



I P G S A 2 0 2 5
June 29th to July 3rd 2025
Fort Collins, Colorado, USA

Preliminary Detailed Program
All sessions held at the Colorado State University
Lory Student Center

Sunday June 29th

2:00 Registration Opens

3:30: Opening Remarks, Cris Argueso, Brad Binder and Mark Estelle

3:40: Tribute to Joanne Chory

4:00: Silver Medal Lectures

- Eva Benkova, ISTA, Austria
- Caren Chang, University of Maryland, US
- Roberto Solano, CNB-CSIC, Spain

5:30 to 7:30: Welcome Cocktail

Monday June 30th

9:00 to 10:30: Plenary I, Hormone Metabolism and Transport

- Kaori Yoneyama (Chair), Ehime University, Japan
- Claus Schwechheimer, Technical University of Munich, Germany
- Jenny Russinova VIB, Belgium

10:30 to 11:00: Coffee Break

11:00 to 12:30: Plenary II, Peptides and other Growth Regulators

- Yoshikatsu Matsubayashi (Chair), Nagoya University, Japan
- Zach Nimchuk, University of North Carolina Chapel Hill, US
- Julia Santiago, University of Lausanne, Switzerland

12:30 to 2:00: Lunch

2:00 to 3:30: Concurrent Sessions

Distal Signaling and Transport

- Uli Hammes (Chair), Technical University of Munich, Germany
- Petra Marhava, Umea Plant Sciences Center, Sweden
- Michael Knoblauch, Washington State University, US
- Three speakers from Abstracts

Hormone Signaling

- Lucia Strader (Chair), Duke University, US
- Pil Joon Seo, Seoul National University, Korea
- Gyeong Mee Yoon, Purdue University, US
- Three speakers from Abstracts

Chemical and Synthetic Biology

- Sarah Guiziou (Chair), Earlham Institute, UK
- Clay Wright, Virginia Tech University, US
- Jazz Dickinson, UC San Diego, US

- Three speakers from abstracts

3:30 to 4:00: Coffee Break

Flowering and Reproductive Development

- Cristina Ferrandiz (Chair), IBMCP (UPV-CSIC), Spain
- Stefan de Folter, CINVESTAV, Mexico
- Lucio Conti, University of Milan, Italy
- Three speakers from Abstracts

Beneficial Biotic Interactions

- Harro Bouwmeester (Chair), University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands
- Yang Bai, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China
- Katharina Markmann, Universitat Wurzburg, Germany
- Three speakers from Abstracts

Hormone Metabolism A

- Minoru Ueda (Chair), Tohoku University, Japan
- Federica Brunoni, Palacký University & Institute of Experimental Botany, Czech Republic
- Takahito Nomura, Utsunomiya University, Japan
- Three speakers from Abstracts

Tuesday July 1

9:00 to 10:30: Plenary III, Hormones and Development

- Dolf Weijers (Chair), Wageningen University, The Netherlands.
- Annis Richardson, The University of Edinburgh, UK.
- Joe Kieber, University of North Carolina Chapel Hill, US

10:30 to 11:00: Coffee Break

11:00 to 12:30: Plenary IV, Growth Regulators and Agriculture

- Ana Cano-Delgado (Chair) CRAG, Spain
- Salim Al Babili, King Abdullah University, Saudi Arabia
- Lars Ostergaard, Oxford University, UK

12:30 to 7:00: Free Afternoon. Activities to be announced.

7:00 to 9:00 Conference Banquet (plus Karaoke and Dancing) – Included in the Registration

Wednesday July 2nd

9:00 to 10:30: Concurrent Sessions

Abiotic Stress Signaling

- Rashmi Sasidharan (Chair). Utrecht University, The Netherlands
- Saskia van Wees, Utrecht University, The Netherlands
- Takaki Yamauchi, Nagoya University, Japan
- Three speakers from Abstracts

Hormones and Agriculture

- Ildoo Hwang (Chair), Pohang University of Science and Technology, South Korea
- Paula McSteen, University of Missouri, US
- Carlos Ballaré, University of Buenos Aires, Argentina
- Three speakers from Abstracts

Peptides and Immunity

- Libo Shan (Chair), University of Michigan, US
- Alisa Huffaker, UC San Diego, US
- Thorsten Nurnberger, University of Tübingen, Germany
- Three speakers from Abstracts

10:30 to 11:00: Coffee Break

11:00 to 12:30: Concurrent Sessions

Hormone Perception

- Tongda Xu (Chair), Fujian Agriculture and Forestry University, China
- Yoshiya Seto, Meiji University, Japan
- Hong Qiao, University of Texas at Austin, US
- Three speakers from Abstracts

Evolution and Diversity

- Junko Kyojuka (Chair), Tohoku University, Japan
- Jorge Hernandez Garcia, Wageningen University, The Netherlands
- Jan Petrášek, Charles University, Czech Republic
- Three speakers from Abstracts

Hormone Metabolism B

- Ondrej Novak (Chair), Institute of Experimental Botany & Palacký University, Czech Republic
- Maria João Pimenta Lange, Technische Universität Braunschweig, Germany
- Shinjiro Yamaguchi, Kyoto University, Japan
- Three speakers from Abstracts

12:30 to 1:30: Lunch

1:30 to 2:00: General Meeting

2:00 to 3:30: Concurrent Sessions

Vegetative Development

- Keiko Sugimoto (Chair), RIKEN, Japan
- Ken Birnbaum, New York University, US
- Lieven de Veylder, University of Ghent, Belgium
- Three speakers from Abstracts

Peptides and Development

- Keiko Torii (Chair), University of Texas at Austin, US
- Akie Shimotohno, Nagoya University, Japan
- David Stern, Janelia Farms, US
- Three speakers from Abstracts

Hormone Interactions

- Caroline Gutjahr (Chair), Max Planck Institute of Molecular Plant Physiology, Japan
- Shelley Lumba, University of Toronto, Canada
- Gloria Muday, Wake Forest University, USA
- Three speakers from Abstracts

3:30 to 4:00: Coffee Break

4:00 to 5:30: Concurrent Sessions

Hormones and the Environment

- Jorge Casal (Chair), University of Buenos Aires, Argentina
- Liang Song, University of British Columbia, Canada
- Malcolm Bennett, University of Nottingham, UK
- Three speakers from Abstracts

Pathogenic Biotic Interactions

- Cris Argueso (Chair), Colorado State University, US
- Selena Gimenez-Ibanez, Centro Nacional de Biotecnología, Madrid, Spain
- Brad Binder, University of Tennessee-Knoxville, US
- Three Speakers from Abstracts

Other Growth Substances

- Asaph Aharoni (Chair), Weizmann Institute of Science, Israel
- Katie Dehesh, UC Riverside, US
- John Shanklin, Brookhaven National Lab, US

- Three Speakers from Abstracts

Thursday July 3rd

9:00 to 10:30: Plenary V, Hormones and Biotic or Abiotic Interactions.

- Christa Testerink (Chair), Wageningen University, The Netherlands
- Uta Paszkowski, The University of Cambridge, UK
- Xander Jones, SLCU/Cambridge University, UK

10:30 to 11:00: Coffee Break

11:00 to 12:30: Plenary VI, Hormone Perception and Signaling

- David Nelson (Chair) UC Riverside, US
- Alice Cheung, UMass Amherst, US
- Diwaker Shukla, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, US

12:30: Closing Remarks