



SRB & RCRH Pre-Conference TGF β Workshop

A workshop will be held from 9:30am – 2:30pm on Sunday 23rd August at the RCRH, University of Adelaide, immediately prior to the main SRB/ESA conference. The purpose of this workshop is to bring together **SRB and ESA members** who study TGF β superfamily biology in reproduction and disease.

The key objectives are:

- (1) Provide the opportunity for scientists conducting basic and clinical research in TGF β biology to learn about and compare key techniques, reagents and experimental approaches.
- (2) Identify common needs for expansion of technical expertise and reagents to promote best practice and cutting edge science in our field.
- (3) Enhance interactions between SRB and ESA delegates, including trainees.

Format:

The workshop is intended to have three sessions broadly covering:

- Signalling and Structure
- Reproduction
- Disease

This workshop will involve 10 min presentations + 5 mins of questions/discussion. There is no set format for presentations; speakers are free to present results, overviews, concepts and ideas, technical issues/difficulties, etc., in the field of TGF β superfamily biology.

Prospective Speakers:

Workshop delegates wishing to present are invited to submit the title of their presentation and a very brief outline of the format and topic to be covered to Kate Loveland:

Kate.Loveland@med.monash.edu.au. No abstract is required. A total of 16 submissions will be selected for presentation to cover the various topics of the workshop, in a number of different formats. To achieve the highest degree of integration for this field, we will produce a list of participants that includes contact details and area(s) of specialisation.

Registration:

Registration is free. SRB have generously sponsored morning tea/coffee and a light lunch. To register e-mail robert.gilchrist@adelaide.edu.au

Location:

Seminar Room, Level 2, Medical School North, Frome Road, RCRH, Robinson Institute, University of Adelaide (15 min walk from the Convention Centre)

Workshop Organisers:

A/Prof Kate Loveland & Dr Robert Gilchrist