

Symposium
“Polarity, polarity, I love it very much!”
on the occasion of Elisabeth Knust’s birthday

Program

Monday, 11 January

13:30 – 13:35	Wieland Huttner	Welcome
13:35 – 13:50	Board of Directors	“Who is Eli?”
13:50 – 14:30	Ulrich Tepass University of Toronto	“The Cell Biology of Neuroblast Ingression: A New Model to Explore Early Steps in EMT”
14:30 – 15:10	Volker Hartenstein University of California Los Angeles	“Cell biology of circuit formation in the UCSF Drosophila brain: Neuronal polarity, adhesion/repulsion, neurite branching pattern”
15:10 – 15:40	Coffee break	
15:40 – 16:20	Helen Skaer University of Cambridge	“Generating a polarised tissue”
16:20 – 17:00	Arno Müller University of Dundee	“Drosophila mesoderm layer formation”
17:00 – 17:40	Eric Wieschaus Princeton University	“Patterning gene activity in early embryonic development”

Tuesday, 12 January

09:00 – 09:40	Daniel St Johnston Gurdon Institute, Cambridge	“Epithelial Polarity and Mitosis”
09:40 – 10:20	Ian Macara Vanderbilt University, Nashville	„New Roles for Polarity Proteins in the Control of Cell Survival“
10:20 – 10:50	Coffee break	
10:50 – 11:30	Alfonso Martinez-Arias University of Cambridge	„Epithelia, signalling and fate decisions in development“
11:30 – 12:10	Andreas Wodarz University of Cologne	“Coordinated regulation of cell polarity and morphogenesis in Drosophila”
12:10 – 12:50	Gertrud Schüpbach Princeton University	“Follicle cell patterning and differentiation in Drosophila”