

## 5<sup>th</sup> International Workshop on Advances in the Molecular Pharmacology and Therapeutics of **Bone Disease**

Oxford, UK 27-30 June 2012 www.oxfordbonepharm.org

## Dear Colleague

We are delighted to announce that registration for the 5<sup>th</sup> International Workshop on Advances in the Molecular Pharmacology and Therapeutics of Bone Disease is now open. Early bird rates are available until 30 March!

This workshop is the fifth in a series that started in 2003. It is intended to provide a basis for understanding the molecular mechanisms of action of drugs known to act on the skeleton, and a rational basis for developing novel therapies in the future, based on some of the remarkable recent advances in the genetics and biology of bone.

The meeting is interactive and international, with speakers who are leaders of their fields in academia and industry. The workshop is held at St Catherine's College, Oxford, where a delightful campus setting creates excellent opportunities for productive interactions among all participants. Travel is easy and Oxford is only an hour away from Heathrow Airport.

The workshop should be of interest to all scientists involved in drug discovery and the pharmacology of bone and related tissues, as well as to clinical scientists involved in translating this new knowledge into clinical practice for the benefit of patients with bone and joint diseases, including osteoporosis, Paget's disease, inflammation, arthritis and cancer as well as rarer forms of bone disease.

Full details and a <u>preliminary programme</u> are included on the <u>Workshop Website</u>.

We hope to see you in Oxford!

Best wishes

Workshop Chairman: Graham Russell (Oxford and Sheffield, UK)

Co-Chairs:

Cyrus Cooper (Oxford and Southampton, UK) Peter Croucher (Sydney, Australia) Jack Martin (Melbourne, Australia)

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**Website**: <a href="http://www.oxfordbonepharm.org/">http://www.oxfordbonepharm.org/</a>

Preliminary programme: http://www.oxfordbonepharm.org/prog/programme.pdf

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