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PHARMACOLOGY FUTURES 2018

Exploring future drug development

17 May 2018, National Museum of Scotland, Edinburgh, UK

Pharmacology Futures 2018 will explore the technologies and skills that will drive drug development over the next 10 to 15 years, with speakers sharing their visions of the future to celebrate 250 years of pharmacology in Edinburgh.

The University of Edinburgh's Cameron Prize for Therapeutics will be awarded during the meeting.

PhD students and early career researchers* are invited to submit a scientific abstract showing how their work contributes to the 'Future of Pharmacology'. The best three from each category will be invited to give an oral presentation. Two winners will be selected, one from each category (PhD students and early careers researchers) to receive certificates and prizes of £250. The authors of all other accepted abstracts will be invited to present a poster.



For more information about attending or presenting please contact meetings@bps.ac.uk or visit www.bps.ac.uk/pharmacologyfutures2018

Speakers

How do we make the UK a world leader in drug discovery?

Professor Chas Bountra, University of Oxford, UK

Human pluripotent stem cell models for future drug discovery and disease modelling

Professor Christine Mummery, Leiden University Medical Centre, The Netherlands

Minding the gap: Linking preclinical studies to the development of novel therapeutics at the National Institutes of Health

Professor Susan Amara, National Institute of Mental Health, USA

Drugging transcription: Progress and potential for treating human diseases

Dr Rab Prinjha, GlaxoSmithKline, UK

The pharmacology of turning thoughts into local blood flow in the brain

Professor Mark Nelson, University of Vermont, USA

The role of biomarkers in translational pharmacology

Dr James Dear, University of Edinburgh, UK

GPCR allostery: From theory to medicine

Professor Arthur Christopoulos, Monash University, Australia

2017 Cameron Prize for Therapeutics lecture: Building and maintaining a global response to antimicrobial resistance (AMR)

Professor Dame Sally Davies, Department of Health, UK



Early bird registration rate expires: 16 April 2018 Registration deadline: 10 May 2018
Abstract submission deadline: 16 March 2018 Member bursary deadline: 16 March 2018

Early bird registration fees from £50.

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*Early careers researchers: oral communications – for those with up to 7 years' full-time equivalent post-doctoral experience as of May 2018