

Forum on Aging and Skeletal Health

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Join us this March in Bethesda, Maryland, USA, on the NIH Campus for the ASBMR **Forum on Aging and Skeletal Health**, supported by a grant from the NIH National Institute on Aging. This two-day meeting will provide a forum to share ideas, discuss recent developments and explore the latest advances in the area of aging and skeletal health.

The goal of this meeting is to bring together leaders in research on the biology of aging with those in the bone field to exchange leading-edge concepts in aging research with ongoing and planned studies on the epidemiology, mechanisms, prevention and treatment of age-related bone loss and fractures.

Program Highlights:

- Bone accretion during growth
- Genetic and modifiable risk factors for bone loss and fracture
- Aging-related changes in bone structure and cellular activity
- Mechanisms of cellular aging
- Physiological signals contributing to age-related bone loss

Program information can be found at www.asbmr.org.

Speakers:

Teresita M. Bellido, PhD, Indiana University, Indianapolis, IN

John P. Bilezikian, MD, Columbia University, New York, NY

Arline Bohannon, MD, Virginia Christian University, Richmond, VA

Lynda F. Bonewald, PhD, University of Missouri, Kansas City, MO

Mary L. Bouxsein, PhD, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Boston, MA

Judith Campisi, PhD, Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory, Berkeley, CA

Jane A. Cauley, PhD, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA

Thomas Clemens, PhD, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD

Nicola Crabtree, PhD, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Birmingham, UK

Marie Demay, MD, Massachusetts General Hospital and Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA

Edith M. Gardiner, PhD, University of Washington, Seattle, WA

Catherine M. Gordon, MD, Children's Hospital Boston and Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA

Susan L. Greenspan, MD, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA

Tamara B. Harris, MD, National Institute on Aging, NIH, Bethesda, MD

Keith A. Hruska, MD, Washington University at St. Louis, St. Louis, MO

Marja Marie Hurley, MD, University of Connecticut, Farmington, CT

Sundeep Khosla, MD, ASBMR President, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN

Douglas P. Kiel, MD, MPH, Institute for Aging Research, Hebrew Senior Life, Boston, MA

James Kirkland, MD, PhD, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN

Wendy M Kohrt, PhD, University of Colorado, Denver, CO

Meryl S. LeBoff, MD, Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston, MA

Mary B. Leonard, MD, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA

Jane B. Lian, PhD, ASBMR Immediate Past President, University of Massachusetts, Worcester, MA

Paul T. Lips, MD, PhD, VU University Medical Center, Amsterdam, Netherlands

Anne Looker, PhD, National Center for Health Statistics, Hyattsville, MD

Martin Lotz, MD, The Scripps Research Institute, La Jolla, CA

Jay S. Magaziner, PhD, MSHyg, University of Maryland, Baltimore, MD

Stavros C. Manolagas, MD, PhD, University of Arkansas, Little Rock, AR

Heather A. McKay, PhD, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada

Richard Miller, MD, PhD, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

Orhan K. Oz, MD, PhD, University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX

Roberto Pacifici, MD, Emory University School of Medicine, Atlanta, GA

Charlotte A. Peterson, PhD, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY

Robert Pignolo, MD, PhD, University of Pennsylvania; Philadelphia, PA

Frank Rauch, MD, Shriners Hospital for Children, Montreal, Canada

Lawrence Rubenstein, MD, Oklahoma University Health Science Center, Tulsa, OK

Elizabeth Shane, MD, Columbia University, New York, NY

Sheryl S. Sherman, PhD, NIH-National Institute on Aging, Bethesda, MD

Andre G. Uitterlinden, PhD, Erasmus University, Rotterdam, Netherlands

Holly Van Remmen, PhD, University of Texas Health Science Center, San Antonio, TX

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Karen K. Winer, MD, NIH-NICHD, Bethesda, MD

Zipora Yablonka-Reuveni, Ph.D. University of Washington School of Medicine, Seattle, Washington

Who Should Attend:

Scientists, clinicians and young investigators interested in osteoporosis, geriatricians and gerontologists with an interest in aging and bone and, other health professionals from around the world.

Join ASBMR President and Organizing Committee Chair Sundeep Khosla, MD, in this exciting exchange of new ideas. Strengthen your network of colleagues and become acquainted with the latest breakthroughs.

Registration:

Registration Rates	On or Before February 4, 2011	On or After February 5, 2011
Member*	\$450	\$550
Nonmember	\$550	\$650
Government	\$250	\$300
Resident, Student, Fellow**	\$150	\$175
Allied Health Professional***	\$250	\$300

*Membership is verified for all individuals who indicate they are members. Member dues must be current to avoid delays in the approval of your registration.

**Graduate and medical students and those holding MD or PhD degrees in residency or post-graduate fellowship programs may obtain the reduced fee by having their mentor sign and verify their training status.

***Allied Health Professionals are defined as professionals who participate in delivering health care and professionals who contribute to the scientific efforts of physicians or PhDs, etc. Allied Health Professionals may obtain the reduced registration fee by providing degree/credential information on the Registration Form.

Attendees may register online or by using the downloadable PDF form at www.asbmr.org by Friday, February 4, 2011 to receive the Early Registration discount.

Hotel Information:

Hotel accommodations have been arranged at the Hyatt Regency Bethesda and Doubletree Hotel Bethesda. For more information and to book your reservation at the special ASBMR conference rate, please visit **www.asbmr.org**.

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Important Deadlines

Early Registration Discount Deadline: Friday, February 4, 2011

Hotel Reservation Deadline: Friday, February 18, 2011

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