



2nd Edinburgh – Hong Kong Joint Symposium on Stem Cells & Regenerative Medicine

Date: Tuesday 3rd June 2025

Venue: The University of Edinburgh, [Institute for Regeneration and Repair](#), [Edinburgh BioQuarter](#), UK.

Programme:

09:00 Arrival & refreshments

09:15 Welcome

Session 1: Stem Cells and Cancer (Chair: Prof Kei Kaji)

- Prof Stephanie Ma (CTSCB/HKU)
- Aisling Fairweather (UoE)
- Prof Steve Pollard (UoE)
- Hei Ip Hong (UoE)
- Prof Andrew Chan (CUHK)

11:00 Refreshments

Session 2: Tissue Degeneration and Regeneration (Chair: Dr Marieke Hoeve)

- Prof Prakash Ramachandran (UoE)
- Jacky Tam (UoE)
- Christy Wing Tung Wong (CUHK)
- Karen Ching (UoE)
- Prof Kei Kaji (UoE)
- Jakob Jeriha (UoE)
- Haoqing Hu (CTSCB)

13:00 Lunch & Posters

Session 3: Brain Development and Disease (Chair: Ralf Jauch)

- Prof Martin Cheung (HKU)
- Darsh Vaghani (HKU)
- Lucy Doyle (UoE)
- Prof Brian Bigger (UoE)
- Lydia Lorenzo (UoE)

15:15 Refreshments

Session 4: Cellular Engineering and Evolution (Chair: Prof Kei Kaji)

- Prof Hon Fai Chan (CUHK)
- Nancy Hui (UoE)
- Degong Ruan (CTSCB)
- Prof Ralf Jauch (HKU/CTSCB)
- Kevin Ng (HKU)
- Ewan Egan (UoE)

17:15 Drinks reception

19:30 Speakers' dinner

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