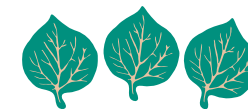




2002 Kern Aspen Lipid Conference presents -
**FATTY ACID TRANSPORT AND METABOLISM:
IMPACT ON INSULIN ACTION/SECRETION AND BODY WEIGHT REGULATION**



AUGUST 17 - 20, 2002, at the Given Institute, Aspen, Colorado

Conference Chair: Robert H. Eckel, M.D. (University of Colorado Health Sciences Center)

Session 1

Membrane and Intracellular Transport of Fatty Acids • Saturday, August 17, 2002 • 1:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Moderator: Robert Eckel, M.D. (University of Colorado Health Sciences Center)

- **Fred Kern Lecturer:** Gerald Shulman, M.D., Ph.D. (Yale University)
- James Hamilton, Ph.D. (Boston University)
- Paul Black, Ph.D. (Albany Medical College)
- E. Joan Blanchette-Mackie, Ph.D. (National Institutes of Health)
- David Bernlohr, Ph.D. (University of Minnesota)

Session 2

Cellular Effects of Fatty Acids • Sunday, August 18, 2002 • 8:30 am - 1:00 pm

Moderator: Gerald Shulman, M.D., Ph.D. (Yale University)

- Daniel Lane, Ph.D. (Johns Hopkins School of Medicine).
- Daniel Ricquier, Ph.D. (Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique, Paris, France)
- Richard Deckelbaum, M.D. (Columbia University)
- Clay Semenkovich M.D., Ph.D. (Washington University)
- Tim Willson (Glaxo Wellcome Inc, Research and Development)

Session 3

Adipose Tissue Fatty Acid Turnover and Beyond • Monday, August 19, 2002 • 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

Moderator: Scott Grundy, M.D., Ph.D. (UT Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas)

- Susan Fried, Ph.D. (Rutgers University)
- Constantine Londos, Ph.D. (National Institutes of Health)
- John Fain, Ph.D. (University of Tennessee College of Medicine)
- Gokhan Hotamisligil, M.D., Ph.D. (Harvard School of Public Health)
- Yuji Matsuzawa, Ph.D. (Osaka University, Japan)

Session 4

Fatty Acids, Insulin Action/Secretion and Body Weight Regulation • Tuesday, August 20, 2002 • 8:00 am - 12:00 pm

Moderator: Alan Attie, Ph.D. (University of Wisconsin)

- Barbara Corkey, Ph.D. (Boston University School of Medicine)
- James Ntambi, Ph.D. (University of Wisconsin School of Medicine)
- Salih Wakil, Ph.D. (Baylor College of Medicine)
- Late Breaking Developments. Speaker to be announced.



Registration - Applications are due by May 1, 2002. Notice of acceptance will be sent by June 1. On-line registration is preferred and is available at www.kernconference.sdsu.edu. Attendance at the conference is limited to 125 and is by invitation upon application only. Early application is advised. A continental breakfast will be provided during morning sessions. Lunch and reception dinner are also included in registration fee.



Reception & Dinner - Sunday August 18, 2002, 6:30 - 10:00 pm in the garden of the Given Institute.



Academic Participants (all academic investigators above the rank of Assistant Professor and those below the rank of Assistant Professor who do not wish to compete for a stipend) - Apply on-line by May 1, 2002. There is a fee of \$350 payable following acceptance.



Young Investigator (junior faculty, postdoctoral fellows, and graduate students who wish to compete for a \$500 travel stipend) - Submit the on-line application form along with a CV and an abstract to be considered for the required poster presentation.



Industry Participants (those persons from the pharmaceutical and/or biotechnology industry) - Refer to the web site (under Registration) or contact Susan Hayes at 214-648-1636 (email: Susan.Hayes@UTSouthwestern.edu) for details on participation levels.