## THURSDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2014

08:00 - 08:45 Registration, Coffee & Tea

08:45 - 09:00 Opening Symposium: Paul Smits, Dean / vice-chairman Radboud University Medical Centre

## Keynote lecture 1

#### **Chair: John Jansen**

09:00 - 10:00 Robert Langer (Massachusetts Institute of Technology, USA)

Novel drug delivery systems, tissue engineering and technology transfer

## **Session 1: Emerging biomaterials**

#### Chair: John Jansen

10:00 - 10:35 Samuel Stupp (Northwestern University, USA)

Regenerative medicine with supramolecular materials

### Coffee / Tea Break

- 11:05 11:35 Achim Goepferich (University of Regensburg, DE)

  Nanoscale materials for drug delivery to the eye
- 11:35 12:10 Ali Khademhosseini (Massachusetts Institute of Technology, USA)

  Engineering hydrogels for tissue regeneration
- 12:10 12:45 Phillip B. Messersmith (Northwestern University, USA)

  Tissue regeneration by delivery of a HIF1α agonist from an injectable hydrogel biomaterial
- 12:45 12:50 New Frontiers Sponsor: IME Technologies

#### **Lunch & poster session**

## Session 2: Tissue regeneration

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14:30 - 15:05 Clemens van Blitterswijk (Maastricht University, NL)

Moulding cells in high throughput at micro, meso, and macro scale for improved tissue (re)generation

15:05 - 15:40 James Kirkpatrick (Johannes Gutenberg University, DE)

Targeting the vasculature in regenerative medicine

15:40 – 15:45 New Frontiers Sponsor: Biospherix

#### **Coffee / Tea Break**

#### **Chair: Sander Leeuwenburgh**

16:15 - 16:50 Frank Luyten (KU Leuven, BE)

Regenerative medicine & tissue engineering: clinical translation of cell based products

16:50 - 17:25 Jeffrey Hubbell (*Institute for Bioengineering, Switzerland* & University of Chicago, USA)

Engineering interactions between morphogens and the extracellular matrix

- 17:50 Coaches depart for Landmark Wijnfort, Lent
- 18:15 23:00 Dinner at Landmark Wijnfort Lent
- 23:15 Coaches depart back to Nijmegen centre

# FRIDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2014

08:00 - 09:00 Registration, Coffee & Tea

### Session 3: Stem cell biology

**Chair: Roos Masereeuw** 

09:00 - 09:35 Gernot Walko (King's College London, UK)

Examining the interactions between epidermal stem cells and their niche

09:35 - 10:10 Molly Stevens (Imperial College London, UK)

Exploring and engineering the cell-material interface

10:10 - 10:45 Henk Stunnenberg (Radboud University, NL)

Epigenetics: a manual for genome function and utilization

**Coffee / Tea Break** 

## **Session 4: Clinical application**

**Chair: Wout Feitz** 

11:15 - 11:50 Teruo Okano (Tokyo Women's Medical University, JP)

Cell sheet engineering, clinical applications

11:50 - 12:25 James J. Yoo (Wake Forest Institute for Regenerative Medicine, USA)

Approaches to building complex tissues for clinical translation

Lunch & poster session

14:00 - 14:35 Evert van Leeuwen (Radboud University Medical Center, NL)

Ethics and stem cells: crossing the border of drug-centered research ethics

# **Keynote lecture 2**

#### **Chair: Wout Feitz**

14:35 - 15:35 Christine Mummery (Leiden University Medical Centre, NL)

Derivatives of human pluripotent stem cells: the new patient?

### Hans Bloemendal Medal & Poster Prizes

#### **Chair: René Bindels**

15:35 - 15:45 Hans Bloemendal Medal for Outstanding Scientific Achievement

15:45 - 15:55 Poster Prizes

15:55 - 16:00 Closing words