# MOLECULAR MECHANISMS OF EXOCYTOSIS & ENDOCYTOSIS 8<sup>TH</sup> JUNIOR ACADEMICS MEETING 3<sup>RD</sup>-5<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2011, EDINBURGH

# **SUNDAY 3RD APRIL**

12.30pm Registration, HRB Reception

**1.30pm** Opening Remarks (Luke Chamberlain)

## 1.45-5.55pm SOCIETY FOR ENDOCRINOLGY SPONSORED SEMINARS

#### Session 1, HRB Lecture Theatre, Chair: Iain Robinson

**1.45pm** Giselle Cheung (Edinburgh) ISN

"Endocytosis and specific synaptic vesicle pool replenishment"

**2.25pm** Stéphane Ory (Strasbourg) SFE

"Secretory granule membrane is selectively recaptured after full fusion:

role of scramblase?"

**3.05pm** Alexander Walter (Amsterdam) SFE

"A sequential secretion model with a single Ca-sensor explains

heterogeneity in release kinetics"

**3.45pm** Coffee/tea break in HRB Library

# Session 2, HRB Lecture Theatre, Chair: Mike Cousin

**4.15pm** Filipe Ferreira (Sheffield) SFE

"Phosphorylation of clathrin light chain regulates endocytosis"

4.55pm Plenary Talk

Sandra Schmid (Scripps) SFE

"A dual role for Dynamin in Clathrin-mediated endocytosis"

**5.55pm** Poster session and welcome reception in HRB Library

**7.45pm** Speakers' dinner at Hotel du Vin (main speakers only)

#### **MONDAY 4TH APRIL**

# Session 1, HRB Lecture Theatre, Chair: Rory Duncan

**9.00 am** Short talk selected from submitted abstracts

Olexiy Kochubey (Lausanne) IUBMB

"Synaptotagmin2 (Syt2) and non-Syt2 Ca2+-sensors in the control of

transmitter release at the calyx of Held synapse"

**9.15 am** Short talk selected from submitted abstracts

Katarzyna Miśkiewicz (Leuven) IUBMB

"Elongator Protein 3 restricts active zone size by acetylating Bruchpilot"

**9.30am** James Johnson (Liverpool) ISN

"Analysis of Cysteine String Protein function in C. elegans"

**10.10am** Esra Demircioglu (Göttingen) IUBMB

"Understanding SNARE regulation via SM proteins: insights from Sly1p/

Sed5p interaction"

**10.50-11.15** Coffee/tea break in HRB Library

# Session 2, HRB Lecture Theatre, Chair: Luke Chamberlain

**11.15am** Hélia Neto (Glasgow) ISN

"The role of the Exocyst in cytokinesis"

**11.55am** Andrew Peden (Cambridge) ISN

"Insights into constitutive secretion from a SNARE specific siRNA screen"

**12.35pm** Ralf Mohrmann (Saarland) IUBMB

"Fast vesicle fusion: All good things come in threes"

**1.15pm** Lunch in HRB Library

### Session 3, HRB Lecture Theatre, Chair: David Apps

**2.15pm** Emanuel Boucrot (Cambridge) ISN

"A new pathway of fast endocytosis"

2.55pm Ayal Lavi (Tel Aviv) IUBMB

"From Neuron to Network: The Role of DOC2B in Late-Burst Activity"

**3.35pm** Coffee/tea break in HRB Library

# Session 4, HRB Lecture Theatre, Chair: Iain Robinson

**4.00pm** Short talk selected from submitted abstracts

Declan James (Madison) IUBMB

"Getting ready for exocytosis – Role of the priming protein CAPS in

membrane fusion"

**4.15pm** Short talk selected from submitted abstracts

Arndt Pechstein (Stockholm) IUBMB

"A novel intersectin 1-mediated mechanism regulates synapsin I-dependent

synaptic vesicle clustering"

**4.30 pm** Short talk selected from submitted abstracts

Benoît Hastoy (Bordeaux) IUBMB

"Dynamics of the transmembrane domain of Synaptobrevin in exocytosis"

**4.45 pm** Short talk selected from submitted abstracts

Anna Korniejewska (Liverpool)

"Characterisation of adaptor proteins for Clathrin-mediated synaptic

vesicle endocytosis"

5.00pm Plenary Talk

Giampietro Schiavo (London) ISN

"Axonal transport: from in vitro screens to real time in vivo assays"

**6.00pm** Poster session in HRB Library

**7.30pm** Conference dinner at The Debating Hall, Teviot Row House (all

delegates)

# **Tuesday 5th April**

# Session 1, HRB Lecture Theatre, Chair: Rolly Wiegand

**9.00 am** Short talk selected from submitted abstracts

Marieke Meijer (Ámsterdam) IUBMB

"Munc18-1 mutations that abolish binding to Syntaxin1a N-peptide and assembled SNARE-complexes support normal synaptic transmisión"

**9.15 am** Short talk selected from submitted abstracts

Annette Denker (Göttingen) IUBMB

"Investigation of synaptic vesicle recycling in living animals"

**9.30am** Holger Taschenberger (Göttingen) IUBMB

"Presynaptic Ca<sup>2+</sup> influx and vesicle exocytosis at endbulb of Held

terminals"

**10.10am** Anna Fejtova (Magdeberg) IUBMB

"Molecular mechanism governing adaptive synaptic plasticity: presynapse

in focus"

**10.50am** Tea/coffee break in HRB Library

### Session 2, HRB Lecture Theatre, Chair: Mike Cousin

**11.10am** Christien Merrifield (Cambridge) ISN

"Single scission-event analysis of ligand triggered GPCR endocytosis"

**11.50am** Natalia Kononenko (Berlin) IUBMB

"Cargo-specific sorting of synaptic vesicle proteins at central synapses

mediated by stonin 2 in vivo."

**12.30pm** Closing remarks (Iain Robinson)

**12.40pm** Lunch and farewell in HRB Library

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