

Second Announcement and Call for Abstracts

International Symposium On Cell Biology: From Basic Research to Clinical Applications

October 14-16, 2004

Chongqing, China

Topics:

1. Stem cell differentiation and clinical applications
2. Pathogenesis of epithelial cell-related diseases
3. Cancer diagnosis and therapy
4. Cellular behaviors and environmental factors

Invited Speakers

Michael Chopp, Henry Ford Health Sciences Center, USA

Remodeling Brain: treatment of neural injury with cell and pharmacological therapy

Xiaobing Fu, Wound Healing and Cell Biology Laboratory, 304th Hospital

Bone marrow mesenchymal stem cells give rise to vessel endothelial cells and epidermal cells in regenerated skin

Jian-Guo Geng, Shanghai Institutes for Biological Sciences, The Chinese Academy of Sciences

Adhesion and Migration of Leukocytes in Inflammation

Luka Milas, The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center, USA

Epidermal growth factor receptor in cancer therapy: preclinical studies to clinical application

Chung Owyang, School of Medicine, University of Michigan, USA

Plasticity of the Enteric Nervous System Following Vagal Injury

Paul Quinton, School of Medicine, University of California, San Diego, USA

Cystic Fibrosis: too much Salt, too little Soda

Jessica Schwartz, School of Medicine, University of Michigan, USA

Cytokines in Growth Regulation

Ming-Jer Tang, Faculty of Medicine, Cheng Kung University, Taiwan

Geological control of epithelial cell life and death

Akihiro Umezawa, National Research Institute for Child Health and Development, Japan

Marrow Stroma as a Source of Stem Cell Transplantation

Qimin Zhan, National Laboratory of Molecular Oncology, The Chinese Academy of Medical Sciences

The role of cell cycle checkpoints in maintenance of genomic stability and development of novel therapeutic agents

Yi-Xin Zeng, Cancer Center, Sun Yat-Sen University

Pathogenesis of the familial form of nasopharyngeal carcinoma

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Brief Introduction of Chongqing

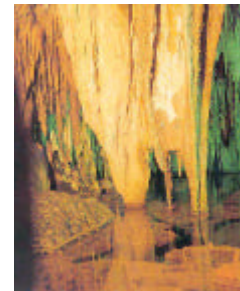


The city of Chongqing can be best described as southwest China's commercial capital. Since 1997, the city has become the fourth municipality, independent from Sichuan Province, to be under the direct control of the central government. The major port of the upper Yangtze River and gateway to the famous "Three Gorges," Chongqing now includes most of the former eastern Sichuan Province, with a population of 30 million. It is a major center of iron and steel production, motorcycle manufacturing and

shipbuilding, as well as chemical and pharmaceutical production. The religious cliff sculptures of Dazu and Baodingshan and the Three Gorges scenic region of the Yangtze River are all nearby, making Chongqing an important center for tourism. Chongqing lies at the confluence of the Yangtze and Jialingjiang Rivers, centered on a hilly peninsula encircled by the rivers, so its landscape is very beautiful. It is known as a "Mountain city" and also a "River city" because its buildings are constructed on hills by the rivers. Night scene of the mountain city is a wonderful sight. Chongqing has many places of interest in both urban and rural areas.

Furong (lotus) Cave

Furong (Lotus) Cave is situated in Wulong County, Fuling Administrative District, Chongqing, at the confluence of the Wu River and the Furong River. Discovered in 1993, the cave boasts a rich and dazzling display of speleothems that reflects its million-year history. People call it the "Museum of Cave Science".



Grotto Art in Dazu County

Dazu Rock Carvings is located in Dazu County, 162 km northwest of Chongqing. There are more than 50,000 Buddhist, Taoist and Confucian rock carvings and 100,000 characters of inscriptions dotted around Dazu, listed by UNESCO (UN Education, Science and Culture Organization) in 1999 as "the World Cultural Heritage".



Yangtze River Three Gorges

Three Yangtze River Gorges (*San Xia*) scenic area refers to Qutang Gorge, Wuxia Gorge and Xiling Gorge on the upper reaches. This 193-kilometre-long stretch of the Yangtze River starts from Baidi Town in the west of Chongqing and ends in Nanjin Pass of Yichang in the east. Sheer cliffs and cloud-shrouded high mountains tower on both sides, presenting a magnificent site. Known as "the natural gallery", this Yangtze River section is a tourist attraction famous in China and abroad. The scheduled completion of the Three Gorges Dam project upstream from Yichang around 2008 will raise the water levels some 100 m, forever changing some of the most historically celebrated scenery in China.

