

Research conference abstract for the VIII European Symposium of the Protein Society

The European Protein Society Symposium was held on June 14-18 2009 in Zurich, Switzerland. The four day program included about 80 speakers on diverse topics such as protein folding and misfolding, proteins in non-native states, Motor proteins, Protein transport, Proteomics networks and system biology, Protein design and evolution, Protein-Nucleic acid interaction, membrane proteins, protein splicing, protein dynamics and flexibility and endo/exocytosis as well as more than 500 posters covering even broader topics than those presented by the many lectures

There were many keynote speakers such as David Baker, Jack Dunitz, Micheal Rossmann as well as many other established scientists who also lectured.



David R. Davies

Jack D. Dunitz

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Bruce D. Alberts

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Though the conference was covered a wide range of research fields it enabling me to place my research in the context of research in protein science as a whole. Many new ideas were presented at the conference that has made me rethink some aspects of my work as well as fundamental question related to protein structure/function. In addition, the symposium gave me an opportunity to meet and interact with established scientists and possibly creat new colaborations. I wish to thank the National Graduate School in Informational and Structural Biology for giving me the financial support to attend the VII European Symposium

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