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• **Presidential Symposium**

• **Plenary Sessions**

- Regulation of Cell Proliferation and Size Control
- Migration and Guidance
- Stem Cells in Development and Medicine

• **Concurrent Symposia**

- From Neuron to Brain
- Development and Evolution
- Molecular Mechanisms of Cell-Cell Signaling
- Long Range Signaling and Morphogen Gradients
- Asymmetry: From Cell to Organisms
- Regeneration
- Integrating Signals
- Organogenesis
- Life and Death as Means of Patterning
- Sex and the Genome
- Gene Regulation-RNA
- From Synapse to Behavior

• **Workshops**

- Imaging and Cell Marking
- Genomics / Proteomics

• **Panel Discussion**

- Stem Cells and Cloning

• **Special Interest Sessions**

- Funding Opportunities for International Collaborations
- NIH Stem Cell Task Force and Sponsored Activities
- Special Interest Programs at the NIH

• **Poster Sessions with Commercial Exhibits**

• **E.G. Conklin Medal Lecture - TBA**

• **Lifetime Achievement Award - TBA**

• **Viktor Hamburger Outstanding Educator Prize**
Lewis Wolpert

• **Confirmed Speakers**

Silvia Arber * Bonnie Bartel * Phil Beachy * Philip Benfey * Nissim Benvenisty * Sydney Brenner * Vivian Budnik * Steven Burden * Sean Carroll * Fred Chang * Frederic Charron * Stephen Cohen * Eddy De Robertis * Peter Devreotes * Denis Duboule * Catherine Dulac * Matthew Freeman * Liz Gavis * Pierre Gonczy * Marcos Gonzalez-Gaitan * Iswar Hariharan * Brigid Hogan * Martin Hulskamp * Craig Hunter * Yuh Nung Jan * Thomas Jessell * Eric Kandel * Cynthia Kenyon * Judith Kimble * Marc Kirschner * Mitzi Kuroda * Jeannie T. Lee * Se-Jin Lee * Richard Losick * Andy McMahon * Doug Melton * Barbara Meyer * Gero Miesenboeck * Denise Montell * Lee Niswander * Erez Raz * Liz Robertson * Janet Rossant * Gary Ruvkun * Alejandro Sanchez-Alvarado * Neelima Sinha * Alex Schier * Claudio Stern * Stephen Strittmatter * Cliff Tabin * Joseph Takahashi * Hiroyuki Takeda * Masatoshi Takeichi * Patrick Tam * Elly Tanaka * George Thomas * Brant Weinstein * Kevin White * Kristin White * Lewis Wolpert * Hong Wu * Debbie Yelon * Phil Zamore * David Zarkower

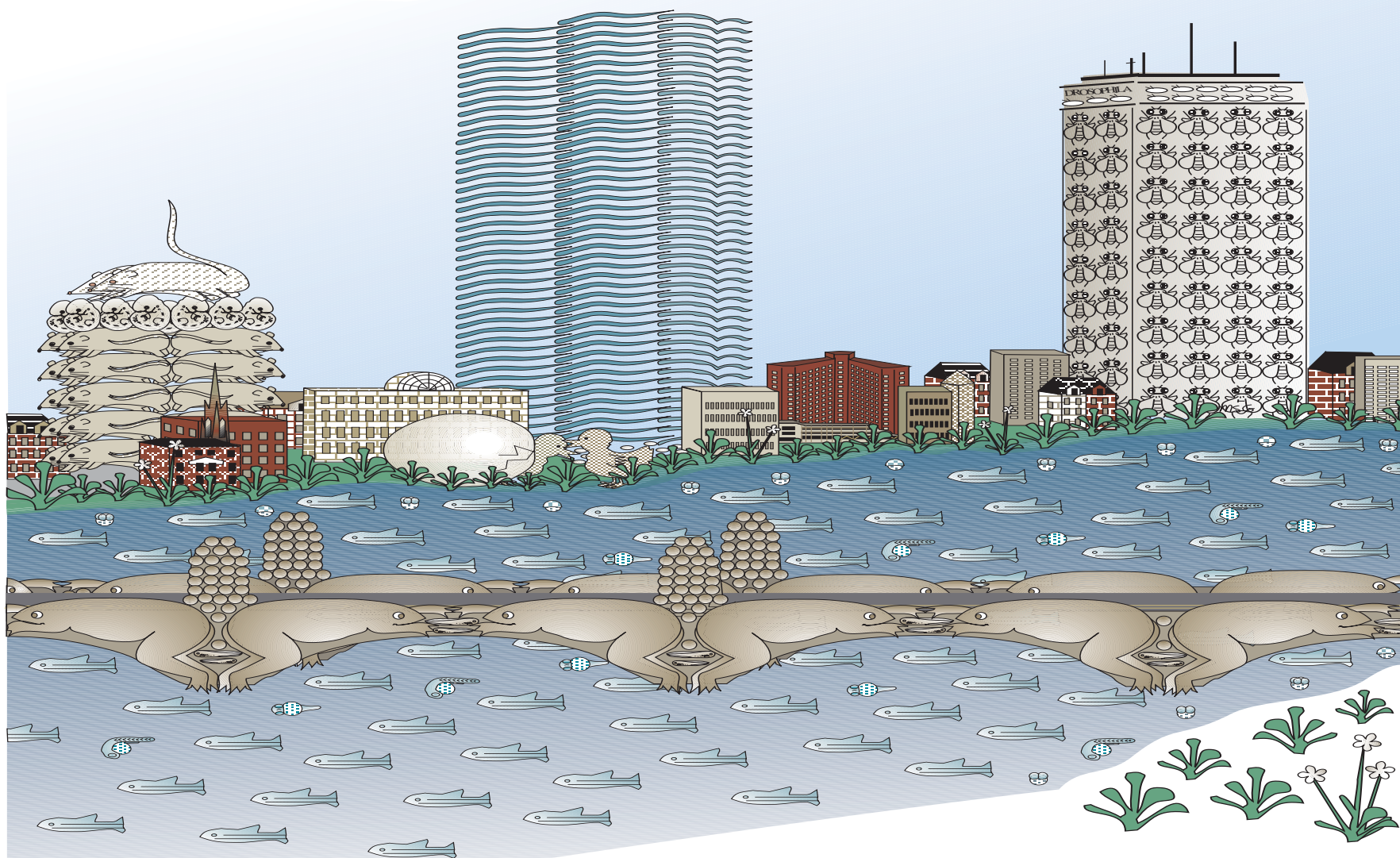
• **Additional speakers will be selected from submitted abstracts**

• **Best Poster Competition for SDB Student Members**

• **Travel Awards for SDB Student and Postdoctoral Members**

• **Latin American and Caribbean Scholarships for Students and Faculty**

Abstract Receipt Deadline - March 31, 2003



Electronic abstract submission, meeting registration and program updates: <http://www.sdbonline.org>

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