

The Geoffrey C Schild Memorial Symposium

Monday 19 March 2018

The Francis Crick Institute, London

Preliminary Programme

09.30	Welcome and Introduction John Wood, ISIRV and formerly NIBSC, South Mimms, UK
09.40	Reflections on Geoffrey John Oxford, Queen Mary College, London , UK
09.55	Introduction to NIBSC Christian Schneider, Director NIBSC, South Mimms, UK
10.10	Chair of session 1 John Skehel, Francis Crick Institute, London, UK
10.20	Geoffrey Schild- From Influenza Nomenclature to Surveillance and Vaccine Standardization Robert Webster, St Jude Children's Research Hospital, Memphis, TN, USA
11.00	Tea/Coffee Break
11.30	Geoffrey – A Man For All Seasons (and Pandemics) Maria Zambon, Public Health England, London, UK
12.00	The Impact of Geoffrey Schild on Influenza Vaccines Tony Colegate (formerly Novartis), Liverpool, UK and IFPMA
12.30	Lunch Break





13.30	Chair of session 2 Philip Minor, formerly NIBSC, South Mimms, UK
13.40	Polio: The State of Things When I Arrived Philip Minor, formerly NIBSC, South Mimms, UK
14.00	The Genetic Basis of OPV Attenuation and Hard Evidence of Reversion Jeffrey Almond, University of Oxford, Oxford, UK
14.20	The Long and Bumpy Path to Polio Eradication Javier Martin, NIBSC, South Mimms, UK
14.40	New Vaccines for the Polio End-Game – From Fundamental Research to Product Development Andrew Macadam, NIBSC, South Mimms, UK
15.00	Geoffrey's Contributions to HIV & AIDS Robin Weiss, University College London, UK and Neil Almond, NIBSC, South Mimms, UK
15.30	Safety of Blood Products John Cash, formerly Director of the Scottish National Blood Transfusion Service, UK
16.00	Tea/Coffee Break
16.30	Twenty-Five Years Standardization of NAT Assays for Blood Borne Viruses Nico Lelie, Lelie Research, Alkmaar, The Netherlands
17.00	EU Regulatory Science John Purves, formerly European Medicines Agency, London, UK
17.30	Drinks Reception

