

# Eleventh Southeastern Regional Virology Conference 2010

**March 19-21, 2010**

## MEETING INFORMATION

**CONFERENCE SITE:** Emory Conference Center, 1615 Clifton Road, Atlanta, GA 30329. Toll free 800-933-6679, Phone 404.712.6000, Fax 404.712.6235  
<http://www.emoryconferencecenter.com/>

**HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS:** A block of rooms has been reserved at the Emory Conference Center Hotel at a room rate of \$149 plus tax per night **until February 26**. Note that this rate is for a room that can be used as single, double or triple occupancy by Conference participants. There is no charge for parking at the Conference Center Hotel. To reserve a room, call the hotel reservations department at 800-93-EMORY (800-933-6679) or 404-712-6565 and identify yourself as a participant of the SERVC 2010 meeting, under Reservation ID 20006016859.

After **February 26th**, the hotel may not be able to honor the special conference room rate.

**REGISTRATION INFORMATION:** The registration fee is \$150 if your registration is received by **6 PM** on **February 26, 2010**. The fee for non-participating guests who wish to attend the meals is \$100 (\$125 after February 28). The registration fee will be \$175 after **February 26, 2010** and for on-site registration. Registration includes: Friday evening wine/beer Reception, all refreshment breaks, Saturday box lunch, Saturday wine/beer Reception and Dinner, the scientific sessions, and all program and conference materials.

Register at <http://www.biology.gsu.edu/serv>

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** To cancel your registration, go to <http://www.biology.gsu.edu/serv>. All cancellations are subject to a **\$40 cancellation fee**. Cancellations received on or before February 26, 2010 will receive a full refund less the \$40 cancellation fee. **No refunds will be given after February 26, 2010;** however, substitutions of participants may be made. Stop payment of a check does not constitute a formal cancellation. There will be a returned check fee of \$15 or 5% of the face amount of the check, whichever is greater for stop payments or returned checks.

**ABSTRACTS:** Abstracts are invited on all aspects of virology. They will be divided by subject matter into individual workshops, each containing about eight 10-minute oral presentations with 5 minutes for discussion. The abstracts of the meeting will not be published, but copies will be made available to meeting registrants.

Abstracts should be submitted by email to Dr. Griff Parks at [gparks@wfubmc.edu](mailto:gparks@wfubmc.edu) by **February 15, 2010**. Put “SERVC abstract” as the subject line of the email, and incorporate the abstract title; the names, affiliations and addresses of the authors; and the abstract text into the body of the email. Do not send as an email enclosure. Abstracts should list the presenting author first, contain only text, and conform to the following format:

**ABSTRACT TITLE** (all capitals)  
I.M. AUTHOR and U.R. AUTHOR  
Professional Affiliations and Brief Addresses.  
Text of the abstract. **Limit 250 words.**

All presentations will be oral. The keynote talk will be 45 min in length with 5 min for questions. Plenary talks will be 25 min plus a 5 min question period. Workshop session talks will be 10 min with 5 min for questions. All presentations must be in PowerPoint format and brought to the conference on a CD OR MEMORY STICK (no discs or zip discs). Computers and projectors will be provided. NO SLIDES OR PERSONAL COMPUTERS CAN BE ACCOMMODATED. All presentations must be PC compatible since only PC computers will be available. The presentations must be loaded onto the session room computer a half hour prior to the beginning of the session. Please preview your presentation after it has been loaded to make sure that it is working correctly.

**QUESTIONS:**

Contact Lydia Woltz at: [lwoltz@gsu.edu](mailto:lwoltz@gsu.edu) or by calling 404-413-5306 if you have questions about the registration process or the status of your registration.

Inquiries regarding the scientific program may be directed to Griff Parks at [gparks@wfubmc.edu](mailto:gparks@wfubmc.edu)

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