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Multiscale Genome Organization Subgroup Symposium

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Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Subgroup Co-Chairs: Catherine Musselman, University of Colorado Anschutz, USA and Jeff Wereszczynski, Illinois

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Symposium Chair: Thomas Bishop, Louisiana Tech University, USA

Symposium Time: 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM EST

Symposium Room: 103C

Subgroup Business Meeting: 12:00 PM

8:30 AM Opening Remarks

8:40 AM Mario Halic, St. Jude Research Hospital, USA *Binding of Transcription Factors to Nucleosomes*

9:05 AM Emma Morrison, Medical College of Wisconsin, USA Deciphering the Dynamic Language of the Histone H3 Tail

9:30 AM Student/Postdoc Talk: Anupam Mondal

Nucleosome Breathing Facilitates the Search for Hidden DNA Sites by Pioneer Transcription Factors

9:40 AM Student/Postdoc Talk: Ritika Gupta

Tunable Single-Molecule DNA Mechanics Determines the Viscoelasticity of Chromatin Condensates

9:50 AM Break

10:05 AM Maria Mills, University of Missouri, USA

The C-terminal domains of Mycobacterial Type IA Topoisomerase modulate the enzyme's response to torsional strain in DNA

10:30 AM Sofia Quinodoz, Princeton University, USA

New Technologies for Probing Nuclear Organization and Function

10:55 AM Alexandra Zidovska, New York University, USA Interphase Chromatin Undergoes a Local SOL-GEL Transition Upon Cell Differentiation

11:20 AM Remo Rohs, University of Southern California, USA
Biophysical Mechanisms of Protein-DNA Binding Revealed through Deep Learning Approaches

12:00 PM Closing Remarks

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