Cardiovascular Seminar Series 2018

It is with great pleasure that I can announce the speakers, times and dates for the Cardiovascular Seminar Series 2018. I would like to thank everyone for their suggestions, and those that were not chosen will be considered next year.

Please clear your calendars at the following times. Please also circulate this to all your group members so they can clear their calendars at the given times.

Email reminders and more information will be circulated prior to each seminar.

All seminars will be held on the 15th floor of the Mærsk Tower, room 92.

5th April 14:00-15:00: Prof. David Eisner; BHF Professor of Cardiac Physiology; University of Manchester
  Title - Calcium in the heart: going up and coming down; Chair – Thomas Jepps

19th April, 14:00-15:00: Prof. Ana Maria Gomez; Professor of Physiology at the Department of Clinical Sciences in Malmö and coordinator of LUDC (Lund University Diabetes Centre); Lund University.
  Title – Calcium signaling in cardiovascular pathophysiology; Chair – Morten Thomsen

3rd May, 9:30 – 10:30: Prof. Sanjay Sharma; Professor of Cardiology and Lead for the Inherited Cardiomyopathies and Sports Cardiology Unit; St. George’s University of London.
  Title – Sudden cardiac death in athletes; Chair – Iain Greenwood

27th September, 14:00-15:00: Dr. Halina Dobrzynski; Senior Lecturer in Cardiac Biology; University of Manchester.
  Title – To be confirmed; Chair – Thomas Jespersen

11th October, 14:00-15:00: Prof. Didier Stainier; Director and Scientific Member at the Max Planck Institute for Heart and Lung Research; Max Planck Institute.
  Title – Development of cardiovascular form and function in zebrafish; Chair – Pia Lundegaard

25th October, 14:00-15:00: Prof. John Chapman; Research Professor at the University of Pierre and Marie Curie, Director Emeritus of the Dyslipidemia and Atherosclerosis Research Unit, National Institute for Health and Medical Research (INSERM), at the Pitié-Salpêtrière University Hospital in Paris, France.
  Title – Plasma lipoproteins, therapeutics and atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease: new insights from lipidomics; Chair – Michael Davies

Organising Committee: Thomas Jepps, Thomas Jespersen, Morten Olesen, Morten Schak.
Format
The speakers have been carefully selected to cover a broad range of cardiovascular research, from calcium handling in the heart, sports cardiology and atrial fibrillation to vascular remodeling and atherosclerosis.

The speakers all agreed to have a programme made to discuss different projects with various students and group leaders individually. If you or one of your lab members wish to meet with a particular speaker please email tjepps@sund.ku.dk with the chair also cc'd.

The presentations will be approx. 45 mins long, with time afterwards for questions and discussions.

This seminar series will also be run as a PhD course, with 1.4 ECTS points available to students who attend all seminars and meet with at least 2 speakers over the course of the year to discuss their projects. A speaker-student luncheon will also be held for each speaker. The advertisement will appear soon on the PhD school website. Please encourage your students to register.

Group leaders should strongly encourage all lab members to attend these symposia. A group effort on this scale will make this seminar series a success and enable multiple benefits.

Benefits:
- Keep updated on state-of-the-art global cardiovascular research.
- Broaden our knowledge on basic cardiovascular research.
- Bring together the cardiovascular research clusters following relocations to the tower.
- Inspire new collaborations.
- Inspire new studies or the use of new technologies.
- Promote a better culture of seminar attendance that will positively influence the younger students in the groups.
- The invited speakers will meet researchers individually so specific research topics can be discussed.