

BENZON SYMPOSIUM

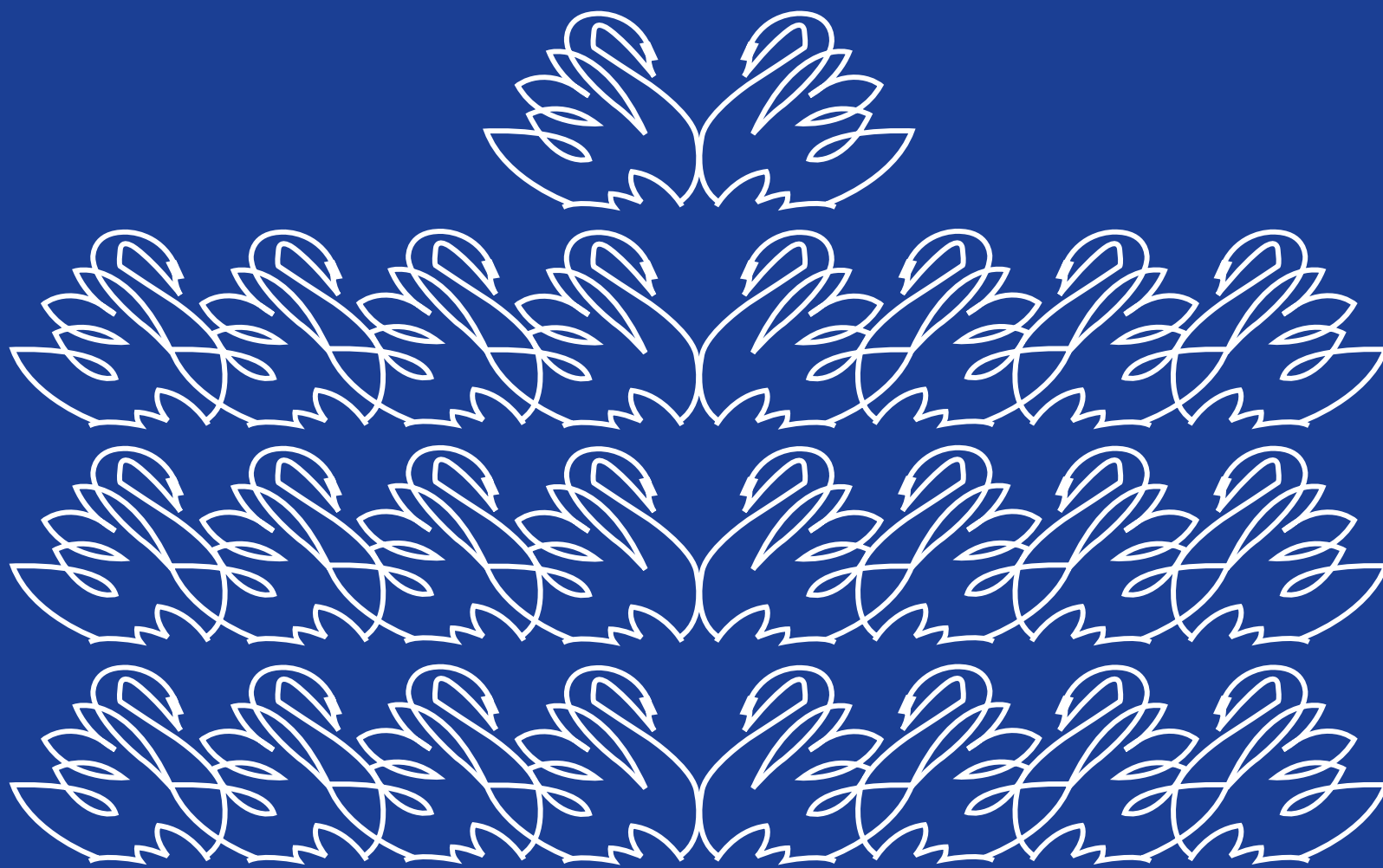
No. 55

TRANSCRIPTION, CHROMATIN AND DISEASE

Copenhagen, August 18-21, 2008

Organizing committee:

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The symposium will bring together some of the leading scientists interested in basic transcription mechanisms, chromatin and disease. The symposium will shed light on different aspects of transcription, using different organisms as models (from yeast, through *Drosophila* to mice and humans), and diverse approaches (biochemistry, genetics, and animal models). It will focus on the basic aspects of normal transcription mechanisms, as well as on pathological features and links to various diseases.

CONFIRMED INVITED SPEAKERS AND CHAIRMEN:

AKHTAR, Asifa (D)
ALLIS, Davis (US)
ALMOUZNI, Genevieve (F)
BICKMORE, Wendy (UK)
CAIRNS, Brad (US)
CONAWAY, Joan (US)
EGLY, Jean-Marc (FR)
FRASER, Peter (UK)

GRUNSTEIN, Michael (US)
GUSTAFSSON, Claes (S)
HOLSTEGE, Frank (NL)
JENUWEIN, Thomas (A)
KINGSTON, Robert (US)
KORNBERG, Roger (US)
KOUZARIDES, Tony (UK)
PELICCI, Pier Giuseppe (I)

PLATH, Kathrin (US)
ROEDER, Robert G. (US)
SHI, Yang (US)
TJIAN, Robert (US)
VAN LOHUIZEN, Maarten (NL)
VERRIJZER, Peter (NL)
WORKMAN, Jerry (US)
ZHANG, Yi (US)

DEADLINES:

Abstracts: May 1, 2008
Registration: (provided acceptance of abstract) June 10, 2008
Fee: DKK 4,000 (scientific meeting, hotel accommodation & social events)

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The Benzon Symposia are international conferences on front line research in medical, pharmaceutical, and related sciences funded by the Alfred Benzon Foundation. Symposium No. 55 will feature lectures by 24 invited scientists as well as posters and oral poster-presentations selected from submitted abstracts. Attendance will be limited to 150 scientific participants totally.

The venue will be the Hotel Skt. Petri (www.sktpetri.dk) located in the center of Copenhagen (Denmark).