

The Genetic Society of Israel Annual Meeting 2009
FRONTIERS IN GENETICS V
February 23, 2009
Maison de France, (בית צרפת), The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Givat Ram

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

08:30 Registration and Coffee

09:15 – 09:30 Opening Session Maison de France

Opening
Batsheva Kerem, Chairperson, The Genetic Society of Israel

09:30 – 11:15 Session I Maison de France

Chair: **Yehuda Tzafat**, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

09:30 TRADITIONAL GENETICS WITH A TWIST - A HIGH THROUGHPUT APPROACH FOR UNDERSTANDING PROTEIN FOLDING IN THE SECRETORY PATHWAY
Maya Schuldiner, Weizmann Institute of Science, Rehovot

10:00 ADVANCES IN HUMAN GENETICS: WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS FOR PATIENTS
Arnold Munnich, University Paris-Descartes, France

10:45 A HYPOMORPHIC ALLELE OF TRANSLATION INITIATION FACTOR 2B LEADS TO DELAYED BRAIN DEVELOPMENT AND NEURODEGENERATION
Orna Elroy-Stein, Tel Aviv University

11:15 *Coffee Break, Poster and Exhibition Viewing*



11:45 -12:45 Session II Maison de France

Chair: **Yona Kassir**, Technion, Israel Institute of Technology

11:45 miRNA ROLE IN DEVELOPMENT AND IN HUMAN DISEASE
Eran Hornstein, Weizmann Institute of Science, Rehovot

12:15 GENETIC SOCIETY ASSEMBLY MEETING & ELECTIONS
PRESENTATION OF HONORARY AWARD

12:45 *Lunch, Poster Session and Exhibition Viewing*



