

## QRW Programme

### Applied Genetics Technologies

Thursday 30 August – Friday 31 August, 2018

Rydges Hotel, Queenstown, New Zealand

<b>Thursday 30 August</b>		
Time	Details	Location
<b>Session 1: New Genetic Technologies</b> <b>Chaired by Björn Oback (AgResearch)</b>		
8.50am-9.00am	<b>Welcome and Introduction: Björn Oback</b>	<b>Clancy's Room</b>
9.00am-9.30am	<b>A. Francis Stewart (G1) Sponsored by AgResearch</b> TU Dresden <i>Beyond CRISPR/Cas9 genome editing to genome engineering</i>	
9.30am-10.00am	<b>Konrad Fischer (G2) Sponsored by AgResearch</b> Technical University of Munich (TUM) <i>Genetically modified pigs for biomedicine</i>	<b>Clancy's Room</b>
10.00am-10.30am	<b>Morning Tea</b>	<b>Trades Area</b>
<b>Session 2: Genome Editing for Agriculture &amp; Pest control</b> <b>Chaired by Peter Dearden (University of Otago)</b>		
10.30am-11.00am	<b>Alison Van Eenennaam (G3) Sponsored by LIC</b> University of California, Davis <i>Gene editing in cattle</i>	<b>Clancy's Room</b>
11.00am-11.30am	<b>Goetz Laible (G4)</b> AgResearch <i>Generation of enhanced cattle genotypes by genome editing</i>	<b>Clancy's Room</b>
11.30am-12.00pm	<b>Neil Gemmell (G5) sponsored by Thermo Fisher Scientific</b> University of Otago <i>Genetic Tools for Pest Eradication – Opportunities and Challenges</i>	<b>Clancy's Room</b>
	<b>Short selected talks:</b>	<b>Clancy's Room</b>
12.00pm-12.15pm	<b>Melanie Laird (G6)</b> University of Otago <i>Possums and primordial germ cells – a novel method of pest control</i>	<b>Clancy's Room</b>
12.15pm-12.30pm	<b>Zach McLean (G7)</b> AgResearch <i>Precise disruption of DAZL abrogates the male germline in sheep</i>	<b>Clancy's Room</b>
12.30pm -1.30pm	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>Trades Area</b>
<b>Session 3: Social license (joint with Plant Biology &amp; Marine Biology)</b> <b>Chaired by Revel Drummond (Plant and Food)</b>		
1:30pm-1:45pm	<b>Barry Scott (G8)</b> Institute of Fundamental Sciences, Massey University <i>The implications of gene editing technology for New Zealand</i>	<b>Queenstown Room</b>
1:45pm-2:00pm	<b>Julie Everett-Hincks (G9)</b> University of Otago <i>Gene editing in Aotearoa - legal considerations</i>	<b>Queenstown Room</b>

2:00pm-2:15pm	<b>Maui Hudson (G10)</b> University of Waikato <i>Social License or Cultural License: Is there a difference?</i>	Queenstown Room
2:15pm-2:30pm	<b>Jim Sinner (G11)</b> Cawthron Institute <i>Social license in the marine environment: Dissecting the discourse</i>	Queenstown Room
2:30pm-2:45pm	<b>Damien Mather (G12)</b> University of Otago <i>Conflicts between agricultural and tourism sectors: evidence for solutions</i>	Queenstown Room
2:45pm-3:00pm	<b>Timothy Strabala (G13)</b> Environmental Protection Authority <i>The regulation of GMOs in New Zealand</i>	Queenstown Room
3:00pm-3:30pm	General discussion	Queenstown Room
3:30pm-4.00pm	Afternoon Tea	Trades Area
<b>Session 4: Genomic selection and breeding (joint with Marine Biology)</b> <b>Chaired by Jane Symonds (Cawthron Institute)</b>		
4.00pm-4.30pm	<b>Dorian Garrick (G15)</b> Massey University <i>Genomic Selection for Improvement of Populations</i>	Clancy's Room
4.30pm-4.50pm	<b>Fiona Hely (G16)</b> AbacusBio Ltd <i>Optimised selection strategies in New Zealand aquaculture breeding schemes</i>	Clancy's Room
4.50pm-5.10pm	<b>Shannon Clarke (G17)</b> <i>sponsored by School of Biological Sciences, The University of Auckland</i> AgResearch <i>Delivering genomic solutions to New Zealand's biological economy</i>	Clancy's Room
5.10pm-5.25pm	<b>Noemie Valenza-Troubat (G18)</b> Plant and Food Research & Victoria University <i>'Genomics of New Zealand trevally: identifying the genetic basis of quantitative traits to inform a newly developed breeding programme'</i>	Clancy's Room
5.25pm - 6.30pm	<b>Poster session</b> <i>sponsored by Millennium Science New Zealand</i> <b>Social Mixer with drinks and nibbles</b> <i>sponsored by Merck &amp; pH Scientific</i>	Trade Area
7.30pm	<b>Joint Dinner at Winnies (with Marine Biology)</b>	Winnies, 7-9 The Mall Queenstown

<b>Friday 31 August</b>		
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<b>Session 5: CRISPR genome editing</b> <b>Chaired by Goetz Laible (AgResearch)</b>		
9.00am-9.10am	<b>Welcome and Introduction: Goetz Laible</b>	Clancy's Room
9.10am-10.00am	<i>Sponsored by AgResearch</i> <b>Plenary lecture: Lluís Montoliu (G19)</b> Spanish National Research Council (CSIC) <i>Using CRISPR genome editing tools for animal modelling human rare diseases</i>	Clancy's Room
10.00am-10.30am	<b>Morning Tea</b>	Trade Area
<b>Shared Session 6: Genetic Disease Models and Genetics Oversight NZ (joint with Rare Brain Diseases)</b> <b>Chaired by Francis Hunter (University of Auckland)</b>		
10.30am-10.50am	<b>Tracey Dickson (G20)</b> University of Tasmania <i>Getting the Balance Right: Targeting Excitatory Dysfunction in the ALS Cortex</i>	Clancy's Room
10.50am-11.10am	<b>Imke Tammen (G21)</b> <i>sponsored by Ramaciotti Centre for Genomics</i> University of Sydney <i>Generation of a sheep model of CLN7 Batten disease using the CRISPR/Cas9 genome editing system – preliminary results and ethical reflections</i>	Clancy's Room
11.10am-11.30am	<b>Renee Handley (G22)</b> <i>sponsored by Millennium Science New Zealand</i> University of Auckland <i>Brain urea increase is an early pathogenic event in Huntington's disease</i>	Clancy's Room
11.30am-11.50am	<b>Peter Dearden (G23)</b> Genomics Aotearoa, University of Otago <i>Genomics Aotearoa: Aiming to improve the use of genomics in New Zealand</i>	Clancy's Room
11.50am- 12.10pm	<b>Kate Neas (G24)</b> Genetic Health Service NZ <i>A step towards unifying health genomic activity in NZ introducing Genomic Health Alliance New Zealand</i>	Clancy's Room
12.10pm-12.30pm	<b>Discussion session</b> <i>Sharing/ improving/linking research resources</i>	Clancy's Room
12.30pm-1.30pm	<b>Lunch</b>	Trades Area
<b>Session 7: Genome editing for human health</b> <b>Paul Tan (NZeno)</b>		
1.30pm-2.00pm	<b>Francis Hunter (G25)</b> <i>sponsored by Integrated DNA Technologies Pte. Ltd</i> University of Auckland <i>Functional genomic approaches to understanding responses to cytotoxic anti-cancer therapies</i>	Clancy's Room
2.00pm-2.30pm	<b>William Kelton (G26)</b> Scion <i>Immunogenomic engineering of MHC alleles</i>	Clancy's Room

2.30pm-3.00pm	<b>Mark Nottle (G27)</b> University of Adelaide <i>Use of gene editing technology to accelerate xenotransplantation research</i>	Clancy's Room
	<b>Short selected talks:</b>	Clancy's Room
3.00pm-3.15pm	<b>Sarah Appleby (G28)</b> AgResearch <i>Generating immune-compatible sheep for xenotransplantation</i>	Clancy's Room
3.15pm-3.30pm	<b>Hilary Sheppard (G29)</b> University of Auckland <i>Functional outcomes of fine tuning the expression of PD-L1 and PD-1 proteins to the melanoma immune response</i>	Clancy's Room
3.30pm-4.00pm	<b>Afternoon Tea</b>	Trade Area
<b>Shared Session 8: Genome Editing for plants (joint with Plant Biology, Marine Biology)</b> <b>Chaired by Gregory Bryan (AgResearch)</b>		
4.00pm-4.25pm	<b>Andrew Allan (G30)</b> Plant and Food <i>New breeding technologies for fruit trees</i>	Queenstown Room
4.25pm-4.50pm	<b>Glenn Thorlby (G31)</b> Scion <i>Biotechnology and Forest Trees in New Zealand</i>	Queenstown Room
4.50pm-5.15pm	<b>Charleson Poovaiah (G32)</b> Scion <i>Developing Gene editing technology in conifers</i>	Queenstown Room
5.15pm-5.30pm	<b>Revel Drummond (G33)</b> Plant and Food Research <i>CRISPR Fruit: three bites at the problem</i>	Queenstown Room
5:30pm-5:40pm	<b>Closing remarks for all meetings</b>	Queenstown Room
7:00pm-7:10pm	<b>Welcome to public movie screening</b>	Clancy's Room
7:10pm-8:40pm	<b>FOOD EVOLUTION Movie</b>	Clancy's Room
8:40pm-9:30pm	<b>Panel discussion / Q&amp;A:</b> Alison van Eenennaam (UC Davis), Gregory Bryan (ZeaKal), Tony Conner (AgResearch), Aroha Te Pareake Mead (Ngāti Awa, Ngāti Porou)	Clancy's Room

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