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Stem Cells: From Molecular Physiology to Therapeutic Applications

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This Workshop will provide an overview of the growing information on stem cells in tissues physiology and pathology, as well as their applications in regenerative medicine. Among the topics to be covered is the formation of tissues of multiple organs, such as the CNS, skin, heart and skeletal muscle. Furthermore, reprogramming of adult stem cells, which promises to open up new frontiers in human biology and therapy, will be a key topic of the meeting.

SPEAKERS

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Roger Pedersen, *Cambridge, UK*
Michel Puceat, *Evry, France*
Wolf Reik, *Cambridge, UK*
David Sassoon, *Paris, France*
Hans R. Schoeler, *Muenster, Germany*
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The number of participants is limited to 80. Instructions for application will be soon available on the web site <http://capri2009.igb.cnr.it/> or can be obtained from email: workshop@igb.cnr.it. Deadline for applications is June 15th, 2009. Applicants will be notified by June 30th, 2009. The registration fee of 700 Euro will include full board and lodging. The Workshop organization will provide a limited number of registration grants to PhD students or postdocs. Instructions for applying are included in the meeting website.