 regulates inner cell mass/trophoderm specification. Cockburn, Katie; Biechele, Steffen (Uof Toronto, Canada); Garner, Jodi (Sickkids Research Inst, Canada); Rossant, Janet (U of Toronto, Canada)

487 B55 The biology of avian macrophages and their function in development. Garcia Morales, Carla; Balic, Adam; Garceau, Valerie; Sang, Helen; Hume, David (Roslin Inst. UK)

488 B56 Fgf and Bmp signaling in the third pharyngeal pouch may inhibit Shh signals during development. O'Neill, John; Babin, Virginia; Manley, Nancy (UGA- Athens, USA)

489 B57 New structural characteristics and segregated cell components revealed in sections of sea urchin eggs and embryos by antibodies to density gradient fractions from fertilized sea urchin eggs and to sperm vesicles. Sparling, Mary L. (Cal State-Northridge, USA)

490 B58 The hox gene lin-39 controls cell cycle progression during C. elegans vulval development. Roiz Lafuente, Daniel; Leu, Philipp; Hajnal, Alex (U of Zurich, Switzerland)

491 B59 The alternative splicing regulator tra2b is required for proper somitogenesis in Xenopus, and regulates splicing of a novel wnt11b splice form. Dichmann, Darwin; Harland, Richard (UC-Berkeley, USA)

492 B60 Examination of physiology and gene expression in great vessels of differing embryonic origin. Pfaltzgraff, Elise R. (Vanderbilt, USA)

493 B61 A network responsible for lineage segregation of lateral dermomyotome progenitors into myotomal and vascular fates. Applebaum, Mordechai (The Hebrew Univ of Jerusalem, Israel) Ben-Yair, Ruz; Harland, Richard (Massachusetts General Hospital, USA); Chaya, Kalcheim (The Hebrew Univ of Jerusalem, Israel)

494 B62 The Notch pathway promotes vascular cell fates of multipotent Pax3+ progenitors, in the somite. Mayeuf, Alícia; Lagha, Mounia; Danckaert, Anne; Relaix, Frédéric (Inst Pasteur, France); Vincent, Stéphane (IGBMC, France); Buckingham, Margaret (Inst Pasteur, France)

495 B63 Delineating the early molecular steps required for cardiac progenitor development in the zebrafish embryo. Newson, Ashish R. (U of Toronto, Canada, Scott, Ian (Hosp for Sick Children, Canada)

496 B64 Crosstalk between cell adhesion and cell fate specification during zebrafish gastrulation. Barone, Valentina; Heisenberg, Carl-Philipp (Institute of Science and Technology, Austria)

497 B65 Moved to short talk in Concurrent Session 5.3

Cell Migration and Guidance

498 B66 Interplay between chemical and mechanical guidance during collective cell migration. Garcia, Simon (Univ de Barcelona, Spain); Theveneau, Eric; Mayor, Roberto (University College London, UK); Trepat, Xavier (Univ de Barcelona, Spain)

499 B67 Genetic and Biophysical Constraints on Collective Cell Motility. Starz-Gaiano, Michelle; Manning, Lathiena; Peercy, Bradford (U Maryland-Baltimore, USA)

500 B68 TIMP-2 interacts with MT-1 MMP to modulate migration and invasion of MCF-7 cells independent of MMP inhibition. Cepeda, Mario; Willson, Jessica; Nieuwesteeg, Michelle; Damjanovski, Sashko (Western Univ, Canada)

501 B69 Analysis of the effects of TIMP-1 -2 and -3 N- and C-terminal domain overexpression during early Xenopus laevis development using immunohistochemistry. Nieuwesteeg, Michelle; Willson, Jessica; Cepeda, Mario; Damjanovski, Sashko (Western Univ, Canada)

502 B70 Analysis of RECK expression during Xenopus laevis development and its colocalization with MT1-MMP during neurulation. Willson, Jessica; Nieuwesteeg, Michelle; Cepeda, Mario; Damjanovski, Sashko (Western Univ, Canada)

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504 B72 The role of retinoic acid signaling in tectal laminar formation. Kukreja, Shweta (Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur, India)

505 B73 The role of DCC for mitral cell axon guidance in zebrafish. Horne, Jack; Sheth, Ruchi (Pace U, USA)

506 B74 The role of heparan sulphatransferase enzymes Hs2st and Hs6st1 in Corpus Callosum development. Clegg, James; Pratt, Thomas (U of Edinburgh, UK)
507 B75  *Slit1a* promotes axon-glial interations to facilitate post-optic commissure formation in zebrafish. Park, Jin Sook (Smith College, USA)

508 B76  The PCP factor Prickle1b and transcriptional repressor Rest function within facial branchiomotor neurons to regulate their migration during zebrafish development. Love, Crystal E. (U Chicago, USA); Sirotkin, Howard (Stony Brook, USA); Prince, Victoria (U Chicago, USA)

509 B77  Migration of Cajal-Retzius cells in the olfactory region of the developing telencephalon. Frade, Daniela; Varela-Echavarria, Alfredo (UNAM-Queretaro, Mexico)

510 B78  Neogenin/RGMa signaling may regulate polarized migration during neural convergent extension in *Danio rerio*. Olmo, Valerie; Jayachandran, Pradeepa; Brewster, Rachel (U MD-Baltimore, USA)

511 B79  Candidate modulators of tubulin and microtubule dynamics in *C. elegans* neural development. Baran, Renee; Kim, Hyun Su; Shayler, Dominic (Occidental College, USA)

512 B80  Live imaging of trunk neural crest cells in zebrafish reveals a role for Notch signalling. Richardson, Joanna; Linker, Claudia (King's College London, UK)

513 B81  Histone Deacetylase 9b is involved in neural crest development. Espina, Jaime A.; Barriga, Elias H.; Reyes, Ariel E. (Univ Andrés Bello, Chile)

514 B82  *Ric-8A* is required for the neural crest cell migration. Toro-Tapia, Gabriela; Fuentealba, Jaime; Rodriguez, Marion; Hinrichs, Maria Victoria; Olate, Juan; Marcellini, Sylvain; Torrejon, Marcela (Univ de Concepcion, Chile)

515 B83  Dynamic migratory behaviours of mouse sacral neural crest cells. Chan, Wood Yee; Chen, Jie-Lin; Wang, Xia (The Chinese Univ of Hong Kong, China); Enomoto, Hideki (RIKEN Center for Developmental Biology, Japan)

516 B84  *Rabconnectin-3a* regulates vesicle endocytosis and canonical Wnt signaling in zebrafish neural crest migration. Tuttle, Adam M.; Hoffman, Trevor; Schilling, Tom (UC-Irvine, USA)

517 B85  Hypoxia regulates neural crest migration by promoting chemotaxis and epithelial-to-mesenchymal-transition. Barriga, Elias (Univ Andres Bello, Chile); Maxwell, Patrick H. (University College of London, UK); Reyes, Ariel E (Univ Andrés, Santiago, Chile); Mayor, Roberto (University College of London, UK)

518 B86  Hox genes control migration in the lateral line primordium and regulate expression of chemokine receptors downstream of Wnt signalling. Xu, Qiling; Breaue, Marie A; Wilkinson, David G (MRC Nat Inst for Med Res, UK)

519 B87  Fgf signaling is required for proper cell convergence during pectoral limb bud formation. Stinnett, Haley K; Mao, Qiyan; Ho, Robert K (U Chicago, USA)

520 B88  Long-distance cell migrations during larval development in the appendicularian, *Oikopleura dioica*. Nishida, Hiroki; Kishi, Kanae; Onuma, Takeshi (Osaka U, Japan)

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522 B90  Identifying the link between Nodal signaling and cell migration within the cardiac cone. Rowland, Jessica R. (Princeton, USA)

Stem Cells

523 B91  *LifeMap Discovery™*: The embryonic development, stem cells, and regenerative medicine research compendium. Edgar, Ron; Mazor, Yaron; Rinon, Ariel; Blumenthal, Jacob; Golan, Yaron; Buzhor, Ella; Livnat, Idit; Ben-Ari, Shani; Lieder, Iris; Shitrit, Alina; Gilboa, Yaron; Edri, Osnat; Shraga, Netta; Leshansky, Lucy; Aharoni, Shlomi (LifeMap Sciences, Israel); Defin, David; Levin, Daniel; Aharoni, Shlomi; D. West, Michael (BioTime Inc., USA); Warshawsky, David; Irvin, Kate; Gardner, Andrew; Tootooian, Gary; Nunez, Jose; Littman, Dan; Blosser, Alan; Penney, John; Kirshman, Ronit (LifeMap Sciences, Israel)

524 B92  Induction of osteo-chondroprogenitors formation by transcription-factor mediated reprogramming process. Cheung, Martin; Wang, Yinxiang; Lu, Lorraine; Wu, Ming-Hoi; Sham, Mai-Har; Chan, Danny; Cheah, Kathryn (The University of Hong Kong, China)

525 B93  (-)-epicatechin-induced differentiation of human bone marrow mesenchymal stem cells to osteoblasts. Diaz, Hector; Parra, Alberto; Mera, Elvia; Salas, Jose L; Acevedo, Leonardo F; Benitez, Gamaliel; Caceres, Julio R; Najera, Nallely; Rubio, Angel I O; Palma, Icela; Ceballos, Guillermo M; Gutierrez, Gisela (Escuela Superior de Medicina, Mexico)

526 B94  PLZF: a master regulator of mesenchymal stem cell lineage commitment. Djouad, Farida; Tejedor, Gautier; Toupet, Karine; Maumus, Marie; Chuchana, Paul; Jorgensen, Christian; Noël, Danièle (INSERM, France)

527 B95  Evaluating of hematopoietic and mesenchymal stem cell markers during limb bud development. Camargo Sosa, Karen; Marin Llera, Jessica Cristina; Soldevila Melgarejo, Gloria; Chimal Monroy, Jesús (UNAM-Mexico City, Mexico)

528 B96  Defining the origins of the hemogenic endothelium, the source of hematopoietic stem cells. Naiche, L.A. Naiche (National Cancer Institute, USA); Klarmann, Kimberly; Keller, Jonathan (SAIC-Frederick National Lab, USA); Lewandoski, Mark (National Cancer Institute, USA)

529 B97  SOX2 is required for correct pituitary morphogenesis. Goldsmith, Sam; Rizzoti, Karine; Lovell-Badge, Robin (MRC NIMR, UK)

530 B98  The MADS protein XAANTAL (XAL2/AGL14) is required to control auxin transport via direct PIN regulation during Arabidopsis root development. Garay, Adriana; Ortiz-Moreno, Enrique; Sánchez, María de la Paz (UNAM, Mexico); Murphy, Angus S. (Purdue, USA); Marsch-Martinez, Nayelli; de Folter, Stefan (CINVESTAV-Langebio, Mexico); García-Ponce, Berenice; Corvera-Poiré, Adriana; Jaimes-Miranda, Fabiola; Pacheco-Escobedo, Mario A.
A protein network controls protective quiescence in the Arabidopsis root stem cell organizer. Cruz Ramírez, Luis Alfredo (Université de Liège, Belgium); Diaz Trivino, Sara; Wachsman, Guy; Du, Yujuan (Wageningen University, Netherlands); Arteaga-Vazquez, Mario (Universidad Veracruzana, Mexico); Zhang, Hongtao; Blilou, Ikram (Wageningen University, Netherlands); Chandler, Vicky (University of Arizona, USA); Scheres, Ben (Wageningen University, Netherlands)

Intestinal stem cell dynamics in induced human intestinal organoids. Finkbeiner, Stacy; Rockich, Briana (University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA); Vallance, Jeff; Shroyer, Noah (Cincinnati Children's Hospital, USA); Spence, Jason (University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA)

Totipotent embryonic stem cells arise in ground state culture conditions. Morgani, Sophie (DanStem Center, Denmark); Canham, Maurice (MRC Regenerative Medicine, UK); Nicholas, Jennifer (Wellcome Trust Centre for Stem Cell Research, UK); Sharov, Alexei (NIA/NIH, USA); Miguel, Rui (MRC Regenerative Medicine, UK); Ko, Minoru (Keio University, Japan); Brickman, Joshua (DanStem Center, Denmark)

Cell fate decisions regulating stem cell origins during preimplantation mouse development. Ralston, Amy (UC-Santa Cruz, USA)

Cell competition in the mammalian epiblast selects cells with higher Mhc levels. Claveria, Cristina; Giovinazzo, Giovanna; Sierra, Rocio; Torres, Miguel (Spanish National Centre for Cardiovascular Research (CNIC, Spain)

The study of the first heart field cardiac progenitor cells via ES cell derivation. Kokkinopoulou, Ioannis; Saba, Rie; Ishida, Hidekazu (Queen Mary University of London, UK); Hamada, Hiroshi (Osaka University, Japan); Suzuki, Ken; Yashiro, Kentaro (Queen Mary University of London, UK)

Single-Cell CNA analyses of embryonic cardiac progenitor cells. Yashiro, Kentaro; Kokkinopoulou, Ioannis; Saba, Rie; Ishida, Hidekazu (Queen Mary University of London, UK); Saga, Yumiko (National Institute of Genetics, Japan); Azuma-Kanai, Masami (Tokyo Medical and Dental University, Japan); Kitajima, Keiko; Mino, Chikara (Kyusyu University, Japan); Kanai, Yoshiaki (The University of Tokyo, Japan); Koopman, Peter (The University of Queensland, Australia); Hamada, Hiroshi (Osaka University, Japan); Suzuki, Ken (Queen Mary University of London, UK)

A novel somatic role of Piwi in the central nervous system of the ascidian Ciona intestinalis. Shimai, Kotaro (Konan University, Japan); Horie, Takeo (University of Tsukuba, Japan); Nishi, Masaki; Koki (Okayama University, Japan); Shirae-Kurabayashi, Haki; Nakamura, Akira (RIKEN CDB, Japan); Kusakabe, Rie (Kobe University, Japan); Nakai, Kota (The University of Tokyo, Japan); Inoue, Kunio (Kobe University, Japan); Kusakabe, Takehiro (Konan University, Japan)

Investigating the role of Sox9 in human neural stem cells. Hui, Man Ning; Wu, Ming Hoi; Chan, Ken Kwok-Keung; Cheung, Martin (The University of Hong Kong, China)

Gene expression and functional analysis indicate that taurine affects the proliferation and survival pathways of neural precursor cells. Ramos-Mandujano, Gerardo; Hernández-Benítez, Reyna; López-Guzmán, Karla; Pasantes-Pérez, Giovanna; Sierra, Rocío; Coolen, Marion (CNRS, Gif-sur-Yvette, France); Chen, Wenbiao (Harvard School of Medicine, USA)

Spatial and temporal heterogeneity in the formation of adult pallial neural stem cells in the zebrafish telencephalon. Dirian, Lar; Galant, Sonya; Coolen, Marion (CNRS, Gif-sur-Yvette, France); Shen, Wenbiao (University of Nashville, USA); Mosimann, Christian (Harvard School of Medicine, USA); Houart, Corinne (King’s College London, UK); Bally-Cuif, Laure; Foucher, Isabelle (CNRS, Gif-sur-Yvette, France)

Investigating the role of Plzf in neural progenitors. Constable, Sean; Wilkinson, David (National Institute for Medical Research, UK)

Transcription Factor Sox11 Is Essential for both Embryonic and Adult Neurogenesis. Lei, Lei (University of New England, USA)

Expression of histamine receptors during midbrain development of rat embryos. Vargas Romero, Fernando; Escobedo Avila, Itzel; Velasco Velazquez, Ivan (UNAM, Mexico)

Characterization of medulloblastoma and glioblastoma variants with molecular markers of neural stem cells. Toledo Hernández, Diana; Ponce Regalado, María Dolores; Lira Díaz, Eduardo; Stephenson Giusiny, Tania; Esquivel Estudillo, Joel; Jaimes Jiménez, Venus Deyanira; Tenorio Mina, Andrea (UNAM, Mexico); Rembao Bojórquez, Jesús Daniel (UNAM, Mexico); Ocampo Roosens, Valentín; Martínez, Patricia (UNAM, Mexico); Pérez González, Oscar A. (UNAM, Mexico); Galvez Molina, Yolanda; Contreras Sepúlveda, Esteban; Brand, Andrea (University of Cambridge, UK)
Kif11 dependent cell cycle progression in radial glial cells is required for proper neurogenesis in the zebrafish neural tube. Johnson, Kimberly A. (U Mass Amherst, USA); Moriarty, Chelsea; Tania, Nessy; Orman, Alissa; DiPietrantonio, Kristina; Edens, Brittany; Eisenman, Jean; Ok Deborah; Krikorian, Sarah; Gole, Christophe; Barresi, Michael (Smith College, USA)

Systems Approaches

Evolutionarily repurposed networks reveal the well-known antifungal drug Triabendazole to be a novel vascular disrupting agent and it acts through Microtubule-associated Proteins. Cha, Hye Ji; Byrom, Michelle (UT-Austin, USA); Mead, Paul (St Jude Children’s Res Hosp, USA); Ellington, Andrew; Wallingford, John;Marcotte, Edward (UT- Austin, USA)

Hyperexcitability and exaggerated activation of hypoglossal motorneurons in 22q11DS neonatal mice. Wang, Xin; Popratiloff, Anastas; Maynard, Thomas; Moody, Sally; LaMantia, Anthony; Mendelowitz, David Mendelowitz (George Washington U, USA)

Mathematical Modeling Approaches

Modeling and computation of tissue growth driven by stem cell niches. Figueroa, Seth Amin; Ovadia, Jeremy; Nie, Qing (UC-Irvine, USA)

A new landmark-independent tool for assessing and quantifying morphologic change and phenotypic variation. Rolfe, Sara; Cox, Liza; Camci, Esra; Fu, Tina; Shapiro, Linda (U Washington, USA)

The inverted cistern: a model for dorsal-ventral specification in the developing mouse limb. Arques, Carlos G; Torres, Miguel (Spanish National Centre for Cardiovascular Research, Spain)

Modeling somitogenesis with and without a clock. Belmonte, Julio M. (Indiana U-Bloomington, USA); Dias, Ana (University College London, UK); Susan, Hester (U of Arizona, USA); Clendenon, Sherry; Gent, Scott (Indiana U-Bloomington, USA); Stern, Claudio (Univ Coll London, UK); Glazier, James (Indiana U- Bloomington, USA)

A Boolean network model for human sex determination. Rios Vargas, Osiris Yuriko; Torres Maldonado, Leda Carolina (Ins Nac de Pediatría, Mexico); Mendoza Sierra, Luis Antonio (UNAM, Mexico); Rodriguez Gómez, Alfredo; Frias Vázquez, Sara (Inst Nac de Pediatría, Mexico)

The Cellular Potts Model for the spatio-temporal modelling of the root stem cell niche of Arabidopsis thaliana. García Gomez, Monica Lisette; Azpeitia, Eugenio; Martinez, Juan Carlos; R. Alvarez-Buylla, Elena (UNAM, Mexico)

Interactions between physical and molecular aspects during Arabidopsis thaliana root patterning. Hernández-Hernández, Valeria (UNAM-Veracruz, Mexico); Barrio, Rafael; Garay, Adriana; Benitez, Mariana (UNAM, Mexico)

Dynamic network model of cell cycle control in Arabidopsis thaliana. Ortiz-Gutiérrez, Elizabeth; García Cruz, Karla Verónica; Castillo Jiménez, Aarón; Sánchez Jiménez, Ma de la Paz; Álvarez-Buylla, Elena (UNAM, Mexico)

Cell Adhesion and Polarity

Rab23 is a novel regulator of epithelial morphogenesis, polarity and lumen formation. Gual Soler, Maria Margarita (Institute for Molecular Bioscience, Australia)

Characterization of Combover/CG10732, a novel Drosophila Rho kinase substrate and its potential role in planar cell polarity signaling. Fagan, Jeremy K. (Albert Einstein Coll Med, USA); Lu, Quiheng; Adler, Paul (U Virginia, USA); Jenny, Andreas (Albert Einstein Coll Med, USA)

Lens placode apical actin network: the role of PAR3 and ROCK. Melo, Maraysa de Oliveira; Borges, Ricardo; Yan, Chao (Univ de São Paulo, Brazil)

ADAM10 and ADAM19 proteolytically process Cadherin6B during epithelial-to-mesenchymal transitions of the cranial neural crest. Schiffmann, Andrew T.; Taneyhill, Lisa (U Maryland, USA)

Ephrin signaling maintains apical adhesion of neural progenitors. Davy, Alice; Arvanitis, Dina (CBD, France); Behar, Annie (IPBS, France); Tryoen-Toth, Petra (INCI, France); Bush, Jeff (UCSF, USA); Jungas, Thomas (CBD, France); Vitale, Nicolas (INCI, France)

The regulation of epithelial cell adhesive forces by the MID1/Alpha4/PP2Ac complex and its implications for cleft lip susceptibility. Cox, Timothy C. (U Washington, USA); Huang, Yongzhao; Koto, Cathy (Seattle Children's Res Inst, USA)

A novel RIPK4 - IRF6 connection is required to prevent cadherin-mediated epithelial fusions characteristic for popliteal pterygium syndromes. Vleminckx, Kris; De Groote, Philippe; Tran, Hong Thi; Fransen, Mathias; Rosselet, Corinne; Tanghe, Giel; Vandenabeele, Peter; Lippens, Saskia; Declercq, Wim (Ghent University, Belgium)

Quantitative analysis of cell arrangement indicates the early differentiation of neural region during Xenopus
Senescence, Apoptosis and Death

571 B139 The lack of catalase is not essential for mouse development but alters glucose and lipid metabolism in the adult. Perez Estrada, Jose Raul; Cuevas-Benitez, Osiris; Hernández-García, David; Covarrubias, Luis (UNAM-Cuernavaca, Mexico)

266 B140 Genomic differences between spontaneously aborted fetuses and live-born patients with trisomy 21. Torres, Leda; de Robles, Ximena; Sanchez, Silvia; del Castillo, Victoria (Instituto Nacional de Pediatría, Mexico); Orozco, Lorena; Carnevale, Alessandra (Instituto Nacional de Medicina Genómica, Mexico); Grether, Patricia (Instituto Nacional de Pediatría, Mexico); Mayen, Dora Gilda (Hospital Angeles Lomas, Mexico); Frias, Sara (Instituto Nacional de Pediatría/Instituto de Investigaciones Biomédicas, UNAM, Mexico)

573 B141 Fluoride induces apoptosis in Sertoli cells in vitro. Erkan, Melike (Istanbul Univ, Turkey)

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LASDB Award: Roberto Mayor, University College London, London, United Kingdom
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- **Southwest**: Postdoc – Jonathon Hill, University of Utah
  Student – Allyson Merrell, University of Utah
- **Northeast**: Student – Laura Jacox, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
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