

## ACCOMODATIONS

Accommodations for this conference have been arranged at two hotels conveniently located on the University of Utah campus. Rooms are being held at the University Park Marriott and the University Guest House, both conveniently located within five minutes from the conference site and ten minutes from downtown Salt Lake.

Shuttle service will be available from both of these locations to and from the conference site. Please mention the Genetics of Male Infertility Conference when reserving rooms to obtain special pricing.

### University Park Marriott (1-888-236-2427)

Conference room rate is \$99

(single rate not including local taxes and fees)

For further information: <http://marriott.com/property/propertytype.mi?marshaCode=SLCUP>

### University Guest House (1-888-416-4075)

Conference room rate is \$70

(Standard King/Queen not including local taxes and fees, currently at 11.2%)

For further information: [www.guesthouse.utah.edu](http://www.guesthouse.utah.edu)

### Downtown Options

In addition to the hotels provided, you may also make independent arrangements at other local hotels in downtown Salt Lake City, within a ten-minute drive to the University of Utah campus, however, parking is limited at the symposium site.



University Guest House

## REGISTRATION

**Registration is available with a secure server on the website:**

<http://uuhsc.utah.edu/malegenetics>

**Registration cost of \$350.00 includes symposium, Thursday night dinner with keynote address, continental breakfast and lunch on Friday and Saturday, and a Friday night wine and cheese poster session.**

**Please register early as space is limited.**

**Written or email confirmation will be sent upon receipt of registration.**

**Registration by phone is available. Please call 801-585-3578.**

**For questions regarding the symposium or registration, please call 801-581-3740.**

**Cancellation: Written notice is required to receive a refund. All refunds are subject to a \$50.00 processing fee. No refunds will be made after November 1, 2005.**

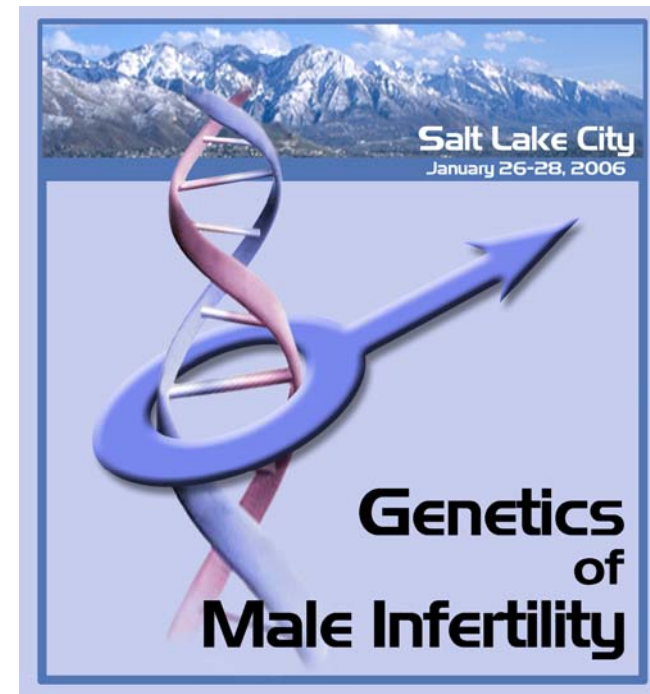
### International Symposium information:

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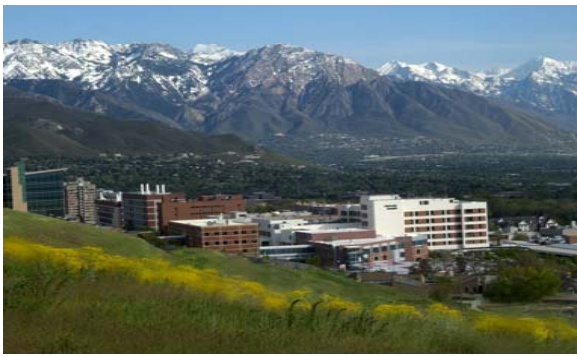
**The Utah Symposium on the Genetics of Male Infertility will be held from January 26-28, 2006.**

The symposium will focus on both the basic science and clinical applications of the genetics of male infertility, and will bring together international experts and trainees in an informal and comfortable setting. Six sessions will be held, including a plenary session and dinner to be held the evening of January 26<sup>th</sup>, four sessions featuring invited speakers and select oral presentations, and a poster session. All sessions will be held in the conference center of the Huntsman Cancer Center on the campus of the University of Utah School of Medicine. The Huntsman Cancer Center overlooks the Salt Lake valley, and is a beautiful meeting site. **Abstracts will be accepted until November 1, 2005.** Eight outstanding abstracts will be selected for oral presentation. All others will be presented in poster format. Two exceptional abstracts by trainees will be selected for travel awards.

### Sponsors

University Of Utah Andrology/IVF  
Specialized Biotechnology Services, Inc.

**Website:** <http://uuhsc.utah.edu/malegenetics>



**University of Utah Health Science Center.**

Combining metropolitan comforts with western hospitality, Salt Lake City has become a world-class travel destination. Nestled in a valley at the foothills of the towering Wasatch and Oquirrh mountain ranges, Salt Lake offers unparalleled opportunities for mixing outdoor recreation with a vibrant nightlife, cultural experiences, and a fascinating history.

As host city for the 2002 Winter Olympic Games, Salt Lake City developed winter sports venues in several of the nine major ski resorts within a short drive of downtown. Considered “*The Greatest Snow on Earth*”™, Utah’s unique geological features combine to provide the driest, most skiable snow in the world.

Skiing isn’t Salt Lake’s only attraction. Several national parks, offering year-round scenery, lie within a half-day’s drive. Downtown Salt Lake is home to historic temple square, the Utah Jazz, superb regional symphony, ballet, and opera companies, and numerous shopping venues.

**For more information:  
[www.slctravel.com](http://www.slctravel.com)**

### **Organizing Committee**

**Douglas Carrell, Ph.D.,**  
University of Utah School of Medicine  
**Dolores Lamb, Ph.D.,**  
Baylor College of Medicine  
**Christopher De Jonge, Ph.D.,**  
University of Minnesota School of Medicine

### **Speakers**

#### **\*KEYNOTE SPEAKER\***

#### **“The Genetics of Male Infertility: From Bench to Bedside”**

David de Kretser, M.D., Monash University, Victoria, Australia

#### **“Y Chromosome Microdeletions and Haplotypes”**

Ken McElreavey, Ph.D., Institute Pasteur, Paris, France

#### **“Clinical Evaluation of the Genetics of Male Infertility”**

Peter Schlegel, M.D., Cornell Weill School of Medicine

#### **“The Use of Proteomics in Evaluating Male Infertility”**

Chris Barratt, Ph.D., Birmingham Women’s Hospital, Birmingham, United Kingdom

#### **“The Role of HOX Genes in Male Infertility”**

Mario Capecchi, Ph.D., University of Utah School of Medicine

#### **“Genomic Instability”**

Dolores Lamb, Ph.D., Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas.

#### **“Meiotic Errors and Male Infertility”**

Terry Hassold, Ph.D., Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio

#### **“The Clinical Relevance of Sperm Aneuploidy”**

Renee Martin, Ph.D., University of Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

#### **“The Use of cDNA Libraries in Evaluating Spermatogenesis”**

Norman Hecht, Ph.D., University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

#### **“Chromatin Damage and Male Infertility”**

Denny Sakkas, Ph.D., Yale University School of Medicine, New Haven, Connecticut

#### **“The Genetics of Cryptorchidism”**

Alexander Agoulnik, Ph.D., Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas

### **Speakers**

#### **“Lessons Learned from Targeting Y Chromosome Genes in the Mouse”**

Colin Bishop, Ph.D., Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas

#### **“Animal Models of Male Infertility”**

Marty Matzuk, Ph.D., Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas

#### **“The Genetics of Abnormal Protamine Expression”**

Douglas Carrell, Ph.D., University of Utah School of Medicine

#### **“Epididymal Gene Expression and Sperm Maturation”**

Gail Cornwall, Ph.D., Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas

#### **“Microarray Analysis of Sperm and the Future of Genome Analysis”**

Honghua Li, Ph.D., Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, New Brunswick, New Jersey

#### **“The Future of the Diagnosis of Male Infertility”**

Christopher De Jonge, Ph.D., University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota

#### **“Genes Involved in Spermatogenesis”**

To Be Announced

**As well as other invited speakers and selected abstracts.**



**Symposium will be held at the internationally known Huntsman Cancer Institute at the University of Utah Health Sciences Center**