PROGRAM
MINI-SYMPOSIUM
“New Directions in Membrane Trafficking Research”
Thursday 4 February 2010

9:00 Welcome

9:30 **Associate Professor Corey Smith** – School of Medicine, Case Western Reserve University, USA
"Regulation of activity-dependent differential transmitter release in the adrenal medullary acute stress response"

10:30 Morning Tea

10:45 **Dr Damien Keating** – Centre for Neuroscience, Flinders Medical Centre, Flinders University, SA
"Identifying novel roles of disease-related proteins in the regulation of exocytosis and nervous communication"

11:30 **Associate Professor Peter Thorn** – School of Biomedical Science, University of Queensland, QLD
“The control of secretion in epithelial cells”

12:15 **Dr Will Hughes** – Garvan Institute, NSW
“Exocytosis of GLUT4 Glucose Transporter”

1:00 Lunch

1:45 **Associate Professor John Bekkers** – The John Curtin School of Medical Research, Australian National University, ACT
“Counting vesicles at hippocampal synapses”

2:30 **Professor Jens Coorssen** – School of Medicine, University of Western Sydney, NSW
“Alternate approaches to dissecting the mechanism of fast, Ca^{2+}-triggered membrane fusion”

3:15 Afternoon Tea

3:45 Discussion

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