Program

- 8:00 8:45 AM Registration and Poster Set-up Coffee & tea provided
- 8:45 9:00 AM Welcome

9:00 - 10:00 AM 2nd Annual Dr. Phyllis C. Leppert Lecture in Reproductive Biology Indrani Bagchi, Ph.D., Department of Comparative Biosciences, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign College of Veterinary Medicine

"Cellular Mechanisms Controlling Maternal-Fetal Interface"

- 10:00 11:00 AM Oral Presentations (Four selected from trainee abstracts)
- 11:00 12:15 PM Poster Session #1 (Odd-numbered abstracts)
- 12:15 1:15 PM Lunch
- 1:15 2:30 PM Poster Session #2 (Even-numbered abstracts)
- 2:30 3:00 PM Oral Presentations (Two selected from trainee abstracts)
- 3:00 4:30 PM Three regional Speakers
 - 3:00 PM Charly Guardia (NIEHS): "Placenta-specific autophagy"
 - 3:30 PM Pavla Brachova (Eastern VA Medical School): "Direct RNA sequencing maps the complexity of the mouse cumulus oocyte transcriptome"
 - 4:00 PM Cam Schmidt (ECU): "The Complexity of Sperm Capacitation: Experimental and Computational Insights"
- 4:30 4:45 PM Closing, Presentation of Awards