



# UK Eye Genetics Group Conference Southampton 2016

Friday November 25<sup>th</sup> 2016 9:00 – 17:30 Grand Harbour Hotel– West Quay Road Southampton SO15 1AG

## Registration is now open for the Annual Eye Genetics Group Conference

Registration for current UK EGG members is £50 before 1<sup>st</sup> September or £75 after 1<sup>st</sup> September. <u>UK EGG Members will need their Membership number to Register</u>

Non-member registration is £100

Register here: <a href="https://ukegg-conference-2016.eventbrite.co.uk">https://ukegg-conference-2016.eventbrite.co.uk</a>

Find more information on the UKEGG Website: www.ukegg.com

Details of the hotel can be found here: www.grandharbourhotel.co.uk





### **Meeting Agenda**

08:30	REGISTRATION OPENS
09:30	Welcome: Andrew Lotery
SESSION	Complex Genetics
1	Chair: Andrew Lotery
09:35	What's new in epigenetics: Keith Godfrey
09:55	Bioinformatics - an update: Sarah Ennis
10:15	AMD Genetics: Andrew Lotery
10:35	Beyond GWAS: where next after common variants for common diseases: Chris Hammond
10:55	COFFEE BREAK, COMMERCIAL EXHIBITION, AND POSTERS
SESSION	Diagnostic Approaches for Monogenetic Diseases
II	Chair: Jay Self
11:15	Splicing: Diana Baralle
11:35	Imprinting genetics into the NHS: Karen Temple
11:55	Nystagmus: Jay Self
12:15	GEL update: Andrew Webster
12:35	LUNCH, COMMERCIAL EXHIBITION, AND POSTERS
SESSION	Functional and Therapeutic Studies
III	Chair: Arjuna Ratnayaka
13:30	Exon skipping and translational read-through therapeutics: Andrew Douglas
13:50	iPSC disease modelling: Amanda Carr
14:10	So you have found a gene for eye disease. What's next?: Andrew Crosby
14:30	Zebra fish and the eye: Breandan Keenan
14:50	TEA BREAK, COMMERCIAL EXHIBITION, AND POSTERS
SESSION	Business Meeting and Cases
IV	Chair: Amanda Churchill
15:10 15:25	UK EGG business meeting: Susie Downes PhD in 3 minutes
16:00	Interesting cases/short reports: contributions from attendees
17:00	Poster and PhD Prizes
17:30	CLOSE

#### **Posters**

E-Posters will be available for viewing during the breaks.

There is a 1<sup>st</sup> prize of £200 and a runner up prize of £100

Members only may submit, please bring your poster on a USB stick.

#### PhD in 3 minutes

PhD students are encouraged to present their projects in 3 minutes on 3 slides maximum.

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#### **Clinical Cases**

One hour will be dedicated to the discussion of cases and short reports