



PhD Course in Metabolic Bone Disease: Bridging Clinics with Basic Research

30 April – 02 May 2024

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Session overview



Day 1 Tuesday 30 April

Course opening Welcome, social activities and networking dinner

Day 2 Wednesday 1 May

Session I New concepts in bone biology
Session II Endocrine regulation of bone
Session III Learning from Big Data
Session IV Visit to Ossiform ApS

Session V Scientific networking activity – pitch your research project

Day 3 Thursday 2 May

Session VI How to design a clinical trial and basic cell-based study
Session VII Group work – design and pitch a new group project

Course closing

Programme Tuesday 30 April

17:30-18:00	Registration and welcome drink
18:00-18:30	Welcome, course opening, and introduction Education & Networking Manager Gretchen Repasky, Danish Diabetes and Endocrine Academy (DK); Associate Professor Alexander Rauch, University of Southern Denmark (DK); Professor Bente Langdahl, Aarhus University (DK); Professor Morten Frost, University of Southern Denmark (DK); and Professor Ryan Riddle, University of Maryland (US)
18:30-20:30	Networking dinner in hotel restaurant
21:00-22:00	Nightwatchman Tour of Odense
	Meet in hotel lobby

Programme Wednesday 1 May

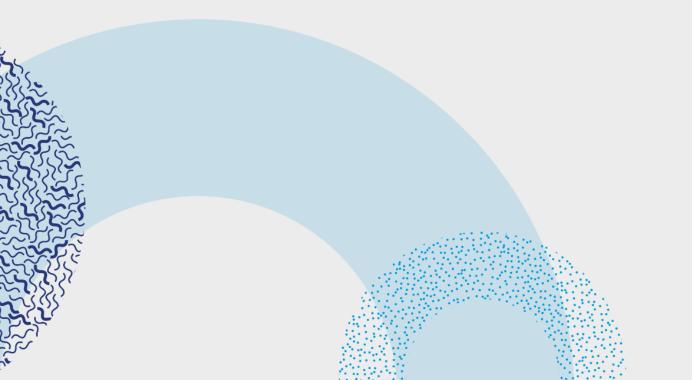
07:00-08:00	Breakfast at the hotel for those staying overnight at the hotel
08:00-08:20	Arrival, hang posters, light breakfast
08:20-08:30	Welcome back
	Education & Networking Manager Gretchen Repasky , Danish Diabetes and Endocrine Academy (DK)
Session I	New concepts in bone biology
	Chair: Professor Ryan Riddle, University of Maryland (US)
08:30-09:00	Key differences and similarities between human and mouse cortical bone
	Professor Nathalie Sims, University of Melbourne (AU)
09:00-09:10	Questions & answers
09:10-09:20	Short break
09:20-09:50	The emergence of osteocytes as master regulators of mechanical signaling in bone
	Professor Alex Robling , Indiana University School of Medicine (US)
09:50-10:00	Questions & answers
10:00-10:30	Coffee & tea break
Session II	Endocrine regulation of bone
	Chair: Professor Ryan Riddle, University of Maryland (US)



10:30-11:00	Hormonal Regulators of Bone Marrow Adipose Tissue
	Associate Professor Pouneh Fazeli , University of Pittsburgh (US)
11:00-11:10	Questions & answers
11:10-11:20	Short break
11:20-11:50	Skeletal consequences of incretin-based treatment of diabetes and obesity?
	Professor Morten Frost Nielsen , University of Southern Denmark (DK)
11:50-12:00	Questions & answers
12:00-13:15	Lunch in Odeon Social
Session III	Learning from big data
	Chair: Professor Bente Langdahl, Aarhus University (DK)
13:15-13:45	The FNIH-SABRE project and future clinical trials of new treatments for osteoporosis
	Professor Richard Eastell , University of Sheffield, Medical School (UK)
13:45-13:55	Questions & answers
13:55-14:05	Short break
14:05-14:35	Bone at single-cell resolution
	Research Officer Ryan Chai , Garvan Institute of Medical Research (AU)
14:35-14:45	Questions & answers
14:45-15:15	Coffee & tea break
15:15-16:00	Walk to Ossiform
Session IV	Biotech session
	Chair: Associate Professor Alexander Rauch , University of Southern Denmark (DK)



16:00-17:30	Presentation & tour at Ossiform ApS Co-Founder and Chief Technology Officer Martin Bonde Jensen, Sales & Marketing Manager Monica Wellejus, and Business Developer Sif S. Dahl, Ossiform ApS (DK)
17:30-18:00	Walk to Storms for pre-dinner drink
Session V	Group work
	Chairs: Associate Professor Alexander Rauch , University of Southern Denmark (DK) and Professor Morten Frost Nielsen , University of Southern Denmark (DK)
18:00-18:15	Meet your group members
18:15-19:15	Scientific networking activity: Pitch your research project in a small group
19:30-	Dinner in hotel restaurant



Programme Thursday 2 May

07:00-08:0	Breakfast at the hotel for those staying overnight at the hotel
08:00-08:2	O Arrival, light breakfast
08:20-08:3	0 Welcome back
	Education & Networking Manager Gretchen Repasky , Danish Diabetes and Endocrine Academy (DK)
Session V	How to design a clinical trial and basic cell-based study
	Chair: Professor Morten Frost Nielsen , University of Southern Denmark (DK)
08:30-08:4	Bone histomorphometry – strengths and limitations
	Associate Professor Thomas Levin Geiser Andersen , University of Southern Denmark (DK)
08:40-08:4	5 Questions & answers
08:45-08:5	Applying transcriptomics in your research project, sample requirements, resolution, and study design
	Associate Professor Alexander Rauch , University of Southern Denmark (DK)
08:55-09:0	Questions & answers
09:00-09:1	O How to design a clinical trial in a rare condition like Fibrous Dysplasia/McCune Albright syndrome
	Internist-Endocrinologist Natasha Appelman-Dijkstra , Leiden University Medical Center (NL)
09:10-09:1	5 Questions & answers
09:15-09:2	5 Diving into the bone matrix



	Postdoc Eva Maria Wölfel , University of Southern Denmark (DK)
09:25-09:30	Questions & answers
09:30-09:45	Short break
09:45-10:15	How to design and conduct a clinical trial
	Professor Bente Langdahl, Aarhus University (DK)
10:15-10:45	How to design a basic science study: from cells to mouse models
	Professor Ryan Riddle, University of Maryland (US)
10:45-11:00	Discussion with all participants and speakers of the session
11:00-11:30	Coffee & tea break
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