

Organizational committee of “Molecular Life of Stem Cells”
Helmholtz Zentrum München
www.stemcells2016.org

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Dear Sir or Madam,

We would like to invite you to our upcoming international conference entitled “*Molecular Life of Stem Cells*” (www.stemcells2016.org) that will take place between 30th September and 1st October 2016 in Ljubljana, Slovenia. The conference is organized in frame of RNA Club Munich (<http://www.helmholtz-muenchen.de/rna-club/index.html>) and in co-organization with Helmholtz Zentrum München. We anticipate this is **the first conference bringing together prominent world scientists in stem cell biology and RNA biochemistry** that will give the latest insights in RNA regulation and (epi)genomic engineering in stem cells.

The scientific program over two full days will highlight two plenary sessions with **28 internationally renowned researchers** in stem cell biology and RNA. In addition to the scientific talks, there will be opportunities for the symposium participants to present their research update in two poster sessions. The conference is also accompanied by **professional workshops for younger scientists** the day before the conference (please see attached brochure).

We believe that our conference will provide strong environment for advancing scientific education and interest in RNA biology. However, the main aim of the conference is providing the networking opportunity and enabling (especially) students an insight into one of the most exciting research areas and further to enthuse them about scientific research.

This year’s conference will be organized **free of any participation** fee for all the participants. More information about the event including preliminary schedule and list of the speakers may be found in the attached brochure. We are happy to be at your disposal for any questions that may arise.

Best wishes,

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