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## 2017 RQR Symposium

The 10<sup>th</sup> RQR Symposium will be held on November 14 and 15, 2017 at the Pavillon La Coop of Espace St-Hyacinthe.

You can now consult the preliminary program!

### **GUEST SPEAKERS**



Matthew C. Lucy, from the University of Missouri

Title: " The postpartum uterus of the dairy cow as a model for host-pathogen interactions during tissue regeneration "



Gail S. Prins, from the University of Illinois

Title: " Prostate stem cells as EDC targets that lead to increased disease susceptibility "



Mazhar Adli, from the University of Virginia

Title: " Editing, regulating and Imaging the genome with CRISPR technology

### **DATES TO REMEMBER:**

Symposium (November 14 and 15)

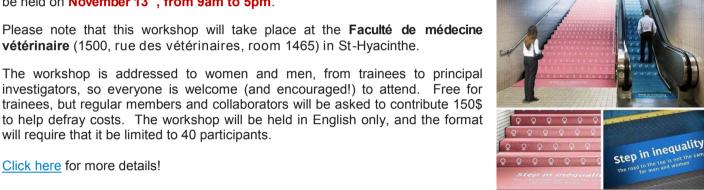
- Deadline for registration: October 13, 2017 REGISTRATION FORM
- \* Do not forget to book your hotel room at the Holiday Inn Express and mention the name of the group (Réseau Québécois en reproduction) to benefit from the special rate.

### 2017 Pre-Symposium Workshop – Mitigating gender bias in science

A pre-Symposium workshop entitled « Mitigating gender bias in science » will be held on November 13<sup>th</sup>, from 9am to 5pm.

Please note that this workshop will take place at the Faculté de médecine vétérinaire (1500, rue des vétérinaires, room 1465) in St-Hyacinthe.

The workshop is addressed to women and men, from trainees to principal investigators, so everyone is welcome (and encouraged!) to attend. Free for trainees, but regular members and collaborators will be asked to contribute 150\$



Click here for more details!

**Pre-Symposium Workshop (November 13)** 

will require that it be limited to 40 participants.

 Deadline to register for the workshop: November 3, 2017 – PRE-SYMPOSIUM WORKSHOP REGISTRATION **FORM** 

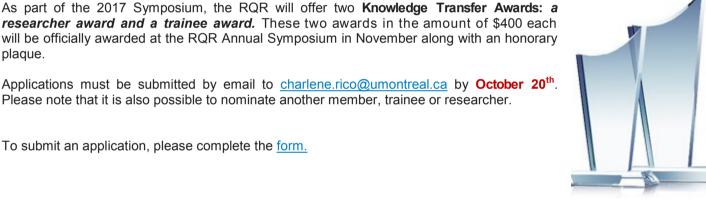
# KT Award - Deadline extended

As part of the 2017 Symposium, the RQR will offer two Knowledge Transfer Awards: a researcher award and a trainee award. These two awards in the amount of \$400 each

Applications must be submitted by email to <a href="mailto:charlene.rico@umontreal.ca">charlene.rico@umontreal.ca</a> by October 20th. Please note that it is also possible to nominate another member, trainee or researcher.

charlene.rico@umontreal.ca.

To submit an application, please complete the form.



# The RQR Training Committee is seeking for 4 new students members from each of the 4 research centers involved in

**RQR Training Committee: Students wanted!** 

the network. The main objectives will be to set up an interuniversity course in reproductive biology, decide on future training

workshops and participate in the organization of future Symposia. The Committee will meet 2 to 3 times a year.

If you want to submit your application, please send your request by email to charlene.rico@umontreal.ca and explain why you want to be a part of this committee.

TRAINING WORKSHOPS: The Training Committee wishes to know the needs of its students regarding future



training workshops. Do not hesitate to send your suggestions by email to



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It is with a great pleasure that the RQR welcomes a new RQR manager, Charlène Rico. Charlène obtained her PhD in 2010 in France at the Institut National de Recherche Agronomique (University of Tours). From 2011 to 2014 she acquired postdoctoral experience at the Université de Montréal and Boviteq. We wish her all the best!

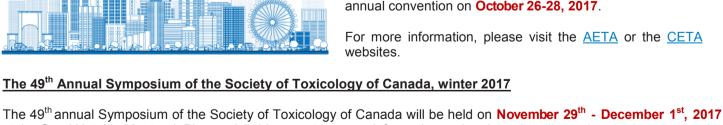
Any questions or requests regarding the RQR can be sent to <a href="mailto:charlene.rico@umontreal.ca">charlene.rico@umontreal.ca</a>.

### 2017 Symposium sur les boivins laitiers

### The Quebec Reference Center for Agriculture and Agri-food (CRAAQ) will present the 2017 Symposium sur les bovins laitiers on Tuesday October 24 at the Centrexpo Cogeco in Drummondville.

Deadline to register and benefit from the special price is October 10. For more information, please visit the CRAAQ website.

2017 AETA-CETA/ACTE Joint Annual Convention



### 2017 AETA & CETA/ACTE Joint Scientific Convention The American Embryo Transfer Association and the

Canadian Embryo Transfer Association invite you to their

annual convention on October 26-28, 2017.

For more information, please visit the AETA or the CETA

### at the Omni Hotel in Montreal. Please visit this page to access information and register: http://stcweb.ca/en/events.shtml

The FRQNT international internship program is back

websites

The FRQNT has opened a 2017-2018 competition to allow us to expand our network internationally: the international internship program (reserved for MSc and PhD students of the network)

For more details on the International Internship program, please visit the student section of the RQR website or the FRQNT website.

Act quickly! The stay must begin before March 31, 2018 and deadline to submit an application to the RQR is

Any questions regarding this competition can be addressed to Charlène Rico, RQR network manager, by email at charlene.rico@umontreal.ca

# It is with a great pleasure that the RQR welcomes three new regulars members, Drs. Rima Slim, Nicolas Gévry and

November 20, 2017!

RQR new members

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Clémence Belleannée and one new collaborator, Dr. Mouhamadou Diaw!







