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Keynote Speaker
Aaron Ciechanover (Technion-Israel Institute of Technology, Israel)
Nobel Prize in Chemistry 2004

Plenary Speakers
Joaoan Arras (Vall d’Hebron University, Spain)
Michael J. Blackman (HIMF, London, UK)
Lisa Conner (UCSF, USA)
Eleftherios P. Diamandis (University of Toronto, Canada)
Ivan Dikic (Goethe University, Germany)
Vincent Dive (Centre de Seuday, UFR de cede, France)
Kris De Vos (Ghent University, Belgium)
Adam Geddes (Barnham Institute of Proteomics, USA)
Michael Groll (Max Planck Institute for Biophysical Chemistry, Germany)
Piet Groen (University of Leiden, The Netherlands)
Markus Gruetter (University of Zurich, Switzerland)
Margaret Heck (University of Edinburgh, UK)
Ulfri Honnen (Novartis, Basel, Switzerland)
Renier van der Horst (Max Planck Institute for Infection Research, Germany)
Harley D. Hellenberg (University of California, Los Angeles, USA)
James A. Huntington (University of Cambridge, UK)
Johanna A. Joyce (Johns Hopkins University, USA)
Achim Krueger (TUM, Germany)
Carlos Lopez-Otin (University of Oxford, Spain)
Ed Madon (Catalytix, USA)
Patrick C. May (Biodesign, USA)
Lisa Joy McCawley (Yankee Hill, USA)
Yoshimori Ohsumi (National Institute of Basic Biology, Okazaki, Japan)
Thomas Pleilck (Albers-Ludwig-Universitaet Freiburg, Germany)
Marie-Christine Rio (Universite Louis Pasteur, Strasbourg, France)
Gay Salvesen (Barnham Institute of Proteomics, USA)
Julio Schechtman (Instituto Universitario de Bioquimica, Brazil)
Barbara Steiner (IB, Centre for Human Genetics, Belgium)
Simha Urban (John Hopkins University, USA)
James Whittmon (University of British Columbia, Canada)

Lunch Workshops
Matthew Boggs (Stanford University, USA)
Galit Blum (Stanford University, USA)
Klaus-Dieter Fritz (International University Bremen, Germany)
Reinhard Hofler (Carl Zeiss Micro Imaging GmbH)
Christopher Kedzierski (Wayne State University, USA)
Hironori Kido (Tokushima University, Japan)
Christopher Overall (University of British Columbia, Canada)

Postgraduate Courses
Artemis G. Hatzigeorgiou (University of Pennsylvania, USA)
Sophia Konstantinidou (Academy of Athens Foundation for Biomedical Research, Greece)
Nikos A. Ozouzas (European Bioinformatics Institute, UK)
Guy Salvesen (Barnham Institute of Proteomics, USA)
Christian P. Sommerhoff (University of Munich, Germany)
George Tsounis (Academy of Athens Foundation for Biomedical Research, Greece)
Antonios Vlahos (Academy of Athens Foundation for Biomedical Research, Greece)

Plenary Sessions
- Proteinases in Physiological Processes and Disease Mechanisms
- Insights into Protease Specificity, Mechanisms and Regulation
- Processing and Degradation - Lipoproteins and Proteosomes
- Inflammation and Cell Death Cascades
- Pathogens, Invasion and Host Defence
- Intracellular and Extracellular Mediation of Membrane Proteins - Signaling Pathways
- Proteolytic Pathways in the Tumor Microenvironment - Role of Multidrug Resistance
- Protective Effects of Prostasomes and Inhibitors on Tumor Progression - Pathology and Drug Discovery - Therapeutic Advances in Prostate Infection and Inflammation
- Degradomics: Proteasome Proteomics and Genomics
- Imaging and In Vivo Proteomics - New Technologies
- Biotechnology of Prostasomes and Inhibitors - Transgenic Animals and Plants

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