



The **Generation Regeneration** Conference

It is with great pleasure that the Organizing Committee of **EuroBio 2008** invites you to join its **pre-event State-of-the-Art Conference** focusing on Stem Cell Research which will be held at the prestigious UN Palais des Nations in Geneva on September 22, 2008.

This state-of-the art Conference will see the participation of world-renowned specialists (see programme below).

The issues discussed during the Conference, and ensuing recommendations, will subsequently be presented at EuroBio 2008 (October 7 – 9, www.eurobio2008.com) and included in the **Call For Change Report** which will be circulated across Europe throughout 2009.

As seating is limited, we strongly advise that you confirm your participation as soon as possible by contacting anne-sylvie.anken@biobridge-event.com, who will send you the personal Security Form to be completed prior to the Event.

We look forward to seeing you at the UN..., and in Paris, October 7-9, at **THE** Life Sciences Event of the EU Presidency, EuroBio 2008!

Sincerely,

Eric Poincelet
Commissioner General EuroBio 2008
www.eurobio2008.com

The **Generation Regeneration** Conference will be held in the prestigious: Palais des Nations – United Nations Organization UNO Geneva – September 22, 2008.

New advances in Research dedicated to ESC (Embryonic Stem Cells), Adult Stem Cells and iPS (induced Stem Cells from adult Cells) are the topics that will be discussed by world renowned experts and clinicians during this unique platform.

The Conference is free of charge. However, seating is limited to ensure high density contacts between participants.

A certificate of participation and a commemorative book will be issued to all attendants.



Organizing Committee:

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Lecturers:

Introduction:

Prof. Bernat Soria, Minister of Health of Spain
Prof. Axel Kahn, President of University Paris VII (tbc)



Prof. Malcolm Alison, DSc, FRCPath, Singapore
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Prof. Peter Everts, Catharina Hospital Eindhoven, The Netherlands
Prof. George Folkers, Director UZH Collegium Helveticum Uni of Zurich research Institute, Switzerland (tbc)
Dr Nico Forraz, Manager for Research and Development at NovusSANGUIS, Newcastle University, UK
Dr Victor GARCIA GIMENEZ, Pt Societa Espa ola de Medicina Cirurgia Cosmética
Dr Marisa Jaconi, in collaboration with **Prof. Karl-Heinz KRAUSE, Dr Pierre BURKHARD**, Geneva University, Switzerland

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Prof. Max Lafontan, Institut Louis Bugnard (INSERM Toulouse), France
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Prof. John MacDonald, Wound care and World Health Organization, UK. (tbc)
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Prof. Colin McGuckin, Centre for Cord Blood, Newcastle, UK
Prof. Dante Medici, Hospital Santi Antonio e Biagio e Cesare Arrigo, Alessandria, Italy
Prof. Allan Mishra, Stanford University, Menlo Park, CA, USA
Mr Yvan Pictet, President Banque Pictet. Switzerland. (tbc)
Mr Nuno Pires de Carvalho, Biotechnology and Associated Traditional Knowledge Section, WIPO. Switzerland
Prof. Wassim Raffoul, Centre Hospitalier Universitaire Vaudois, Lausanne
Prof. Antonio Rusciani, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Roma, Italy
Prof. Didier Serteyn, Veterinarian medicine faculty, University of Liège, Belgium
Dr Bavaguthu Raghuram Shetty, New Medical Group, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
Dr Shivinder Singh, Joint Managing Director Fortis Healthcare Limited, India
Prof. Luc Teot, University of Montpellier / **Dr Sylvie MEAUME**, Paris, France
Prof. Cody Trowbridge, Division of cardiovascular and thoracic surgery, Greisinger Medical Center, Pennsylvania, USA (tbc)
Prof. Jun Toguchida, Deputy Director, Center for iPS cell Research and Application (CiRA)
Prof. Shinya YAMANAKA, Professor of the Institute for Frontier Medical Sciences, Kyoto University, Japan
Dr Claudio Xavier, Minister of Health, and **Prof. Luis RIBAS**. State of Parana, Brasil



Conclusions:

Sir Peter Lachmann, Former President of the United Kingdom Academy of Medical Sciences.

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