

Program

Physics Department, University of Saskatchewan Sessions - Physics Room 107

Thursday, May 8, 2008

11:30 am – 4:00 pm Registration in Physics Room 101

Session 1 - Chairperson: Dr. Raju Datla, Plant Biotechnology Institute

1:30pm – 2:45pm Dr. Bob Goldberg, University of California Los Angeles

Using Genomics to Dissect Seed Development

2:45pm-3:15pm – Coffee Break

3:15pm-4:30pm Dr. Gerd Jürgens, University of Tübingen

Axis Formation in Arabidopsis Early Embryogenesis

4:30pm – 6:30 pm Reception in Geology 1st floor Atrium (W. P. Thompson Biology Building) (cash bar)

Friday, May 9, 2008

8:30 am -11:30 am Registration in Physics Room 101

8:15 am -9:00am – Coffee Break

Session 2 - Chairperson: Dr. Hong Wang, University of Saskatchewan, Biochemistry

9:00am –10:15am Dr. Patricia Zambryski, University of California Berkeley

Cell-to-Cell Movement of Proteins and RNA during Arabidopsis Embryogenesis

10:15am – 10:45am – Coffee Break

10:45am -12:00pm Dr. Ueli Grossniklaus, University of Zurich

Developmental Genetics of Plant Reproduction

12:00pm – 1:30pm – Lunch at Marquis Hall

Session 3 - Chairperson: Dr. Dwayne Hegedus, Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada

1:30pm – 2:45pm Dr. George Haughn, University of British Columbia

All Dressed Up with Nowhere to Go: Genetic Analysis of Seed Coat Differentiation

2:45pm-3:15pm – Coffee Break

3:15pm-4:30pm Dr. Brian Larkins, University of Nebraska

The Molecular Basis of Quality Protein Maize