



October 22, 2008
Shrewsbury, MA



FALL 2008
PULMONARY RESEARCH GROUP SYMPOSIUM
MAST CELLS
HOSTED BY: CHARLES RIVER



AGENDA

Fall 2008 Pulmonary Research Group Symposium – Mast Cells Wednesday, October 22, 2008

- 8:00 am **Registration & Continental Breakfast**
- 9:00 am **Welcome & Opening Remarks**
Jonathan Phillips, PhD, Schering-Plough Research Institute
- 9:15 am **Pathways of Mast Cell Development and Trafficking: Tracking the Roots and Routs of the Mast Cell**
Michael Gurish, PhD, Harvard Medical School
- 10:00 am **Importance of Mast Cell-Restricted Tryptase-Heparin Complexes in Inflammation and Innate Immunity**
Rick Stevens, PhD, Professor, Division of Rheumatology Immunology & Allergy Brigham and Women's Hospital
- 10:45 am **BREAK**
- 11:00 am **Basophil Priming Following Allergic Pulmonary Inflammation in Humans: Insights into Mechanisms**
John Schroeder, PhD, Associate Professor, Division of Allergy & Clinical Immunology, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine
- 11:45 am **Adenosine Receptors and Mast Cells: Targets in Inflammation?**
Italo Biaggioni, MD, Vanderbilt University
- 12:30 pm **LUNCH**
- 1:30 pm **Mast Cell Interactions with Fibroblasts**
Marion Kasaian, PhD, Wyeth
- 2:15 pm **Mast Cells and Pharmaceutical Intervention**
Craig Correll, PhD, Schering-Plough Research Institute
- 3:00 pm **Closing Remarks**
- 3:15 pm **Wine & Cheese Reception**
- 4:30 pm **Meeting Adjourned**

SYMPOSIUM INFORMATION

Location

Charles River Preclinical Facility
334 South Street Shrewsbury MA

Online Registration

To attend the **PRG Fall 2008 Symposium**, register online at <http://www.pulmonaryresearch.org/PRGfall08.html>
For additional symposium information contact Lisa Antolick at lisa.antolick@crl.com Tel:781-222-6111

Directions

From West: Take the Massachusetts Turnpike (I-90) East towards Boston. Merge onto I-495 North (exit 11A) towards Marlborough/NH/Maine.

From South: Take I-495 North towards Marlborough/NH/Maine.

From North: Take I-495 South towards Worcester.

All Routes from 495: Merge onto Route 9 West (exit 23B) towards Worcester. Travel approximately 7.2 miles to South Street (BMW and Kia Ragsdale dealership on your left). Take a left onto South Street. The facility entrance is approximately a quarter mile up South Street on the right.

Travel

Boston's Logan International Airport is 40-50 minutes away from the Charles River Preclinical Facility. The Theodore Francis Green State Airport (Providence, RI) is 60 minutes away.

Joey's Limousine Service

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508-754-9575

Servicing both Logan International Airport (Boston) and TF Green International Airport (Providence)

Approximate one way rate from Logan and TF Green to Charles River Shrewsbury Facility - \$110/ not including gratuity

Hotel Information

Beechwood Hotel Rate: \$144.00
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Worcester, MA 01605
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