"ACADEMICIAN NICOLAE CAJAL" SYMPOSIUM

VIROLOGY AND MOLECULAR MEDICINE
GENOMICS, MOLECULAR AND CELLULAR BIOLOGY

HOTEL HOWARD JOHNSON, BUCHAREST
MARCH 27 - 29, 2013

INVITED SPEAKERS
Prof. Bin Tean Teh - SINGAPORE
Prof. Andrew Zhu - USA
Prof. Dan. G. Duda - USA
Dr. Florin Selaru - USA
Prof. Stefan Constantinescu - BRUSSELES
Dr. Pascal Pinneau - FRANCE
etc..

LOW REGISTRATION FEE DEADLINE: MARCH 11
Dear colleagues,

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, I welcome you to the VIII-th edition of the “Acad. Nicolae Cajal” Symposium, which will be held during March 27-29, 2013 in Bucharest. The themes for the Symposium “Virology and Translational Medicine” will be presented by selected international and national experts.

Our international speakers: Prof. Bin Tean Teh - Singapore, Prof. Dan. G. Duda - USA, Dr. Florin Selaru - USA, Prof. Stefan Constantinescu – Brussel are leading scientists working in the field of cancer research. Translational Medicine in Oncology and regenerative therapy, development of tumor biology and cancer genomic studies is a rapidly developing domain. Recent developments in the field of “omics” technologies in digestive cancer, diabetes and their translation to clinical practice will be addressed.

This Symposium intends to bring together medical scientists, doctors, to exchange views and strengthen collaboration. During the last editions of the “Cajal Symposium”, international networks and research collaboration was established. I encourage young scientists to use this Symposium as a meeting place to assemble their research interest groups. Therefore, the invitation to participate is addressed, as always, mainly to young scientists and, particularly, to the medical students.

I hope that you will find the “Cajal Symposium” 2013 scientific program valuable, We look forward to welcoming you to this event.

Irina CAJAL MARIN - President of Academician Nicolae Cajal Foundation.

The Cajal Foundation, created in 2004 by Irina Cajal, the daughter of renowned physician, professor and enlightened statesman Nicolae Cajal (1919-2004), supports the biomedical research toward conquering disease, improving human health and extending life. It does sustain select initiatives that raise awareness of medical discoveries and their benefits to basic and clinical research. As in previous years, The “Academician Nicolae Cajal” Symposium will be organized between March 27-29, 2013 in Bucharest. This year the goal of the Symposium will be to develop a highly effective platform to build up the existing relationships between medical laboratory scientists and clinical practitioners. The symposium is a leader in promoting new prophylactic strategies and treatment recommendation addressing a broad range of infectious diseases and virus induced cancers. The meeting will attract specialists working across sectors and across geographies because we recognize that real progress against the disease depends on a level of international collaboration. The lectures and posters abstracts will be published in PROCEEDINGS OF THE ROMANIAN ACADEMY Series B: Chemistry, Life Sciences and Geosciences. We welcome your participation at the meeting.

Prof. Costin Cernescu - President of the Symposium
SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

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THEMATICS

VIROLOGY AND MOLECULAR MEDICINE
MEDICINE AND TRANSLATIONAL RESEARCH (Genomics, Molecular & Cell Biology)

HERBERT BERLER BARBU AWARDS

Herbert Berler was born in 1915 in Viena and attended the law school at Cernauti University. With a great passion in the science, Herbert Berler felt the importance of Genetics, Immunogenetics and Molecular Biology and developed the outsider's vision with some of the greatest creators of school in Romania, among them Nicolae Cajal, at that time the co-founder of the Institute for Infra-Micro-Biology. The “Academician Nicolae Cajal” Foundation represents today the right forum to promote scientific talent, providing awards in the memory of Herbert Berler, as initiated by the family. The three awards (800 eur, 400 eur, 300 eur) are meant for young and ambitious researchers that have the potential for significant contributions in the scientific fields they represent.

THE AWARD COMMISSION: Dr. Adrian Barbu, Dr. Dorel Iordanescu, Dr. Dana Safta, Prof. Irinel Popescu, Prof. Costin Cemescu and all the winners Dr. Lucian Petru Jiga - 2008, Dr. Chivu Mihaela - 2009, Dr. Iacob Razvan - 2010, Dr. Mariela Lupu - 2010, Dr. Anca Botezatu - 2011, Dr. Florin Iordache - 2011, Dr. Eugen Andrei - 2011, Dr. Dana Cucu - 2012 etc. The complete list will be presented in the final program.

INFO AND REGISTRATION

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Please send the abstracts of your papers until March 11, 2013 at the latest, in electronic format at events@trima.ro. Papers will be selected for oral or poster presentations.

Please mention if the abstracts are for Virology session or Translational Medicine session.

ATTENTION: Please make sure you registered to the event and payed the registration fee before sending the abstract. If not, the papers will remain unpublished.

INSTRUCTIONS: Title in capital letters, presenter underlined, abstract no more than 300 words, all abbreviations must be explained, the content needs to follow the format introduction, material, method and results, no graphics or tables.

The abstracts will be edited in English.

Presentations will be done in English or in Romanian with all slides in English.

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The registration fee to the Symposium includes: the bag, access to all scientific sessions and to all social events, the attendance certificate and can be payed by post, bank or cash at - Șos. Virtuții, nr. 20, bl S35, sc. 1, a pt. 9, București - 6, zona Militari.

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