

**19th INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM  
ON REGULATORY PEPTIDES  
20-23 August 2012, Copenhagen, Denmark**

**Scientific Programme**

**Main topics:** Cardiovascular physiology and disease  
Neuroendocrine tumors  
Biosynthesis and peptidomics  
Obesity and nutrition  
Gut physiology and disease  
Diabetes and metabolism  
Evolutionary genomics  
Peptides in clinical measurement  
Chronobiology and CNS

**Invited speakers:**

Donald F. Steiner	USA
John Burnett Jr,	USA
Jean Claude Reubi	Switzerland
Iris Lindberg	USA
Stephen Bloom	United Kingdom
Fiona Gribble	United Kingdom
Jens J. Holst	Denmark
Jens F. Rehfeld	Denmark
Nancy Sherwood	Canada
Nils Morgenthaler	Germany
Hugh Piggins	United Kingdom
Arne Astrup	Denmark

**Preliminary programme:**

	<b>Monday 20</b>	<b>Tuesday 21</b>	<b>Wednesday 22</b>	<b>Thursday 23</b>
Morning (9-10.30, 11-12.00)		Neuroendocrine tumors	Diabetes and metabolism	Cardiovascular physiology and disease
Lunch (12.00-13.30)				
Afternoon I		Evolutionary	Gut physiology	Biosynthesis

(13.30-15.00)		genomics	and disease	and peptidomics
Afternoon II 15.30-17.00		Peptides in clinical measurement	Chronobiology and CNS	Obesity and nutrition
Evening arrangement (19.00)	Get-together at LIFE	Free evening in Copenhagen	Formal dinner	

### Monday 20:

Afternoon: Registration and setting up the exhibition  
 Evening: Get-together at LIFE

### Tuesday 21:

08.00 – 10.00 Registration  
 09.00 – 10.30 Plenary I  
 10.30 – 11.00 Coffee break and exhibition  
 11.00 – 12.00 Plenary II  
 12.00 – 13.30 Lunch and posters  
 13.30 – 15.00 Plenary III  
 15.00 – 15.30 Coffee break and exhibition  
 15.30 – 17.00 Plenary IV

### Wednesday 22:

08.30 – 10.00 Registration  
 09.00 – 10.30 Plenary V  
 10.30 – 11.00 Coffee break and exhibition  
 11.00 – 12.00 Plenary VI  
 12.00 – 13.30 Lunch and posters  
 13.30 – 15.00 Plenary VII  
 15.00 – 15.30 Coffee break and exhibition  
 15.30 – 17.00 Plenary VIII

Evening: Formal dinner

### Thursday 23:

08.30 – 09.00 Registration

09.00 – 10.30	Plenary IX
10.30 – 11.00	Coffee break and exhibition
11.00 – 12.00	Plenary X
12.00 – 13.30	Lunch and posters
13.30 – 15.00	Plenary XI
15.00 – 15.30	Coffee break and exhibition
15.30 – 17.00	Plenary XII
17.00 – 17.30	Closing the symposium and presentation of the next meeting

### **Abstract submission:**

It is possible to submit abstracts for poster or oral presentations at the symposium. The scientific committee will review all submitted abstracts, and notification on whether the abstract is accepted or rejected will be sent to the presenting author in late April 2012. All accepted abstracts will be selected for either oral presentation or as a poster. Only online submission is possible. Abstracts sent by fax or paper-copies will not be evaluated. Please read the guidelines carefully before submission. **The deadline for submission of abstracts is 23 March 2012.** Guidelines and abstract form will be ready in January 2012 and placed on the RegPep website.

### **Publication:**

Selected abstracts will be published in *Regulatory Peptides*. Abstracts received after the deadline listed above will NOT be published. All registered delegates will receive a copy of the journal when they register at the symposium venue.

### **Awards:**

The local committee is working on awards for ambitious young researchers. Young investigators will be defined as PhD students or researchers in a post doc position ( $\leq$  age 40 years). Please mark the appropriate box when submitting the abstract, indicating whether the abstract should be included for award evaluation and presented by the PhD student or post doc researcher. We aim for a prize for the best posters and the best oral presentations. The prizes will be awarded at the end of the symposium.

### **Poster sessions:**

Posters will be placed in the Marble Hall, where lunch is also served. The intention is that delegates use the breaks to study the accepted posters.